

Open Water Scuba Diver – Module 4 – Version 2

1.If the inflation mechanism of the BCD gets stuck and the BCD is overinflating, the recommended action is to disconnect the intermediate pressure hose from the inflator mechanism.

- a) True
- b) False

2.When a diver notices that the air supply is running low, ascending while breathing from the alternate air source of a buddy:

- a) Is the first and preferred option.
- b) Is the second option because a normal ascent is the first.
- c) Is the second option because the emergency swimming ascent is the first.
- d) Is the third option because a normal ascent and emergency swimming ascent come before.

3.Which of the following are part of dealing with surface hazards (check all correct answers)?

- a) Marking the dive site with a dive flag.
- b) Deploying a SMB before ascending to the surface.
- c) Extending a hand above the head during the ascent.
- d) Select a protected area for the ascent at the end of the dive.

4.How can you improve your readiness to assist another diver (check all correct answers)?

- a) Stay fit and keep your skills up-to-date
- b) Learn additional skills in the Scuba Safety & First Aid programme.
- c) Have additional equipment such as ropes, pocket mask and other available.
- d) Make a plan how to deal with an emergency every time you visit a new dive site.

5.The primary concern with a rescue is not to put yourself in danger.

- a) True
- b) False

6.Victims of near drowning should seek medical attention, even if they feel well, because:

- a) The water that was in the lung probably washed out surfactant, which comes with the risk of secondary drowning.
- b) The doctor needs to find out why it happened to be able to give advice how to avoid a similar situation in the future.
- c) Because victims of near drowning normally have decompression sickness as well.
- d) None of the above.

7.There are only very few types of diving related emergencies in which the oxygen supply in the body is impaired.

- a) True
- b) False

8.The term decompression illness includes (check all correct answers):

- a) Decompression sickness.
- b) Lung overexpansion injury.
- c) Nitrogen narcosis.
- d) Carbon monoxide poisoning.

9.The certification level and diving experience of you and your buddy are decisive for the parameters of a dive, such as maximum depth and acceptable diving conditions.

- a) True
- b) False

10.When arriving at the dive site, you should put on your suit as soon as possible.

- a) True
- b) False