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Learn First Aid at Sea April 8 at the Gig Harbor BoatShop

Don't let injuries turn into tragedies.

What: Washington Sea Grant and the Gig Harbor BoatShop at Eddon Boatyard will co-sponsor a Coast Guard-approved First Aid at Sea course on April 8 from 8:30 am to 5 pm.

Topics covered will include patient assessment, hypothermia, cold-water exposure, near-drowning,

shock, trauma, burns, fractures, choking, immobilization, CPR, first aid kits, and more.

When: Wednesday, April 8

8:30 am to 5 pm

Where Gig Harbor BoatShop at Eddon Boatyard

3805 Harborview Drive, Gig Harbor

Fee: \$100 (\$50 for active commercial fishermen).

Pre-registration is required.

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

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