

Bedfordshire Police selects 36m² Shelter from NBC

Objective

To acquire large -scale rapid deploy modular shelters for a wide variety of incidents uses, particularly Command & Control.



Problem

Whilst Bedfordshire is one of the smallest counties in the UK with a population of around 550,000, it is currently one of the fastest growing regions of the UK.

Its proximity to London and Cambridge, together with arterial road and rail links as well as Luton airport within its borders, means that Emergency Preparedness remains a high priority.

Bedfordshire Police wanted to supplement their existing capability with a shelter for use primarily as a Command & Control centre, but also as a General Rest and Safe Undress Area.

Bedfordshire Police started to research the market for shelters that were rapid-deploy and rapid strike-down, but which were semi-permanent once erected.

Solution

Bedfordshire Police evaluated their options and finally sourced a solution provided by NBC Group, namely the 36m² Shelter.

The 36m² Emergency Responders Shelter is a proven solution provided by NBC and was able to alleviate the problems which Bedfordshire Police were experiencing as it is ideal for a variety of incident uses - including Command & Control, General Rest and Safe Undress.

Darren Woodhouse, responsible for Operational & Contingency Planning within Bedfordshire Police commented:

“We were very pleased with the way NBC Group listened to our requirements and were able to provide us with this all-round solution. We are already discussing buying another unit from the SF range”

Now there's a better way



Design

The SF36 is a rapid-deploy Emergency Shelter from the NBC Safeframe™ range, designed specifically to meet the arduous demands of Emergency Responders.

Typical Uses

Large Command Centre, Casualty Clearing Shelter, Field Hospital, Field Accommodation, Temporary A&E Structure, Temporary Mortuary.

Major Benefits

- Speed of deploy - 4 people can deploy in < 4 minutes
- Interoperable with other Safeframe™ Shelters & configurable to give T, H & I structures through modular design
- Ease of use & therefore minimal ongoing training requirements
- Minimal ongoing Service & Maintenance requirements
- No heavy lifting involved/ no need for Manual Handling Equipment (MHE)
- Integrated groundsheet allows rapid deploy and provides a more protected working environment
- PVC canvas is both durable and easy to keep clean
- A rigid and weather-resistant structure

Full Service Offering

- NBC offers a wide range of Accessories including: Staking kits; Ballast; Internal & External Lighting; Heating & Cooling Systems; Internal Partitions/ living cabins
- The Shelter is available in all Emergency Services colours (green, blue, red and white) at no extra cost and can be personalised with Service/ Organisation logos
- Complimentary Training is provided upon delivery
- Service & Maintenance is provided for year 1 and ongoing Service & Maintenance Contracts are available in subsequent years to ensure your Emergency Shelter remains ready for any incident



Shelter Type	Purpose	Working Space
SFL 9	General Purpose Shelter	9 m ²
SFL 18	General Purpose Shelter	18 m ²
SFL 36	General Purpose Shelter	36 m ²
SFL 54	General Purpose Shelter	54 m ²
SF 18	Emergency Responders Shelter	18 m ²
SF 36	Emergency Responders Shelter	36 m ²
SF 54	Emergency Responders Shelter	54 m ²

Available Options within the NBC Safeframe™ Range

Certainty in an Uncertain World

