

Local 26 Educational Development Trust

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First Aid/CPR

This class will certify individuals for a two (2) year period, please remember all instructors and foremen are required to have a current CPR card. * This course provides (4) hours of industry related plumbing (IRP) training thru WA State Plumbing Continuing Education.

*There must be a minimum of 10 people to run a First Aid/CPR class. Please sign up ahead of time to allow the training staff to prepare the course.

<p>Location: WSPT—Bremerton</p> <p>Tuesday 5:30pm to 9:30pm March 5th</p>	<p>Location: NWWPT—Burlington</p> <p>Saturday 8:00am-4:00pm March 23rd</p>	<p>Location: SWWPT—Lacey</p> <p>Saturday 9am-1pm March 30th</p>
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Plumber's Continuing Education

2015 UPC Refresher

The participants will be able to analyze and interpret any change added to the current 2015 UPC Plumbing Code including Washington State Amendments. This course provides a complete synopsis of major code changes and furnishes the participants with an overview of what is new in the latest plumbing code requirements. **This class provides 12 hours of Code Update credits (8-hrs Code & 4-hrs IRP) with the State of Washington Plumber Continuing Education.**

Books are available for \$100 at our training departments.

Location: NWWPT—Burlington

Saturdays
8:00 AM - 2:00 PM
April 6th & 13th

Location: SWWPT—Lacey

Tuesday/Thursday
6:00 PM -10:00 PM
February 19th, 21st & 26th
April 16th, 18th & 23rd
June 18th, 20th & 25th

Location: SWWPT—Longview

Tuesday/Thursday
6:00 PM -10:00 PM
Dates TBD

Books may be limited. Please call (360) 486-9400 to ensure availability.

2015 Code Update

Location: WSPT—Bremerton

Tuesday & Thursday
5:30—9:30 PM
March 12th & 14th

The participants will be able to analyze and interpret the changes added to the current 2015 UPC Plumbing Code including Washington State Amendments. This course provides a complete synopsis of major code changes and furnishes the participants with an overview of what is new in the latest plumbing code requirements. **This class provides (8) hours of Code Update credits with the State of Washington Plumber Continuing Education Courses.**

Water Systems

Location: NWWPT—Burlington

Saturdays
8:00 AM – 2:00 PM
February 2nd & 9th
June 1st & 8th

This 12 hour class will train individuals in water system installations and how these systems apply to the 2015 UPC. ***This course provides 12 hours of plumbing code (CODE) for WA. State Plumber Continuing Education.**

Electrical Safety 2016

These courses will provide electrical safety training for our members with emphasis on the plumber in the commercial and residential service industry. ***These classes provide (4) hours of industry related electrical (IRE) training thru WA State Plumber Continuing Education.**

Location: NWWPT—Burlington

Wednesday
6:00 PM -10:00 PM
February 13th
April 10th
June 12th

Location: SWWPT—Lacey

Thursday
6:00 PM – 10:00 PM
February 28th
April 25th
June 27th

Location: SWWPT—Longview

Tuesday
6:00 PM – 10:00 PM
Dates TBD

Location: WSPT—Bremerton

Thursday
5:30—9:30 PM
March 7th

Remember: The First Aid classes also provide 4 hours of Industry Related Plumbing continuing education credit to support the plumbing licensing renewal requirement. Please read the class description carefully.

UA Rigging

UA Rigging Certification

Location: NWWPT—Burlington

Saturdays
8:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Dates TBD

You must be present for **ALL DAYS** of this course.

There must be a minimum of 8 participants to hold the class. Each participant must have the *IPT Crane & Rigging Handbook* prior to the beginning of the class. The book may be purchased at the Burlington Training Facility for \$20.

Rigging/Signaling Certification

Location: SWWPT—Lacey

Mondays/Wednesdays 6:00PM—9 :00PM

Signaling: March 20th thru 27th **Test on Saturday** March 30th

Rigging: April 1st thru May 8th

UA Rigging Re-certification

Location: NWWPT—Burlington
Saturdays 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Dates TBD

You must be present for **ALL DAYS** of this course.

UA Rigging Certification

Location: SWWPT—Longview
Monday/Wednesday 6:00 PM – 9:00 PM
March 20th thru May 8th

You must be present for **ALL DAYS** of this course.

