

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## Learn First Aid at Sea this February at the Northwest Maritime Center

Don't let injuries turn into tragedies.

Washington Sea Grant, WSU Jefferson County Extension, and the Northwest Maritime Center, will co-sponsor a Coast Guard-approved First Aid at Sea Course on February 26.

Topics covered will include patient assessment, hypothermia, cold-water near-drowning, shock, trauma, burns, fractures, choking, immobilization, CPR, first aid kits, and more.

When: Thursday, February 26, 2015

9am to 5pm

Where NW Maritime Center

431 Water Street Port Townsend

**Fee:** \$100 (\$50 for commercial fishermen). Pre-registration is required.

To register or for more information, contact WSG continuing education coordinator Sarah Fisken, 206-543-1225 or *sfisken@uw.edu*.

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