Safety Recreation Facility Operator Certifications



Program Overview

Alberta Recreation Facility Personnel (AARFP) and Alberta Municipal Health and Safety Association (AMHSA) have partnered to offer four educational certification opportunities and technical skills related to the operation of recreation facilities. The four distinct certification programs include: Arena Safety Operator, Aquatics Safety Operator, Building Maintenance Safety Operator, and Parks and Sport Fields Safety Operator.

What are the benefits?

- Enhance your skills and knowledge as a safety operator.
- Assists in professional development plans for your staff.
- Establishes an educational standard in which recreation facility employers use as a basis for hiring.



Arena Safety Operator

Students will learn a variety of tasks related to arena operations (making, marking, painting, and maintenance of artificial ice surfaces and refrigeration theory). AMHSA's core and elective courses will round out this training with a focus on health and safety and legislative requirements.



Building Maintenance Safety Operator

Students will learn a variety of tasks to maintain and troubleshoot their facility components (HVAC, carpentry, electrical, plumbing, control systems, and fire suppression systems). AMHSA's core and elective courses will round out this training with a focus on health and safety and legislative requirements.



Aquatics Safety Operator

Students will learn a variety of tasks related to swimming pool operations (water circulation/filtration, basic chlorine and salt water chemistry, water balance, pool diseases and water testing). AMHSA's core and elective courses will round out this training with a focus on health and safety and legislative requirements.



Parks and Sport Fields Safety Operator

Students will learn a variety of tasks related to maintenance of sport fields and parks (equipment, plant beds, soil tests, weed control, turf diseases, pruning, composting, irrigation, grass greens, tea boxes). AMHSA's core and elective courses will round out this training with a focus on health and safety and legislative requirements.

Safety Operator Certification Courses

To register for one of these certifications:

- 1. Complete all required courses.
- 2. To enroll in one of the certification programs, contact **safety@amhsa.net** and advise which program you are interested in enrolling. Upon enrollment, you will be automatically updated monthly as to the status of your program.

Certification Courses	Core RFP To registration for Core RFP courses visit www.aarfp.com	Core AMHSA courses Online unless otherwise specified. Register at www.amhsa.net	Electives Choice of 4 electives Register at www.amhsa.net
Arena Safety Operator	Arena Operator Level 1 Arena Operator Level 2 Arena Maintenance	Fire Extinguisher Use Leadership for Safety Excellence *OHS Regulation WHMIS 2015 Workplace Harassment and Violence Training Emerging Leaders Fit for Duty - the Basics Behaviour-Based Safety	Preventing Back Injury Slips, Trips and Falls Walking on Icy Surfaces Working Alone Daily Pre-trip Inspections Driver Fatigue Eye Safety Hand, Wrist, and Finger Safety
Aquatics Safety Operator	Swimming Pool Operator Level 1 Swimming Pool Operator Level 2	Fire Extinguisher Use Leadership for Safety Excellence *OHS Regulation WHMIS 2015 Workplace Harassment and Violence Training Emerging Leaders Fit for Duty - the Basics Behaviour-Based Safety	Bloodborne Pathogens Chlorine Safety Pool Safety Working Alone Eye Safety Hand, Wrist, and Finger Safety Slips, Trips and Falls
Building Maintenance Safety Operator	Building Maintenance Level 1 Building Maintenance Level 2	Fire Extinguisher Use Leadership for Safety Excellence *OHS Regulation WHMIS 2015 Workplace Harassment and Violence Training Emerging Leaders Fit for Duty - the Basics Behaviour-Based Safety	Absetos Awareness Confined Space Fall Protection Working Alone Daily Pre-Trip Inspections Driver Fatigue Hand, Wrist, and Finger Safety Slips, Trips and Falls Hand and Power Tools for Construction
Parks and Sport Fields Safety Operator	Parks and Sport Fields Operator Level 1 Parks and Sport Fields Operator Level 2	Fire Extinguisher Use Leadership for Safety Excellence *OHS Regulation WHMIS 2015 Workplace Harassment and Violence Training Emerging Leaders Fit for Duty - the Basics Behaviour-Based Safety * All above are online with AMHSA except OHS Act, Regulation, and Code Overview which is offered a half day classroom webinar.	Backing Safety Cargo Securement Fall Protection Working Alone Daily Pre-Trip Inspections Driver Fatigue Eye Safety Hand, Wrist, and Finger Safety Slips, Trips and Falls Hand and Power Tools for Construction

For more information on other courses offered by AMHSA and the RFP visit us at www.amhsa.net and www.aarfp.com.