Medical Gas Refresher

This 4-8 hour class will review procedures and requirements needed to install a Medical Gas System based on the 2018 code. The participants will need to purchase a copy of NFPA 99 at a cost of \$75.00, available at the Training Facility. **This class provides eight (8) hours of Code Update credits with the State of Washington Plumber Continuing Education Courses. Bring Plumber's Licenses to verify card number to receive proper credit.**

Location: SWWPT—Lacey
Refresher Course
Tuesday/Thursday
 6:00-10:00 PM
 March 5th, 7th, 12th

Location: WSPT—Bremerton
Refresher Course
Tuesday
 5:30—9:30 PM
 March 19th
Deadline to sign up is February 18th
 Minimum participation required to hold class. Please call the office for availability

Medical Gas Continuity

***There must be a minimum of 3 people signed up to run any course.**
Please sign up ahead of time to allow us to prepare the course.

To keep your Medical Gas Card current and at no cost, a brazing procedure must be performed and documented every 6 months. The Med-Gas Braze can be documented by either a continuity filled out by the contractor you are working for or by performing a braze continuity at the training center. **CHECK YOUR EXPIRATION DATES!!!!**

<p>Location: NWWPT—Burlington</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1st Thursday of the Month 4:30 PM - 7:30 PM January 3rd February 7th March 7th April 4th May 2nd June 6th</p> <p style="text-align: center;">*Excluding July*</p>	<p>Location: SWWPT—Lacey</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1st Thursday of the Month 4:00PM - 6:00 PM January 3rd February 7th March 7th April 4th May 2nd June 6th</p> <p style="text-align: center;">*Excluding July*</p>	<p>Location: WSPT—Bremerton</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1st Thursday of the Month 4:00PM - 6:00 PM January 3rd February 7th March 7th April 4th May 2nd June 6th</p> <p style="text-align: center;">*Excluding July*</p>
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Medical Gas FAQ

What is the difference between the NITC Certification and the Washington State Endorsement?

Washington State requires you to be endorsed on any job involving medical gas. In order to receive the WA State Endorsement, you need to have a valid card with NITC. Once you have the endorsement, the state is not concerned about the status of your NITC certification so you MAY let the NITC certification lapse and just maintain your state endorsement. L&I expects you to maintain your braze certification by completing continuities every 6 months. Every two years, when you renew with the state, you will be required to complete a Medical Gas Installer's Affidavit of Continuity; you may bring that in to one of our facilities to get it signed and notarized.

If you plan to travel to work in different locals, you may want to keep the NITC certification in the event those locals or jurisdictions require it.

I am trying to get my NITC medical gas certification for the first time. What happens if I fail the installer, or a portion of the braze?

There are 2 portions of the Medical Gas exam, the installer (a proctored, open book exam based on the 2015 code) and the brazer. You can pass one portion and fail the other. There are two parts of the brazer that you need to pass; the horizontal and vertical up flow portions. If you fail one part, you have up to 6 months to retake that portion only. If you go over 6 months, you need to retake BOTH portions of the braze exam.

If you fail the installer, you may retest at the next exam held at our training center, or at a PSI center. The 2015 book is available to purchase from our training offices for \$72.00.

My NITC Braze continuity lapsed, how do I renew it?

If you have not been brazing med gas every six months, you will need to take the NITC brazing recertification by performing a vertical up flow (\$50 fee). Since the recertification process requires a third party representative, they may only be performed during our scheduled weld test events. Contact the training office for test dates.

How do I renew the Installer portion of my license?

If you need to renew your installer, you must take a 4 hour refresher course as well as a proctored, open book exam based on the 2018 code. You have up to 30 days from your expiration date to take and pass the exam.

If you want to take the exam on your own time, you can set-up a date and time with NITC. You will need to follow the instructions for testing at a PSI center. Books are available to purchase from our training offices.

You tell me my NITC brazer or installer certification is about to expire but my card says I'm not.

There is a lot of confusion between the NITC and the Washington State Endorsement. The training office does **not** track state expiration dates, only NITC. You may bring your Medical Gas Installer's Affidavit of Continuity to the training center for a signature and to be notarized before submitting it to the state with your renewal fee.

When renewing my braze continuity, does my new expiration start 6 months after my expiration date? Or 6 months after my most recent braze (date you enter on your continuity form)?

Your new expiration date will be 6 months from the date of your most recent braze. This is the date that you enter on your continuity form.

