



# Travelling and Working in Remote Areas

This 4 day course has a very full program incorporating the skills and knowledge to plan and prepare for a journey to a remote location, an overview of defensive driving and vehicle dynamics, the use of 4wd vehicles in a variety of on road and off-road conditions and basic recovery techniques. It also incorporates an understanding of fundamental requirements for survival in isolated conditions, and remote area first aid, communications, navigation techniques.

Throughout the 4 days participants are actively involved in each of the skills being taught. The course culminates in a simulated journey where implementation of the various practical aspects are combined and practiced. This is a most enjoyable and informative course which could prove invaluable to the survival of personnel who may find themselves stranded in an isolated situation.

*Pre-requisites: All participants for this course must hold a current and valid driver's licence*

**\*\*This course is conducted for groups of six or more people.\*\***



*The content covers the following items;*

- ◆ *Defensive Driving techniques (all road types)*
- ◆ *Journey Planning and preparation*
- ◆ *Vehicle and equipment preparation*
- ◆ *4WD vehicle systems & handling characteristics*
- ◆ *Correct gear selection & tyre pressures*
- ◆ *Environmental Impact*
- ◆ *Driving on and across slopes & inclines & stall recovery*
- ◆ *Operating in rocky terrain, sand, in wet conditions and crossing waterways*
- ◆ *Advanced Vehicle recovery in all situations*
- ◆ *Correct jacking procedures, wheel change (including split rims) and puncture repairs.*
- ◆ *Plan & monitor food and water needs and usage,*
- ◆ *Dealing with non-routine situations*
- ◆ *Physiological and psychological effects of isolation*
- ◆ *Remote area first Aid*
- ◆ *Selection of camp sites*
- ◆ *Navigation*
- ◆ *Communication*
- ◆ *Fire fighting*

*Successful completion of the course and assessment will result in a Statement of Attainment for the nationally Recognised Training Package Units:*

<b>TLIC107C</b>	<b>Drive Vehicle</b>
<b>SROODR002A</b>	<b>Plan an Outdoor Recreation Activity</b>
<b>SRODRV001B</b>	<b>Drive &amp; Recover a 4WD Vehicle</b>
<b>SRODRV002B</b>	<b>Drive a 4WD vehicle in difficult terrain using advanced techniques</b>
<b>SRODRV003B</b>	<b>Coordinate Recover of a 4WD Vehicle using advanced techniques</b>

