

*Initial Company Actions for* **Confined Space**

CALL FOR A USAR RESPONSE	
Primary Assessment	
Secure job foreman or witness. <b>Request Confined Space Permit.</b>	
Identify & secure immediate hazards, determine mechanism of injury.	
Number of victim(s):	Condition of victim(s):
Location of victim(s):	
Attempt to contact victim(s)	<b>YES / NO</b>
Secondary Assessment	
Type of space ( <i>i.e. electrical vault, sewer, etc.</i> ):	
Products in the space:	
Describe hazards in the space:	
Is the space structurally stable?	<b>YES / NO</b>
Is "Non-Entry" retrieval possible?	<b>YES / NO</b>
Based on victim survivability is this a...	<b>RESCUE / RECOVERY</b>
Initial Actions - Concurrent with Size-up	
Call proper/additional resources (HAZ MAT, Rescue Resources, etc.)	
Initiate Technical Rescue Permit	
Establish exclusion zones - HOT / WARM / COLD	
Evacuate if necessary	
Traffic & crowd control	
Establish staging area	
Establish personnel accountability system	
Determine appropriate personal protective equipment	
<i>If possible:</i> <b>Monitor Atmosphere / Ventilate / Lock-out Tag-out</b>	
<b>OTHER:</b>	
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Confined Space Definition - OSHA CCR Title 8 sec 5156-58	YES	NO
• is large enough for personnel to physically enter; and		
• has limited or restricted means for entry or exit (for example tanks, vessels, silos, storage bins, hoppers, vaults, and pits); and		
• is not designed for continuous employee occupancy		

A permit-required confined space means the space has <i>one</i> or more of the following hazards:	YES	NO
• Atmospheric hazards;		
• Engulfment hazard;		
• Configuration hazard; or		
• Any other recognized serious safety of health hazard		

Diagram of Incident:

Time	Notes: