## Requirements for a Wastewater Treatment License

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| **Wastewater A** | • Activated Sludge or Wastewater Treatment  
  • Wastewater Collection  
  • Wastewater Laboratory  
  • Water Utility Management  
  • Water Utility Safety  
  plus one elective course | • Intermediate Wastewater Laboratory  
  • Water Utility Calculations  
  • Wastewater Technology  
  • Advanced Management | • Master’s Degree & 4 years  
  • Bachelor’s Degree & 5 years  
  • High School or General Equivalency Diploma (GED) & 8 years |
| **Wastewater B** | • Activated Sludge or Wastewater Treatment  
  • Wastewater Collection  
  • Wastewater Laboratory  
  • Water Utility Safety  
  plus one elective course | • Intermediate Wastewater Laboratory  
  • Water Utility Calculations  
  • Water Utility Management | • Bachelor’s Degree with 2.5 years of experience  
  • High School or GED with five years of experience |
| **Wastewater C** | • Basic Wastewater Operation  
  • Activated Sludge or Wastewater Treatment  
  plus one elective course | • Wastewater Collection  
  • Wastewater Laboratory  
  • Water Utility Calculations  
  • Water Utility Safety | • High School or GED with two years of experience |
| **Wastewater D** | • Basic Wastewater Operation  
  • None | | • High School or GED with no experience |

Visit the TCEQ Occupational Licensing webpage for specific information regarding education and work experience as well as the latest requirements for wastewater treatment licenses: [http://www.tceq.state.tx.us.licensing](http://www.tceq.state.tx.us.licensing).

All TCEQ occupational licenses require an individual to pass the applicable TCEQ exam to obtain a license (minimum score of 70 percent).

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