

Introduction



Business resilience is a means of navigating uncertainty and sustaining long-term success regardless of factors that might affect commercial outcomes. Organisations should implement robust risk management strategies that anticipate potential disruptions by fostering a culture of agility and adaptability to enable them to respond effectively to unforeseen challenges.



Context



 Global events of the last few years, have resulted in a series of outcomes which could introduce uncertainty to a business.



4. We have created a video series specifically for the marine contracting industry and IMCA Members.

2. The impact on a human level has created stress and anxiety, for the obvious reasons of job security, financial challenges, and uncertainty around the future.



5. The programme comprises six ten minute videos – all made freely available to the industry on our website.

3. This can pose operational and safety risks for our Members so we developed a wide-ranging programme focusing on developing resilience, to enable them to better manage these pressures.





Why now?



- 1. It is good sense for every business to look after the welfare of their personnel and one way is to help build personal resilience.
- 2. If we are more resilient, we can better cope with life and work.
- 3. Resilient organisations are made up of resilient people.
- 4. Resilient organisations are successful organisations.



5. Irrespective of a situation that we need to deal with, being resilient helps us to cope with pressure.



6. Resilience is a life skill and enables us to better support other people including family, friends and colleagues.



7. So whether we are really busy, have a personal issue or a financial problem, having good personal resilience helps us through these challenges.



What is resilience?



1. Resilience is about working through difficult experiences and having the ability to bounce back quickly. Resilience is learning from the way we cope with a difficult or stressful situation and making good use of that learning experience in the future.



Fortunately we all have a level of resilience which we have developed throughout our careers, and there are ways in which we can increase this through learning and training.



Developing our mental resilience through awareness training can help us manage stress and make clearer decisions in stressful situations. We can also bounce back and respond more quickly when things go wrong – much like an athlete who needs to practice to develop the strength and skills to be successful.



4. The Resilience Awareness
Programme of six video
modules explains the main
concepts of resilience and
proposes some useful tips on
how we can develop and
improve this capability for use
at work and at home.





Who is this for?



 Everyone at the worksite should work through all six video modules.



4. The videos promote discussion, and the groups of attendees should be selected to enable this to happen in a balanced way.



2. Each worksite should schedule sessions to align with the availability of the attendees and viewing facilities.



There is no set rule for the mix and number of attendees, but as a guide, between four and eight people has been found to be optimal.



3. It is recommended that the sessions be given on a weekly basis to give people time to think about the contents.



6. We hope that you get something positive out of the experience.





Eight steps to more resilience





Accept change
Find ways to become more comfortable with change.



Be a continuous learner
Gain new skills and understanding to apply in times of change.



charge
Shape your future by controlling your career and your own development.

Take



purpose
Assess setbacks
through the framework
of a broader
perspective.

Find a sense of



shift
Reframe how you see
your skills, talents and
interests.

Skill



Self reflection Foster learning, new perspectives and self awareness.



relationships
Develop and nurture
personal and
professional
relationships.

Cultivate



Pay attention to yourself
Form an identity apart from your job.



Module breakdown





Module 1

Helps us to understand ways we can develop our resilience to help us to stay safe.



Module 4

Looks at how taking care of ourselves will help us be safer by being more alert and sharper.



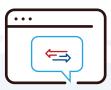
Module 2

Encourages us to make safer decisions by teaching us how to keep things in perspective.



Module 5

Looks at keeping ourselves safe by reminding us to always think things through before acting.



Module 3

Explores how to cope with change and prevent it having a negative impact on safety.



Module 6

Summarises the previous modules with some further scenarios to discuss.



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