

E-training tool descriptor

Supra-category: IOTC ROS Observer Co-ordinator Training (IOTC ROS OLC)

Category: Safety at sea (IOTC ROS OLC TR11)

Course: *Emergency Action Plan (IOTC ROS OLC TR11.02)*

Course Description

An Emergency Action Plan (EAP) is a written procedure detailing the appropriate response to observer emergency situations at sea, and outlining required responses for Observers, Observer Coordinators, vessel Master/Captain, vessel Operators/Owners, and Coastal States and Flag States.

The EAP should provide for all observer emergencies and include different scenarios on fishing vessels. Observers, Observer Coordinators, vessel Master/Captain, vessel Operators/Owners and relevant entities are to be provided with a checklist covering each emergency and the steps necessary to prepare for and control the emergencies when it arises.

The purpose of this course is to familiarize participants with IOTC ROS expectation on CPC NOP EAP.

Participants are to autonomously complete this e-training module in preparation for the interactive practical workshop on Observer Program Development & Logistic Coordination, so they can draft an EAP to ensure its effectiveness in responding to observer emergency situations at sea, and include this information in the *CPCs' Observer programme development & observer logistical co-ordination guide*.