

Suggested Collection System Exam References

The following are approved as reference sources for the collection examinations. Operators should use the latest edition of these reference sources to prepare for the exam.

Textbooks

California State University, Sacramento (CSUS) Foundation, Office of Water Programs (www.owp.csus.edu)

- Operation of Wastewater Treatment Plants, Volume I and II
- Operation and Maintenance of Wastewater Collection Systems, Volume I and II
- Manage for Success

Water Environment Federation (www.wef.org)

- Operation of Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plants - Manual of Practice No. 11
- Existing Sewer Evaluation and Rehabilitation - Manual of Practice FD-6
- Wastewater Collection Systems Management - Manual of Practice No. 7

Regulations

- Code of Federal Regulations, Title 40 (www.gpo.gov).
- Design Criteria for Sewage Works, State of Tennessee, Department of Health and Environment, Division of Water Resources, Nashville, Latest Revision.
- Rules Governing Water and Wastewater Operator Certification, State of Tennessee, Department of Environment and Conservation, Board of Certification for Water and Wastewater Operators, Nashville, TN, Chapter 400-49-01. Latest Revision
- State of Tennessee Cross-Connection Control Manual, State of Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, Division of Water Resources, Latest Revision
- Water and Wastewater Operator Certification Act, T.C.A. Section 68-221-901. - Section 68-221-915.

Study Guides

- WEF/ABC Collection Systems Operator's Guide to Preparing for the Certification Examination, Water Environment Federation, (www.wef.org).
- Applied Math for Wastewater Plant Operators, Price, Joanne. 2000. Boca Raton, FL: CRC Press (www.crcpress.com).