

Swimming Pool Course Certificates Approved in Alberta

A pool operator is an individual who operates and maintains a public pool on a day-to-day basis and meets the qualifications set out in the Pool Standards, July 2014 (amended January 2018).

Alberta Health has identified core elements and learning objectives that pool operation courses must have to provide training to people who want to acquire pool operator qualifications.

The Minister of Health has approved two pool operator courses that meet the requirements set out by Alberta Health:

OPTION 1

Certified Pool Operator certification course by the National Swimming Pool Foundation

- Offered by **Alberta Health Services**. For more information and class schedules please [click here](#) or copy and paste the following web address into your internet browser: <http://www.booking.ca/bkahsephpub/courses/index.asp>
- This course may also be offered by other independent trainers in the province of Alberta. Visit <http://www.nspf.org/en/home.aspx> for course schedules.

OPTION 2

Swimming Pool Operator Level 1 (Certified)

- Offered by **Alberta Association of Recreation Facility Personnel**.
Visit <http://www.aarfp.com/> for course schedules.

Contact your nearest Environmental Public Health office (listed below) to confirm if a course meets the requirement for pool operator qualifications in Alberta.

For more information, call your local public health inspector.

Edmonton Main Office	780-735-1800	Grande Prairie Main Office	780-513-7517
Calgary Main Office	403-943-2288	Red Deer Main Office	403-356-6366
Lethbridge Main Office	403-388-6689	www.ahs.ca/eph	

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