

Course code	OBS210
Course name	Compressed Air Emergency Breathing System (CA-EBS) Training (OPITO + NOGEPa)
Duration	1½ hour
Target group	Personnel being issued with Compressed Air Breathing System (CA-EBS) whilst travelling to work by helicopter and may be required to use a CA-EBS in the event of an emergency.
Prerequisites	<p>At the start of the training the delegate should be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - In possession of a valid ID (passport or drivers licence) - In possession of a valid OPITO BOSIET/FOET/HUET or NOGEPa 0.4 / 0.5A / 0.5B certificate. - In possession of a Personal Safety Logbook, when applicable. - Physically fit to attend the course. <p>Note: Classroom training in accordance to the mutual recognition agreement between Oil&Gas UK (OPITO) and NOGEPa.</p>
Objective	<p>The OPITO and NOGEPa approved Compressed Air Emergency Breathing System (CA-EBS) Training is designed for offshore workers travelling to work by helicopter and may be required to use a CA-EBS in the event of an emergency. During the training delegates learn about the fundamental differences between a re-breather and compressed air systems, the rationale and use of the CA-EBS in helicopter emergency situations and the hazards associated with CA-EBS.</p> <p>Objective: To ensure that delegates gain the required knowledge and understanding of the particular hazards and properties of a CA-EBS and appropriate practical emergency response actions to take should the requirement for emergency deployment arise.</p>
Contents	<p>During the training programme, delegates will be required to demonstrate their skills and understanding of the following key areas.</p> <p>To successfully complete this training delegates must be able to explain:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The fundamental differences between re-breather and compressed air systems (technology and use) - The rationale and use of CA-EBS in helicopter emergency situations. - The hazards associated with CA-EBS <p>To successfully this training delegates need to demonstrate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A pre-flight inspection of the life jacket and CA-EBS - Donning the life jacket with CA-EBS correctly, including 'buddy check' - An emergency deployment of the CA-EBS in a dry environment
Exam	<p>Delegates will be assessed against the learning outcomes using direct observation and written questions as appropriate. Delegates will be required to undertake a multiple-choice written test at the end of the programme (duration 5 minutes) as a method of checking that they have met all the knowledge learning outcomes.</p> <p>On successful completion of the course the delegates will receive the OPITO and the NOGEPa certificate.</p> <p>For the CA EBS delegates will be required to undertake a multiple-choice written test at the end of the programme (duration 5 minutes) as a method of checking that they have met all the knowledge learning outcomes.</p> <p>On successful completion of the course the delegates will receive the OPITO and the NOGEPa certificate.</p>