

# Wastewater Operator Certification Training Program For Summer 2026 Exam - Venango County

Treatment professionals epitomize a public health official. They are committed to eliminating and preventing harm from materializing while producing and distributing safe drinking water to millions of Americans. In Pennsylvania, a person may not independently make a process control decision at a wastewater system unless that person is Board-certified. To meet certification requirements, applicants must pass the appropriate examinations, meet minimum education requirements, and meet experience requirements.

The PRWA Wastewater Professionals Certification Training Program provides training and guidance to assist operators in gaining the knowledge and skills necessary to not only achieve certification, but to also understand the responsibility of being a Wastewater Treatment Professional.

Participants will be expected to attend all 12 days of training, complete all homework and take two examinations (prior to the DEP certification examination) through the training program.

	Class Date	Focus	
Day 1	Tuesday, April 7, 2026	The Wastewater Operator	
Day 2	Tuesday, April 14, 2026	Introduction to Wastewater Treatment	
Day 3	Tuesday, April 21, 2026	Lab and Plant Safety	
Day 4	Tuesday, April 28, 2026	Hydraulics, Pumps & Bearings	
Day 5	Tuesday, May 5, 2026	Maintenance, Aeration & System Management	
Day 6	Tuesday, May 12, 2026	Test/Review	
Day 7	Tuesday, May 19, 2026	Activated Sludge - Part I	
Day 8	Tuesday, May 26, 2026	Activated Sludge - Part II	
Day 9	Tuesday, June 2, 2026	Fixed Film	
Day 10	Tuesday, June 16, 2026	Treatment Ponds & Lagoons	
Day 11	Tuesday, June 23, 2026	Collection Systems	
Day 12	Tuesday, July 7, 2026	Test / Review	
Day 13	Summer DEP Certification Exam	◆ ** Exam Date & Location TO BE ANNOUNCED	
• Certification exams are not confirmed until after January 1, 2026 by DEP.			
CLASS SPACE IS LIMITED!			

#### **Class Location:**

Wildcat Mansion 4849 US-322 Franklin, PA 16323

Time:

7:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Cost:

FREE for all 12 classes

Participants that complete

<u>ALL 12 classes</u> will be <u>offered</u> a seat at the exam (on day 13)\*\*.

\*\*Additional registration & fee is required for admittance to the DEP Certification Exam

#### The course includes:

Lesson Handouts Review Materials Homework Tests

 $\label{lem:registration} \textbf{Return completed registration form to:}$ 

PRWA, 138 West Bishop St., Bellefonte, PA 16823 | Fax: (814) 353-9341 | Email: Training@prwa.com | Text: (914) 800-0958

Your registration is confirmed unless you are contacted by the PRWA office.

## **Wastewater Operator**

### Certification Training Program - Franklin, PA

In preparation for the 2026 Summer Certification Exam in Venango County

Attendee Name:		Attendee Email:
System/Co:		Cell Phone:
Address:		Fax:
City:	State: Zip	o: PA-DEP Client ID #: