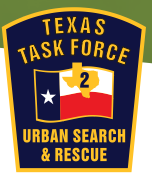


HELICOPTER SEARCH AND RESCUE TECHNICIAN (HSART)



POSITION SUMMARY

- Performing Search & Rescue operations onboard Texas Military Department (TMD) UH60 Blackhawk and LUH-72 Lakota aircraft or other response partner aircraft as a single individual or part of a two-person team during both day and night operations
 - Performing helicopter hoist rescue operations
 - Conducting reconnaissance & assessment
 - Assisting in air evacuation
 - Facilitating air transport of task force equipment & personnel
 - Performing other duties as assigned by Joint Air-Ground Coordination Team (JAGCT) or Air Operations Center (AOC)
- Emergency medical care may be performed by the HSART in accordance with the HSART's medical certification and HSART's sponsoring agency's emergency medicine protocols

REQUIREMENTS

- Demonstrate proficiency with knots
- Pass TX-TF1 HSART Fitness Test
 - 300 yards freestyle swim
 - 400 yards mask/snorkel & fins swim (no arms)
 - Helicopter Underwater Egress dunker
 - 1-mile run

REQUIRED GENERAL TRAINING

Complete prior to application (no cost):

- [ICS-100](#), [ICS-200](#), [ICS-700](#), and [ICS-800](#)

PAPERWORK REQUIREMENTS

- After acceptance onto the Task Force, you will need to have the following documents on file:
 - Memorandum of Understanding (renew every 3 years)
 - Signed Code of Conduct

REQUIRED POSITION-SPECIFIC TRAINING

- Swiftwater Rescue Technician
- Rope Rescue Level I & II
- Emergency Medical Technician – Basic (EMT-B) or Paramedic (EMT-P or EMT-LP)

TRAINING RECOMMENDATIONS

- NASAR Fundamental of Search and Rescue (FUNSAR) Course
- ICS-300 and ICS-400
- Wide Area Search

RECURRENT REQUIREMENTS

- Quarterly Recurrent Requirements
 - Direct deployment & recovery, both airframes
 - Survivor recovery into cabin (each airframe) with strop & Hotseat
- Semiannual Recurrent Requirements
 - Academic and live-flight training with all rescue devices
- Annual Recurrent Requirements
 - Hoist academics, per current US Army Aviation rescue hoist SOP
 - Direct deployment & recovery – trees (each airframe)
 - Helicopter Emergency Egress Device (HEED) Review
 - Helicopter Underwater Egress Review
- Triannual Recurrent Requirements
 - HEED Training
 - Helicopter Underwater Egress Training