Welding Practice Sessions

***There must be a minimum of 3 people to run any course.
Please sign up by Wednesday to allow us to prepare the session.**

Location: NWWPT—Burlington

8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Saturdays (excluding holidays)

Please contact the NWWPT training center to ensure we have an instructor available.

Location: SWWPT—Lacey

8:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Second Saturday of Every Month (excluding holidays)

Jan. 12th, Feb. 9th, March 9th, April 13th, May 11th, & June 8th

***Please contact the SWWPT training center to ensure we have an instructor available.
There must be a minimum of 4 people signed up or practice is subject to cancellation.***

Location: SWWPT—Longview

8:00 AM - 2:00 PM

The Longview weld shop will be open on an as needed basis. Please contact the SWWPT training center to sign up.

Location: WSPT—Bremerton

9:00 AM—1:00 PM

Saturday (excluding holidays)

The weld shop will be open on an as needed basis. Please contact the WSPT training center to sign up.

United Association Weld Testing and Continuity

Medical Gas Continuities may be performed during these UA Weld Test Sessions

Additional weld test events may be arranged if there is enough of a demand.

Location: NWWPT BURLINGTON

Saturdays

8:00 AM – 3:00 PM

January 12th

March 2nd

May 4th

Location: WSPT BREMERTON

Date and Times are to be determined. Please
Contact WSPT training center to sign up.

Location: SWWPT LACEY

Saturdays

8:00 AM – 4:30 PM

February 16th

April 20th

June 15th

Location: SWWPT LONGVIEW

Saturdays

8:00 AM – 4:30 PM

March 16th

May 18th

PNW-RSO Training

We will begin transitioning to PNW-RSO cards in an effort to support work at Tesoro. At this time, the other refineries (Shell, Conoco-Phillips, and BP Oil) are accepting CSTOP and PNW RSO cards. The participants of this course will receive the PNW-RSO Safety card. This course is not approved with L&I for continuing education credit.

In order to hold the PNW-RSO class at one of our training centers we need to have 10 people sign up for the class. If we do not have 10 people signed up we can direct you to one of Integrity Safety's facilities to obtain the PNW-RSO card. Be sure and contact either the Lacey or Burlington training center to arrange to take the class at Integrity Safety's facility. The training department has an account with Integrity safety and we will pay for the PNW-RSO card for the members of UA Local 26. We need to know who requires this service.

Location: NWWPT—Burlington

Saturday
8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Due to a lack of participation RSO classes will be scheduled on an as needed basis.

Location: SWWPT—Lacey

Saturday
8:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Due to a lack of participation RSO classes will be scheduled on an as needed basis.

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OSHA 30

Location SWWSPT– Longview

Tuesday/Thursday
6:00 PM to 9:00 PM

February 12th thru March 19th

OSHA 30

Location WSPT– Bremerton

Monday/Wednesday
6:00 PM to 9:00 PM

Dates TBD

MCA Foreman

Location SWWPT—Lacey

Mondays/Wednesdays
6:00 PM to 9:00 PM

March 20th thru April 8th

Instrumentation Level 1 Certification

Location NWWPT—Burlington

Saturdays January 26th thru April 20th
8:00 AM to 3:00 PM
(15th Test and Recert only)

Mortgage/Financial Training

Location SWWPT—Lacey

Thursday

6:00PM to 7:30 PM

February 7th

Backflow Assembly Testing

Location SWWPT—Lacey

Monday/Wednesday

6:00 PM to 9:00 PM

February 11th thru March 18th

Robotic Total Station

Location SWWPT—Lacey

Mondays/Wednesdays

6:00 PM to 9:00 PM

April 10th thru May 8th

Pferd Abrasives

Location SWWPT—Lacey

Monday or Wednesday

6:00PM to 9:00 PM

January 14th

January 16th

Pferd Abrasives

Location SWWPT—Longview

Tuesday

6:00PM to 9:00 PM

January 15th

Useful Information:

Labor & Industries Phone Numbers:

Plumbing & Medical Gas Department (360) 902-5207

Electrical Department (360) 902-5269

These departments can address any concerns you may have with continuing education credits.

Please send **ALL** continuity paperwork and
any certifications to
certs@local26training.org

7725 NW Eldorado Blvd; Bremerton, WA 98312

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