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Release of online learning – Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Awareness

The Bushfire Centre of Excellence has developed an online, self-paced module covering Unexploded Ordnance (UXO). DFES staff and volunteers can now apply for and access the training via eAcademy.

The module takes about 30 minutes to complete and is aimed at all bushfire response personnel, particularly firefighters and OICs/Crew Leaders. It covers the challenges, constraints and considerations when UXO is found during firefighting or fire mitigation activities.



While the module is not mandatory, it is strongly recommended for regions or BGUs that have high UXO risk.

Additionally, there is a Bushfire Skills Card – 31 UXO Awareness, available on eAcademy, which can be used locally to reinforce this information and build local knowledge.

For more information, please contact the Bushfire Centre of Excellence Training Delivery team on <u>BCoETraining@dfes.wa.gov.au</u>

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