



SPEARFISHING COMPETITION MEDICAL AND EMERGENCY CONTACT LIST



Is someone seriously injured or in need of urgent medical help?

Do you want Police, Fire or Ambulance?

Call Triple Zero (000)

***Important** – if there is no mobile coverage on any network, you will not be able to reach the Emergency Call Service via a mobile telephone.*

In a marine based emergency use VHF Channel 16

LOCATION – TWEED HEADS

FIRST CONTACT:	
Police	Phone: (07) 5506 9499 Address: 83 Wharf St Tweed Heads NSW 2485 Opening hours: 24 hours In an emergency call 000 Call 131 444 to contact Police other than in an emergency.
Marine Rescue NSW – Point Danger	Phone: (07) 5536 9333 Address: Tweed Terrace Tweed Heads NSW 2485 Opening hours: 24 hours
VHF Channel	Use Channel 16 in the event of a marine based emergency
SECOND CONTACT:	
VHF local channel:	All boats to monitor Channel 16; For non-essential competition communications switch to: CHANNEL 72
VHF nowcasting /forecast:	Most coastal radio stations provide regular local weather forecasts on VHF radio, with instructions and broadcast times announced regularly on Channel 16.
Tweed Hospital	Phone: (07) 5506 7000 Address: Powell St & Florence St Tweed Heads NSW 2485 Opening hours: 24 hours
Fire Emergency:	CALL 000
Nearest Decompression chamber:	Royal Brisbane & Women’s Hospital Ground Floor Ned Hanlon Building (07) 3646 0241 Open Monday – Friday 7:30am – 4:30 pm
Pharmacy:	Ramsay Pharmacy John Flynn Private Hospital Address: Ground Floor John Flynn Hospital 42 Inland Dr Tugun Qld 4224 Opening hours: 7am – 11 pm 7 days