

Appendix 05: Fall Protection Plan Falling Into Water

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<u>General</u>

This emergency fall protection plan defines the procedure and arrangements to be applied in the event of a person falling off the wharf of Offshore Marine Centre.

Objective

These procedures are intended to provide all personnel with clear instructions on the rescue actions to be taken in an event when a person fell into the sea while working at the edge of the wharf.

Use of Life Buoy

A life buoy shall be thrown towards the fallen person (not aimed at him) once he fell into the water. The rope attached to the life buoy to be held to at all times.

Modes of Rescue

The following are the modes of rescue to be used for rescuing the fallen person and bringing him out of the water.

❖ Via Boat-Landing Platform

Fallen person shall swim to the nearest boat-landing platform. Person shall assist by trying to pull fallen person towards boat-landing platform.

❖ Via Temporary Vertical Ladder

Fallen person shall swim to the nearest temporary vertical ladder. Person shall assist by trying to pull fallen person towards temporary vertical ladder.

❖ Via Rescue Boat

Person shall hold on to rope attached to the life buoy to prevent fallen person from been swept away by strong current until rescue boat arrive.

IMPORTANT

The mode of rescue used shall be determined based on the availability of the equipment, location of the fall and the condition of the fallen person.

<u>Treatment to Fallen Worker</u>

The fallen person shall be sent to the First Aid Room for treatment immediately if he is able to move. The First aider shall evaluate and advise if the fallen person needs to be sent to hospital for further treatment, if necessary.

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