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Coastal and Offshore Pleasure Boating Safety (SNPCH) NIV 1 and 2

Embark with a professional skipper trained in fire safety, survival, and medical emergencies in merchant marine to address the major challenges of onboard safety. The SNPCH validates the PSC1/ PSMER certification.

Objective:

At the end of this training, you will be able to better handle emergency and distress situations that may occur during navigation and have the reflexive actions required in case of accidents onboard. Additionally, you'll gain better vessel control in all port entry and exit situations, crew management skills, and navigation instrument operation.

Duration of training: 5 days Number of trainees: Maximum of 6 trainees Training cost: €990

Program Overview:

- Theoretical (15 hours): Safety preparation, onboard emergencies, weather risks
- Practical (20 hours): Port maneuvers, navigation electronics, man overboard, survival drills
- Liferaft training: evacuation, flare use, onboard survival strategies

Theoretical Training (15 hours):

- Safety equipment preparation and maintenance
- Onboard accidents and their management
- Weather risks and their implications

Practical Training (20 hours):

- Port maneuvers: docking, solo and team operations
- Navigation electronics: AIS, radar, charting tools (e.g., Navionics)
- Man overboard training: mannequins and real situations
- Liferaft drills: evacuation, survival, onboard practices

Daily Breakdown:

Day 1:

- Safety equipment checks
- Port maneuvers: solo, crewed, and various wind conditions

Day 2:

- Handling onboard breakdowns (engine, electrical, steering issues)
- Fire drills and emergency communications (GMDSS)

Day 3:

- First aid certification (PSC1/PSMER)
- Managing medical emergencies, drownings, burns, and hypothermia

Day 4:

- Man overboard scenarios: real-life drills with survival suits
- Nighttime operations based on weather conditions

Day 5:

- Weather routing and advanced navigation planning
- Liferaft survival: stress management, pyrotechnics, onboard practices