Suggested Water Treatment Exam References

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

Textbooks

American Water Works Association (AWWA)  Web site: www.awwa.org

Principles and Practices of Water Supply Operations Series:

- Water Sources
- Water Treatment
- Water Transmission and Distribution
- Water Quality
- Basic Science Concepts and Applications

Other AWWA References:

- Water Quality and Treatment
- Water System Security, A Field Guide

Association of State Drinking Water Administrators (ASDWA) and National Rural Water Association (NRWA)  Web site: www.asdwa.org (available online in PDF format; Security Vulnerability Self-Assessment Guide for Small Drinking Water Systems

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

- Water Treatment Plant Operation, Volumes I and II
- Manage for Success

Regulations

- Code of Federal Regulations, Title 40, Part 141 (www.gpo.gov)
- Water and Wastewater Operator Certification Act, T.C.A. Section 68-221-905 - 68-221-915.

Study Guides