



Workshop #	WW200
Workshop Name	Collection Systems
Summary	The workshop covers basic collection system appurtenances, types of collection systems, inspection techniques, different types of collection system problems and solutions, lift stations, smoke testing, safety and math. It gives an overview of these topics.
KDHE/ABC Credits/Points	10 hours/0.25 points
Target Audience	A basic collection system course– for collection systems and treatment plant operators, their supervisors, and those who maintain collection systems.
Other similar workshops/classes	WW201 (Collection Systems Certification Exam Prep. workshop), WW210 (Lift Stations workshop) and the long-term Wastewater Collection Systems class (LT200).

Workshop Description

The state of Kansas does not require Collection Systems Operators to be certified. However, many municipalities are requiring, or at least highly encouraging their Collection System Operators to obtain certification. Even if your employer does not require it, it is a good idea to get training and knowledge in the Collection System field.

This workshop is for those operators who want to learn the basics of collections systems. The workshop will cover topics such as Basic Terminology; Purpose, Components and Design; Street Safety; Confined Space Safety; Manhole Inspection; CCTV Inspection; Smoke Testing, and more.



Be sure to bring a pencil/pen and a calculator, as we will also be doing collection system math. This workshop will help you prepare for Collection System Certification.

Also, be on the watch for a long-term Collection System class coming to a collection system

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near you! Ask the Instructor for more info, or see the WWWATER website.

NOTE: KDHE does not certify collection systems operators, nor do they give exams for collection systems. The Collection Systems Certification is a voluntary certification which is given by the ABC (*Association of Boards of Certification*), which also certifies water distribution, lab, biosolids and maintenance personnel. Although the test is not mandatory, many municipalities and organizations require it for employment and/or wage increases.

Some Testimonials from Students:

- Learned about new techniques that I never knew even existed!
- As always, I learn a lot from Dale. I am looking forward to attending the long-term collection systems class.
- Thank you for this workshop. I learned a lot of valuable information.
- I think I can take and pass my collection system certification exam now.

How to register

1. Follow the link below to go to the Workshop page on the website, or use any app that can read QR codes and scan the QR code below.
 - Be sure to read all information—especially the information in **red**—before proceeding.
2. Click on the link of the appropriate Workshop Title. This takes you to the "At A Glance" page for your chosen workshop.
3. Next, double-check the information (like the workshop title, date and location of the workshop) to be sure you have chosen the correct one.
4. Then click on the appropriate link to register and pay

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