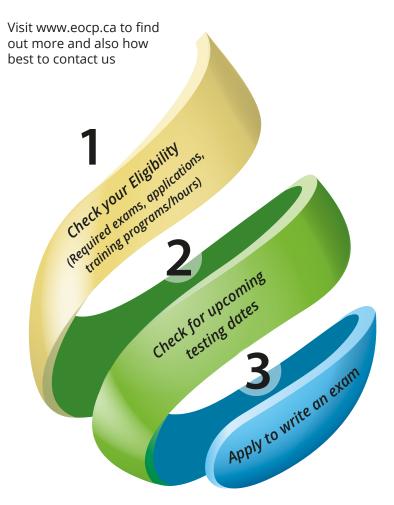
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Environmental Operator Certification is offered at a provincial level, and provides an Operator with the ability to work in other provinces due to a reciprocity agreement

CERTIFICATION LEVELS

Operator-in-Training

- Grade 12 or equivalent PLUS
- 3 months operating experience at Class I facility, OR
- completion of 90 hours (9.0 Continuing Education Units (CEUs)) in an approved basic Operator training course

Operator Level I

- Grade 12 or equivalent PLUS
- 1 year operating experience at Class I facility

Operator Level II*

- Operator Level I Certificate PLUS
- 3 years operating experience at a Class I facility

Operator Level III*

- Operator Level II Certificate PLUS
- 2 years related post-secondary or 90 CEUs PLUS
- 4 years operating experience at a Class II facility including 2 years DRC at a Class II facility

Operator Level IV*

- Operator Level III Certificate PLUS
- 4 years related post-secondary or 180 CEUs PLUS
- 4 years operating experience at a Class III facility including 2 years DRC at a Class III facility
- * Training and/or education may be substituted for operating and DRC experience as specified in the Program Guide
- ** For Multi-Utility certification please contact the EOCP



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