

WATER WORKS OPERATOR CERTIFICATION PROGRAM
DISTANCE EDUCATION APPROVED COURSES
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Effective January 1, 2004 operators enrolling in any approved distance education course must follow the Department of Health's (DOH) *Distance Education Approval and Examination Procedure*. **The Department requires that all approved distance education or self-study courses, where successful completion is determined by passing an examination, have a monitored, closed book examination.** Both the examination monitor and the student must submit a signed affidavit affirming that all examinations have been completed in accordance with this procedure.

To ensure that you receive Continuing Education Unit (CEU) credit, contact Peggy Barton at 253-288-3357 or 877-780-2444 for approval prior to enrolling in any type of distance education. A copy of the procedure and required forms are available from Washington Certification Services at Green River Community College and online at www.wacertservices.org.

The distance education courses listed on the following page have been evaluated and meet DOH criteria for water works operator education and professional growth requirements. CEU accepted for successful completion of each course is listed below. You should contact the sponsors directly for order and enrollment information.

REMEMBER - CEU accepted for some courses in Washington may be different than the CEU awarded by the sponsor.

Distance education that meets the established professional growth relevancy criteria and is offered for college credit through an accredited college or university may also be approved. You must still follow the *Distance Education Approval and Examination Procedure* when completing a relevant course for college credit.

APPROVED DISTANCE EDUCATION LIST – APRIL 2009

American Water Works Association 6666 West Quincy Avenue Denver, CO 80235		Phone: 800-926-7337 or 303-794-7711 FAX: 303-347-0804 Web: www.awwa.org
Course Title	Course Format	CEU Approved
Applied Mathematics	Online	0.3
Basic Mathematics	Online	0.7
Coagulation, Flocculation & Sedimentation Basics	Online	0.3
Disinfection Basics	Online	0.3
Distribution Service to Customers	Online	0.3
Distribution System Materials & Equipment	Online	0.3
Filtration Basics	Online	0.3
Fundamentals of Chemistry for Water Professionals	Online	0.8
Hydraulics	Online	0.8
Optimizing Performance Using Turbidity Data	Online	0.3
Water Main Installation	Online	0.3
California State University, Sacramento Office of Water Programs Modoc Hall Suite 1001 6000 J Street Sacramento, CA 95819-6025		Phone: 916-278-6142 FAX: 916-278-5959 E-Mail: wateroffice@owp.csus.edu Web: www.owp.csus.edu
Course Title	Course Format	CEU Approved
*Small Water System Operation & Maintenance 4 th Ed.	Correspondence	2.9
Small Water Systems Video Information Series	Video/Manual	2.0
Water Distribution System O & M 5 th Ed.	Correspondence	3.5
Water Treatment Plant Operation Vol. I 6 th Ed.	Correspondence	3.9
Water Treatment Plant Operation Vol. II 5 th Ed.	Correspondence	5.1
*WAT 702-A – Water Sources & Treatment	CD-ROM	0.5
*WAT 702-B – Wells	CD-ROM	0.7
*WAT 702-C – Small Water Treatment Plants	CD-ROM	0.7
*WAT 702-D – Disinfection	CD-ROM	0.5
*WAT 702-E – Water Rates/Safety	CD-ROM	0.6
*WAT 702-F – Laboratory	CD-ROM	0.6
**WAT 703-B – Facilities	CD-ROM	1.0
**WAT 703-C – Quality & Disinfection	CD-ROM	0.8
**WAT 703-D – Operation & Maintenance Activities	CD-ROM	0.8
Water Systems O & M Video Training Series	Video/Manual	1.5
<p>*This CSUS CD-ROM training contains the same information in an alternate format as that provided in the Small Water System Operation and Maintenance correspondence course.</p> <p>**This CSUS CD-ROM training contains the same information in an alternate format as that in the Water Distribution System Operation and Maintenance correspondence course.</p> <p>Operators may receive credit for completing either the correspondence course OR the CD-ROM training but may not receive credit for both versions.</p>		

Evergreen Rural Water of Washington P. O. Box 2300 Shelton, WA 98584		Phone: 800-272-5981 FAX: 360-462-9289 Web: http://erwow.org
Course Title	Course Format	CEU Approved
Basics Course for Small Public Drinking Water Systems in Washington	CD-ROM	0.9
Montana Water Center MSU-Bozeman 101 Huffman Building Bozeman, MT 59717		Phone: 406-994-7862 FAX: 406-994-1774 E-Mail: watercenter@montana.edu Web: http://watercenter.montana.edu
Course Title	Course Format	CEU Approved
**Ground Water Systems	CD-ROM	1.3
**Surface and Ground Water Systems	CD-ROM	1.1
**The content of the Ground Water Systems course is also included in the Surface & Ground Water Systems course. Operators may receive credit for completing one of the courses, but will not receive credit for completing both courses.		
TargetSafety, Inc. Ten Post Office Square, 8 th Floor South Boston, MA 02109		Phone: 858-376-1631 FAX: 858-487-8762 Web: www.targetsafety.com
Course Title	Course Format	CEU Approved
Water Industry HAZWOPER 8-Hour Refresher	Online	0.7
Technical Learning College P. O. Box 420 Payson, AZ 85547		Phone: 928-468-0665 FAX: 928-468-0675 E-Mail: info@tlch2o.com Web: www.abctlc.com
Course Title	Course Format	CEU Approved
Backflow Awareness (Version 1/1/2005)	Correspondence	1.0
Chlorine and Disinfection (2006)	Correspondence	3.0
Distribution Basics (Versions 1/15/2005)	Correspondence	1.0
Point of Use Water Treatment (Version 1/1/2005)	Correspondence	1.0
Water Treatment (Version 1/1/2005)	Correspondence	1.0
Waterborne Disease and Identification (2006)	Correspondence	4.0
Water Environment Federation 601 Wythe Street Alexandria, VA 22314-1994		Phone: 1-800-666-0206 or 703-684-2452 FAX: 703-684-2492 Web: www.wef.org
Course Title	Course Format	CEU Approved
Pumps – Operation & Maintenance	CD-ROM	2.0