## **ASSE Backflow Prevention Assembly Repairer Course**

April 9 - 11, 2024 (Tuesday - Thursday) \$825.00 Per Person

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Delaware Rural Water Association 210 Vickers Drive, Milford, DE 19963 E-mail: delawareruralwater@yahoo.com Phone: 302-424-3792 / Fax: 302-424-3790

# **Course Prerequisite: Current ASSE Tester Certification Is Required**

Plea	se indicate the State(s) that
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# **ASSE Backflow** Rural Water Association Presents: **Prevention Assembly** Repairer **Certification Tuesday - Thursday**

April 9 - 11, 2024

Delaware Rural Water Association is pleased to announce that it's training center has received recognition and accreditation from the American Society of Sanitary Engineering (ASSE), for Cross Connection



Control Certification, ASSE 5000 Standard. This nationally recognized ANSI® accreditation is designed to provide qualified students a national certification for obtaining a certified backflow assembly tester status not only in the State of Delaware, but throughout the United States.



Delaware



Location: DRWA Training Facility

210 Vickers Drive Milford, DE 19963

Cost: \$825.00 Per Person

8:00 am - 5:00 pm Daily Time:

Instructor: Nick Azmo

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#### **About DRWA**

#### **Mission Statement**

The mission of the Delaware Rural Water Association (DRWA) is to improve the quality of utility services for rural Delaware while protecting our natural resources.

To accomplish this mission and to protect the quality of life in rural Delaware, the Delaware Rural Water Association was incorporated in 1990 as a non-profit association. A volunteer Board of Directors that include water operators, town managers, and supervisors throughout the state of Delaware governs.

#### **Protecting the Public Health**

DRWA promotes public health protection for rural communities and small municipalities. The Association trains and assists rural and small community water professionals in their efforts to provide quality drinking water to their communities, neighbors, and families.

#### **Protecting the Environment**

DRWA promotes water conservation and protection through publications and public awareness campaigns. Information and research provided to government officials aid in the development of effective regulations. DRWA is an affiliate of the National Rural Water Association who operates what EPA officials call "the most successful groundwater protection program in the country".

### **Training**

Specialized training sessions provide water professionals with an opportunity to resolve problems by sharing ideas with state and federal agencies, engineers, contractors, manufacturers, suppliers, and other water system personnel. Training sessions cover a broad spectrum of needs. Subjects range from water treatment and federal water and wastewater regulations to financial management practices and operator certification. The training allows water professionals to upgrade their skill, improve the quality of their utility's service, and protect their community's health.

DRWA's Annual Technical Conference and Exhibition draws water and wastewater professionals, government officials, manufacturers, and suppliers together in one location, allowing them to participate in specialized training and the ability to learn about the latest trends in technology, government regulations, and system management techniques.

DRWA's On-Site Training Unit (OSTU) was developed in cooperation with the Office of Drinking Water and funded through an EPA grant. The unit has classroom space, resource materials, and industry equipment. DRWA has traveled around the state to operators who can't leave their systems to attend training. Hands-on training has been provided for water testing, meter testing, cross-connection, fluoridations, well security and more.



# **ASSE Backflow Prevention Assembly Repairer Certification**

Dates: April 9 - 11, 2024 (Tuesday-Thursday)

**Time:** 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Daily **Cost:** \$825.00 Per Person

Course Prerequisite: ASSE Tester Certification This three-day advanced course is for individuals currently holding ASSE Backflow Assembly Tester certification. Time is spent both in the classroom and the working lab. This advanced course provides the experienced tester with hands-on experience in the repair and maintenance of backflow assemblies from various manufacturers. The instructor will discuss advanced testing, trouble-shooting and safety procedures. Daily breaks are scheduled.

By the end of this course, participants should be able to perform the following:

- Analyze the cause for failure of a reduced pressure principle backflow prevention assembly
- Field test two different backflow prevention assemblies
- Disassemble different backflow prevention assemblies using knowledge of proper procedures and special tools while following manufacturer's instructions.
- Demonstrate safety procedures while repairing a backflow prevention assembly.
- Score a minimum of 70% correct answers on an exam.
- Successfully complete a practical performance exam consisting of disassembly and reassembly of at least 5 assemblies.

Individuals successfully completing the course will receive a certificate from ASSE.