

Scubaventures Diving

DAN On-Site Neurological Assessment for Divers



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This course provides the diver with additional tool for determining whether a diver has suffered a Decompression Injury (DCI) and the extent of the problem. You will learn to use a step-by-step method of evaluating the diver's mental function and physical reflexes and responses to more accurately determine what problems exist. You can use this information to determine the severity of the injury and begin treatment with oxygen. This information can also be shared with the EMS provides and the Doctor. Using this information they can determine any changes in the injured diver's condition as they transport him to the hospital or arrange for recompression treatment.

Most of the knowledge development for the course is done at home in your spare time using the DAN student manual and the DAN On-Site Neurological Assessment slate

During the course we will review that material and answer any questions that you have in a brief discussion session and then spend the rest of the time in actual hands-on scenarios in which you will provide the assessment to your "injured" class members.

Prerequisites

- You must have completed the DAN Oxygen First Aid Provider course within the last 24 months.

About Scubaventures:

Scubaventures is a dive training business that offers PADI and DAN Instructor Training. I teach all of the Divers Alert Network (DAN) programs dealing with handling diving related medical issues. I am also an instructor trainer for the DAN programs. I teach the Emergency First Response First Aid and CPR Courses and am also an instructor trainer for that program as well. I am also an associate member of the Undersea and Hyperbaric Medical Society.

For more information on the course or to schedule a course, contact John Meyer, PADI Course Director at 206-300-0318 or e-mail me at lets_dive (at) scubaventures-diving.com.