Operator Competence Scheme

WAMITAB Level 4 Medium Risk Operator Competence for Physical Treatment

About this qualification

This qualification is part of the CIWM/WAMITAB Operator Competence Scheme and is designed to provide technically competent people with the knowledge and skills to ensure waste sites comply with either:

- Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations
- The Waste Management Licensing (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2015

Achievement of this qualification demonstrates competence by the learner to manage permitted waste facilities in England, Wales and Northern Ireland for the following site activities:

- WEEE ATF – physical treatment
- Treatment of asphalt waste containing coal tar
- End of Life Vehicle facilities (vehicle storage, depollution and dismantling)

Who is it for?

- Technically competent managers (TCM)
- Consultants
- Site managers and supervisors
- Standard Rules: SR2008No20, SR2015No13, SR2011No3, SR2015No17, SR2012No14, SR2015No18, SR2008No23, SR2015No3, SR2015No15 (England and Wales) and SR2017No2 (Wales only).

What are the entry requirements of this qualification?

This qualification is open entry. This means that learners interested in undertaking the WAMITAB Level 4 Medium Risk Operator Competence for Physical Treatment do not require any other qualifications or levels of attainment. However, learners will need to be employed in a suitable position, or have access to the working environment, as the qualification is assessed 'on the job'.

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What does this qualification cover?

To achieve this qualification, learners will need to complete the six mandatory units:

- Maintain health and safety in the waste and resource management industry (OCS01)
- Manage the environmental impact of work activities (OCS02)
- Manage the movement, sorting and storage of waste (OCS05)
- Manage the reception of hazardous waste (OCS11)
- Manage transfer and disposal from hazardous waste treatment and recovery operations (OCS19)
- Manage site operations for the treatment of hazardous waste (OCS27)

What job role could this qualification lead to or support?

This qualification is ideal for new or experienced people managing waste and resource management operations that require evidence of their competence, knowledge and skills to ensure waste sites comply with the relevant legislation in England, Wales or Northern Ireland.

What next?

Once you have achieved your Operator Competence qualification, you will be required to pass a Continuing Competence assessment every two years if you wish to act as the recognised technically competent manager (TCM) on a waste site. All TCM's must be able to demonstrate that they have kept their knowledge and skills up to date. (Please note: in Northern Ireland specific Continuing Competence arrangements have still to be determined).

General Information

Guided Learning Hours: 54* *this is the amount of time the average learner is expected to spend in supervised learning and practice, but may vary by learner

Total Qualification Time: 143* *this is the guided learning hours, plus the amount of time the average learner will spend in unsupervised practice and study, but may vary by learner

Ofqual Number: 601/8531/4

WAMITAB Code: MROC2

Assessment: Portfolio of evidence

Available in the following countries: England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales

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Mandatory Units

Ofqual Code	Title	Level	Code
A/508/0756	Maintain health and safety in the waste and resource management industry	4	OCS01
F/508/0757	Manage the environmental impact of work activities	4	OCS02
F/508/0760	Manage the movement, sorting and storage of waste	4	OCS05
F/508/0886	Manage the reception of hazardous waste	4	OCS11
M/508/0978	Manage transfer and disposal from hazardous waste treatment and recovery operations	4	OCS19
H/508/0993	Manage site operations for the treatment of hazardous waste	4	OCS27

Hierarchy

The following qualifications are applicable to this activity:

Current:

- WAMITAB Level 4 Medium Risk Operator Competence for Physical Treatment (MROC2)
- WAMITAB Level 4 High Risk Operator Competence for Managing Physical and Chemical Treatment of Hazardous Waste (HROC6)

Previous (covering ELV and WEEE ATF):

- 4MTHWE6, 4MTMPA6 and 4MTELV6 Level 4 units: WM1a, WM2, HSS3, MSCE9, WM7a and WM4a
- 4MTWATF6 (WEEE specific)
- 4TMELV6
- Level 4 Diploma in Waste Management Operations: Managing Physical and Chemical Treatment, Hazardous Waste (4MPTH)
- Waste Management Operations – Managing Treatment Hazardous waste (Level 4) 4TMH
- Managing Treatment Operations: Clinical or Special Waste (Level 4) TMS4
- Managing treatment operations: special waste (level IV) T4-A

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