



# NHDES Wastewater Engineering Wastewater Operator Certification List of Trainers



Many trainers provide relevant training to wastewater industry professionals. This listing is of individuals or groups that have historically applied for and received NHDES approval. It is the responsibility of the individual to verify the selected training has been NHDES approved and the CEU value of each training course, seminar, workshop, and technical seminar. These outside vendors appear in alphabetical order.

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### CEU PLAN

The mission of CEU Plan is to provide water and wastewater treatment plant operators and supporting staff with the latest in emerging technologies, procedures, methods, and/or concepts; in order to enrich their knowledge and experience within the workplace and obtain required CEU's for license re-certification.

Programs and courses are 100% internet based providing the operator (student) with the opportunity to concentrate on their courses at their convenience and available time. Course categories continue to expand, offering a broad range of subjects and topics allowing the student the opportunity to select courses of interest in areas which the student want to improve.

### EARTH WATER SPECIALISTS

Earth Water Specialists goal is to evolve the training offered to water and wastewater operators to a more advanced level which will give them tools to better operate and maintain their treatment facilities. Continuing education should help the operators to grow professionally with their work experience in unison.

Earth Water Specialists will follow ANSI/IACET 1=2007 Standard for Continuing Education and Training. This is an international continuing education standard which outlines the most effective training methods and learning processes. Earth Water Specialists is doing this in preparation for someday becoming an authorized IACET CEU provider.

### GRANITE STATE RURAL WATER ASSOCIATION

Granite State Rural Water Association is a service-oriented, educationally based non-profit corporation whose mission is to provide its members with professional technical assistance, training, and legislative representation. Our staff of water, wastewater and technical experts is available to assist you and answer your questions.

Granite State Rural Water Association is a state affiliate of National Rural Water Association, the largest water utility membership group in the nation. The GSRWA office is located in Walpole, New Hampshire. Office hours are Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

### HAZMATEAM

At HAZMATEAM, Inc. we specialize in providing for all your environmental, health and safety (EHS) training needs. Our certified EHS trainers have 20 years hazardous materials training and management experience, and can provide you with superior instruction using quality equipment and materials.

HAZMATEAM's goal is to provide hands-on activities, multiple hands-on workshops, training audits, and activities that support competency and confidence in the area desired. Our online courses are designed to give you the same experience as a live course while demanding competency - not only during the delivery, but with multiple workshops requiring a passing score before progressing.

### JADE LEARNING

Jade Learning make individuals and organizations safe, knowledgeable, and more efficient by providing education, training, and workforce management solutions through practical business consulting and advanced technology platforms.

### NASSCO

NASSCO is an association that brings together professionals dedicated to evaluating and repairing sewers. Our members combine their practical experience and technical expertise in a non-competitive environment to set standards and make sure work is done right. NASSCO addresses issues quickly while also providing training, networking, and committee participation opportunities. Even one member can make a positive impact on the entire sewer industry.

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NASSCO is committed to setting industry standards for the assessment, maintenance and rehabilitation of underground infrastructure, and to assure the continued acceptance and growth of trenchless technologies. We strive to create and promote industry standards, to include training and other technical resources, with cooperation from like-minded associations to improve the success & growth of trenchless technologies

#### **[NEW ENGLAND INTERSTATE WATER POLLUTION CONTROL COMMISSION](#)**

NEIWPC is a regional commission that helps the states of the Northeast preserve and advance water quality. Through our regional training program, we develop, coordinate, and conduct training courses at locations throughout New England and New York State. These courses cover all aspects of water and wastewater treatment operations, maintenance, and management.

The majority of our courses are open to all qualified individuals, but we also design and deliver customized programs directly to workforces at utilities, industries, communities, and government agencies.

#### **[NH BUREAU OF EDUCATION AND TRAINING](#)**

The State of New Hampshire provides a unique program of continuing professional development through the Bureau of Education and Training (BET.) The Bureau is pleased to offer this training to all public employees in New Hampshire.

#### **[NH WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ASSOCIATION](#)**

The NHWPCA consists of individuals, who are either wastewater professionals, engineers, vendor representatives and volunteers.

The focus of the association is the acquisition and dissemination of knowledge concerning the nature, collection, treatment and disposal of water-carried wastes and the design and operation of wastewater systems. The promotion of good public relations and sound legislation relating to wastewater control systems. The advancement of the status of personnel engaged in the control of water pollution. The improvement of wastewater collection and treatment and thereby the quality of New Hampshire's water resources.

#### **[NORTHEAST WATER & WASTEWATER TRAINING ASSOCIATES](#)**

The mission at NEWWTA is to provide quality, affordable and professional training and technical assistance to water, wastewater and public works entities.

NEWWTA ensures that the best practices are implemented in the drinking water and wastewater treatment fields. They offer qualified instructors who are available to assist with courses designed to enhance professionalism, technical skills human relations and communication skills.

#### **[PRIMEX](#)**

Primex<sup>3</sup> trains thousands of employees every year. They are accredited by the International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET). Primex<sup>3</sup> complies with the ANSI/IACET Standard, which is recognized internationally as a standard of excellence in instructional practices. As a result of this accreditation, Primex<sup>3</sup> is authorized to issue the IACET CEU.

#### **[ROY PELLETIER](#)**

Online or correspondence training for continuing education courses in Water, Wastewater and Water Distribution System Operators. They offer many courses at various credit values. They offer a free membership that tracks and registers your CEUs.

#### **[SACRAMENTO STATE: WATER PROGRAMS](#)**

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The mission is to provide cost-effective solutions for protecting and enhancing water resources, public health, and the environment through training, scientific research, and public education.

The operator training group develops and implements programs and publishes training materials for operators of water treatment plants, water distribution systems, wastewater collection systems, and municipal and industrial wastewater treatment and reclamation facilities. They also offer programs and publications for pretreatment facility inspectors, environmental compliance inspectors, and utility managers. All training is offered as distance learning, using correspondence, video, or computer-based formats with opportunities to earn continuing education and contact hours for operators, supervisors, managers, and administrators.

#### **[SKILLWORKS, INC](#)**

SkillWorks, Inc. is a small, family owned, distance learning training company serving the training needs of water and wastewater treatment plant operators. The primary focus is to provide students with State approved, high quality continuing education options that are flexible, convenient and competitively priced.

SkillWorks is accredited by the International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET). SkillWorks complies with the ANSI/IACET Standard, which is recognized internationally as a standard of excellence in instructional practices. As a result of this accreditation, SkillWorks is authorized to issue the IACET CEU.

SkillWorks is currently an approved continuing education provider for water and wastewater treatment plant operators in, New Hampshire with results reported directly to the licensing authority.

#### **[VECTOR SOLUTIONS](#)**

Online training cost effective training for wastewater professionals designed to increase safety comprehension, achieve compliance and decrease claims.

#### **[WATER ENVIRONMENT FEDERATION](#)**

The Water Environment Federation (WEF) is a not-for-profit technical and educational organization of 35,000 individual members and 75 affiliated Member Associations representing water quality professionals around the world. Their mission is to connect water professionals; enrich the expertise of water professionals; increase the awareness of the impact and value of water; and provide a platform for water sector innovation.

#### **[WATER OPERATOR.ORG](#)**

WaterOperator.org aggregates the best resources on the web for small system operators in a free, user-friendly location. With 11,000+ training events added annually and 17,000+ free resources indexed in the database, staff maintain updated information from more than 800 state and national organizations. The program is a collaboration between the Rural Community Assistance Partnership (RCAP) and the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, with funding from the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency.

#### **[WHITE MOUNTAINS COMMUNITY COLLEGE](#)**

WMCC offers an online Water Quality Technology Certificate program consisting of five online courses and one self-directed course. This certificate program can be taken as an independent study course or applied towards an Associate Degree in Interdisciplinary Studies. WMCC's Interdisciplinary Studies Degree allows students to design a degree to fit their needs.

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