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Annual Renewal Training

All ODEQ operator and laboratory licenses expire on June 30th every year. In order to renew your DEQ certification(s) **you must have acquired at least four hours of DEQ approved training** between July 1st and June 30th. The purpose of continuing education, or “refresher” training, is to improve the operator’s knowledge and skills making him or her more desirable to current or prospective employers, as well as being a way to stay abreast of any changes or new developments in the industry.

Refresher training should be considered as an investment in yourself. The refresher training that you take should benefit you by providing new knowledge and skills that will make you a more valuable asset to your organization. When employers are forced to make difficult cuts during tough times, they are going to keep those individuals who have invested in themselves.

Accurate Environmental Training Center refresher classes are designed to help operators better understand their water and wastewater treatment systems by allowing them to focus on specific areas of plant and laboratory operations, such as **sampling, biological processes and activated sludge, operator math, and laboratory Quality Assurance and Quality Control**. There’s no reason to spend half a day sitting through a class that is of little or no use to you. When it comes to choosing renewal training, make sure that the class you select is relevant to your job and provides useful information that will help make you a better operator and give you an edge over the operators that “just want to get their four hours.”

Accurate Environmental Training Center has refresher classes scheduled every Tuesday in Tulsa and every Thursday in Stillwater throughout the month of June. There are morning and afternoon sessions available to make scheduling your training more convenient. Operators need to have completed their refresher training by the end of June and submit all required documentation and fees in order to avoid late charges or lapse in certification. If you have any questions about your renewal requirements, or for assistance in selecting a class, **contact Jeff Clarke at Accurate Environmental Training Center at (800) 516- LABS or email jeff@accuratelabs.com**.



STILLWATER CLASSES

MAY

01 Open Exam Session #12411
05 – 07 "D" Water & Wastewater Oper
11 – 12 "C" Wastewater Operator
18 – 21 "C" Water Laboratory

JUNE

04 (pm) Operator Math
11 (am/pm) DW Sampling / WW Sampling
18 (am) Biological Processes
25 (pm) QA and QC

TULSA CLASSES

MAY

08 Open Exam Session #12412
13 – 14 "C" Water Operator
19 – 21 "D" Water & Wastewater Oper

JUNE

02 (pm) Biological Processes
09 (am) QA and QC
16 (pm) Operator Math
23 (am/pm) WW Sampling / DW Sampling

For more a more complete class listing or to view class descriptions, register for classes online, or download ODEQ exam applications, visit www accuratelabs.com/trainingcenter.php .

Custom Renewal Training Classes

Accurate Environmental Training Center provides custom training classes designed to fit the needs of your system. Training can be done on-site or in the classroom, and the training hours may be used to meet DEQ's annual license renewal training requirements. The purpose of renewal training is to expand the operator's knowledge, providing him with the tools necessary to perform his job more effectively. What better way to do this than to have classes designed specifically for your treatment plant or laboratory operations. Accurate Training Center works with the client to develop a class that covers the specific topics and information that will be beneficial to the operators and the system as a whole. Why waste 4 hours of your valuable time setting through training that does pertain to you or your system when you could spend that same 4 hours developing a more in-depth understanding of the water or wastewater system that you work with on a daily basis? Contact Accurate Training Center for more information about custom training classes.

Questions, comments, or suggestions? If you have a question or comment about something you've seen in our newsletter, or if you have suggestions about topics you would like to read about in future newsletters we would like to hear from you. Email your comments or suggestions to jeff@accuratelabs.com .

Accurate Environmental is one of the nation's most unique and comprehensive environmental service providers. They not only operate the largest commercial environmental lab in Oklahoma and state-of-the-art operator and laboratory training centers, but also provide laboratory supply sales, field and sampling services with weekly sample pick-up routes, as well as environmental and engineering services.

Accurate Labs is comprised of three full-service laboratories, including our headquarters in Stillwater and two additional labs in Tulsa and Oklahoma City. They provide analytical services for drinking water, wastewater, groundwater, soil, sediment, sludge, and hazardous waste. Accurate Labs is nationally certified through The NELAC Institute, and the only commercial lab in Oklahoma that is fully certified for drinking water analysis.

Accurate Environmental Training Center (AETC) is an award winning training center offering operator and laboratory certification and renewal classes at their classrooms in Stillwater and Tulsa. Using multiple instructors for each class, and various teaching methods, such as pie charts and standard formulas for math, AETC is able to tailor training to meet the needs of each individual student.

Accurate Laboratory Supplies (ALS) is an authorized Hach dealer that can save you valuable time and money on all your laboratory supplies, chemicals, and equipment needs with one simple phone call. ALS even offers FREE DELIVERY to clients along their routine sample pick-up routes.

Accurate Field Services, with a team of well-trained field service technicians, provides field and sampling services throughout the state for drinking water, wastewater, soil, sludge, and hazardous waste. Accurate Field Services also has weekly sample pick-up routes to provide their clients with a fast, economical, and safer way to get samples to Accurate Labs for analysis.

Accurate Engineering Services (AES) provides expert technical assistance related to municipal and industrial water, wastewater, solid wastes and biosolids, industrial pretreatment, and environmental site assessments. AES is here to help your system meet EPA and DEQ rules and regulations, improve operation performance, and reduce operating costs.