



Rescue Equipment

When entering into a confined space the team must be equipped and trained to perform "self rescue" This includes the use a vertical retrieval system (Tripod / Davit system) with rescue winch and full body harness for vertical retrieval. For horizontal retrieval a life line may be used to rescue individuals from a confined space. When entering into a permit required confined space all employee must be in a full body harness unless other means of rescue has been put into place. A four gas meter should always be used to test the atmosphere prior to entry and while individuals are in the space. Below are some examples of confined space rescue equipment.

