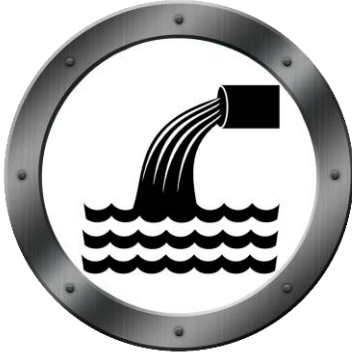


Wastewater Treatment Operator Certification

For U.S. veterans and active duty military with experience in the conveyance of, and/or the treatment of wastewater.



Wastewater System Types:

- Collection Systems (conveyance of wastewater to treatment)
- Wastewater Treatment Systems
 - Lagoons/Constructed Wetlands/Septic Tanks
 - Fixed Growth/Activated Sludge

[Wastewater Treatment Operator Rules & Classifications](#)

If you meet the criteria above, you may [apply](#) to sit for the state certification exam at the level determined appropriate by the WPCSOCC. Be sure to provide all documentation required by the exam date's postmark deadline.

FAQ's:

What credentials do I receive when I pass the state exam?

A state certificate, a wallet card showing the level of certification attained and access to the operator portal. Certified operators are also listed on the Operator Certification website.

Once I'm a certified operator, how do I maintain my certificate?

As a NC certified operator, you will be required to renew your certification annually, each year following the year of initial certification.

Annual requirements for renewal:

- Complete six hours of approved continuing education, and
- Pay \$50.00 annual renewal fee

Are approved training schools required for promotion to the next level of certification?

It depends: If you are approved at the highest level of certification → N/A

If you are approved for certification by exam < highest level certification → Yes

[Approved Wastewater Training Schools](#)