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TO: Clubs, Secretaries, Presidents, Club Captains, Chief Training Officers, BOL Assessors, Club Trainers	FROM: Education Manager Marissa Jank
CC: SLSS Management, BOL Management	

SUBJECT: SYDNEY BRANCH ARTC ROLL OUT

Dear All

This Circular is to advise all Clubs of the ARTC (Advanced Resuscitation Techniques Certificate) roll out.

The District ARC Coordinators and Education Supervisors met with myself and Steve Allan, Academy Support Officer for SLSNSW.

I can confirm that Sydney Branch will roll out the ARTC to its members as follows:

1. From May 2010 all Trainers, Assessors and Facilitators will be upgraded across the Branch. There will be set dates for attendance in each District which will be confirmed by the ARC Coordinators and will be included in the Winter Education Calendar which will be available on the SLSS website in due course.
2. As from 1 July 2010, the ARTC will be rolled out to all Club members through their Trainers and Assessors.
3. From 1 July 2010, the ARC and Defibrillation Certificate will no longer be recognised as a new award.

Please note:

- A. All members who hold an ARC and Defibrillation Certificate can upgrade at the next proficiency of those awards to an ARTC by completing a short workbook and the use of the Suction.
- B. Members who only hold an ARC award will need to complete the Suction and Defibrillation component of the course.
- C. Members who only hold a Defibrillation Certificate will need to complete the ARTC Course.

All members who currently hold ARC and Defibrillation Certificate will need to upgrade to the ARTC by 31 December 2010. As at 1 January 2011, the ARC and Defibrillation Certificate Awards will no longer be current.

Please find attached the SLSA Circular id 19/-9-10 relating to the ARTC Upgrade and Course information, dated August 2009.

Please feel free to contact me should you have any queries regarding the above.

Regards

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SLSS EDUCATION MANAGER

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