

SANTA BARBARA HARBOR PATROL: Required Training by Hours

2019	HOURS									
LAW ENFORCEMENT										
Penal Code (PC) 832 & 833	162									
CSTI Officer Safety and Field Tactics	40									
MLETC Basic Maritime Officers Course	80									
CDB&W Boating Under the Influence of Alcohol	24									
CLETS Law Enforcement Computer Certification	4									
ASP Baton Certification	8									
OC Pepper Spray Training	2									
TASER	8									
MEDICAL										
Emergency Medical Technician (w/ E.R. & Ambulance)	140									
Cardio-Pulmonary Resusc. for Professional Rescuer (CPR)	8									
Automatic External Defibrillator (AED)	2									
FIREFIGHTING										
CDB&W Marine Firefighting	40									
First Responder Operations (FRO)	16									
Hazwoper Marine Oil Spill Response	8									
LIFESAVING										
American Red Cross Lifeguard Certification	34									
BOATING										
CDB&W Boating Skills Operations	40									
CDB&W Rescue Boat Operations/Search and Rescue	40									
CDB&W Piloting and Navigation	40									
CDB&W Boating Accident Investigation-Reconstruction	40									
USCG Rescue Helicopter Operations	4									
UCSG Merchant Marine Officer's License*	88									

TOTAL **828** **828 Hours = 20.70 weeks of required training****

1440 hours = 36 weeks minimum to sit for USCG license.

*USCG Merchant Marine Officers License: In order to qualify for this license, a person must document 360 (1440 hours) or 720 (2880 hours) days at sea. They are then eligible to take the series of 5 examinations. The prep course and exams are 88 hours.

**Does not include handgun range qualification every 2 months, annual safety training (Infectious Disease Control, Confined Space, etc.), certificate/license recertifications nor in-house officer training. All the above are minimum course hour requirements.

The State of California does not offer a Harbor Patrol Academy

CDB&W: State of California Department of Boating and Waterways	FMO: State of California Fire Marshal's Office
CLETS: California Law Enforcement Telecommunications System	POST: State of California Peace Officer's Standard of Training
CSTI: State of California Training Institute	USCG: United States Coast Guard
MLETC: Maritime Law Enforcement Training Center.	