

Water Treatment Careers

Requires job opening and civil service testing

Achieved through meeting job standards

4.5 YEARS
MIN. EXPERIENCE WITH
B.S. DEGREE

Superintendent of Water Treatment/Distribution (Treatment)
\$165,960 min. – \$192,108 max.

EDUCATION:
B.S. or B.A. college degree

CERTIFICATION/LICENSE:
Valid CA Class C driver's license and a T5 Certificate (Under Review)

EXPERIENCE:
Three years supervising the operation and maintenance of treatment facilities of the size, number and complexity approximating those of the District

Alternative: Three years of engineering experience comparable to the District's Associate Engineer, designing and performing operational or process control studies and preparing technical reports for water treatment facilities including significant technical, administrative, and supervisory responsibilities

Water Treatment Supervisor
\$143,160 min. – \$165,732 max.

EDUCATION:
High School graduation

CERTIFICATION/LICENSE:
Valid CA Class C driver's license and a T3 Certificate — Must obtain a T4 Certificate and a T5 Certificate within 24 months and 36 months respectively

EXPERIENCE:
One year as a Senior Water Treatment Operator with the District

Alternative: Four years of certified water treatment operator, one year of which must have been as a T3 certified shift operator at a T3 or higher rate facility

Education Substitution for Experience: AA in water or wastewater technology with 15 units of physical, chemical, or biological sciences for one year. B.S. or M.S. and completion of a State recognized operator training program for one year of T3 operator experience. B.S. or M.S. in engineering, physical, chemical, or biological sciences may be substituted for 1.5 or two years of certified operator experience

6 MONTHS
MIN. EXPERIENCE WITH
B.S. DEGREE

Senior Water Treatment Operator
\$123,396 min. – \$136,044 max.

EDUCATION:
High School graduation

CERTIFICATION/LICENSE:
Valid CA Class C driver's license and a T3 Certificate

EXPERIENCE:
30 months of District experience in water treatment plant operation, six months of which was a T3 certified operator

Alternative: Three years of water treatment plant operation, six months of which must have been as a T3 certified operator at a T3 or higher rated facility

Education Substitution for Experience: AA in water or wastewater technology with 15 units of physical, chemical, or biological sciences for one year. B.S. or M.S. and completion of a State recognized operator training program for one year. B.S. or M.S. in chemistry, biology, microbiology, public health, civil, chemical, environmental, or sanitary engineering or other State Department of Public Health acceptable major for two years

Water Treatment Operator
\$101,196 min. – \$111,576 max.

EDUCATION:
High School graduation

CERTIFICATION/LICENSE:
Valid CA Class C driver's license and a T2 certificate — Must obtain a T3 Certificate from California Department of Public Health within two years of appointment and meet the requirements of a Senior Water Treatment Operator within three years of appointment

EXPERIENCE:
Two years as a Water Treatment Operator Trainee with the District

Alternative: Two years of water treatment operation

Education Substitution for Experience: AA in water or wastewater technology with 15 units of physical, chemical, or biological sciences for one year. B.S. or M.S. and completion of a State recognized operator training program for one year. B.S. or M.S. in chemistry, biology, microbiology, public health, civil, chemical, environmental, or sanitary engineering or other State Department of Public Health acceptable major for two years

Water Treatment Operator Trainee
\$83,100 min. – \$91,620 max.

EDUCATION:
High School graduation

CERTIFICATION/LICENSE:
Valid CA Class C driver's License and obtain a T2 (Treatment Operator) certificate from California Department of Public Health within 12 months of hire — Obtain T3 within three years of hire

EXPERIENCE:
None