Confined Space Personnel Roles & Responsibilities:

Stand-By Person/s

For every designated confined space entry there are roles assigned to the work team. These include:

- Person/s entering
- Stand-by person/s
- Responsible person

The people in each of these roles must be aware of their duties and be able to perform them.

The stand-by's role is to observe, assist, protect and provide for rescue:

- Monitor conditions in and around the confined space.
- Maintain communication with the entrant.
- Know the hazard of the space.
- Know emergency procedures.
- Be able to recognize the warning signs
- Assist the entrant as required.
- Prevent unauthorized people from entering the space.
- Contact emergency and rescue crews as needed.
- Be trained in confined space entry
- Be trained in EAR and CPR.