

Introduction to Pool Operations (Unit Standard 20046)

The Introduction to Pool Operations course incorporates unit standard 20046 – Monitor public pool water quality and store pool water treatment chemicals and meets the training requirement for pool operators as outlined in the Pool Water Quality Standard NZS5826:2010.

This course is an introduction to pool operations and for swimming and spa pool operators. The course provides theory information on how to operate swimming and spa pools correctly and includes practical training on monitoring water quality.

What will I learn during the course?

- Compliance requirements for swimming & spa pools as outlined in NZS5826:2010 Pool Water Quality
- Understanding of the risks associated pool water quality and management processes
- Understanding of water quality requirements and corrective procedures
- How to test pool water quality
- Basic understanding of the operation and maintenance of pool treatment systems

This course is assessed via an open book 'In class Assessment' to be completed during the course. Learners are also required to apply their knowledge in the workplace through the completion of a 'Workplace Assessment'.

Special Notes:

There is no pre-requisite for this course, but participants must have access to a swimming pool to be able to complete the Workplace Assessments. All Workplace Assessments will have a required completion date, assessments submitted after this date may incur a late assessment fee.

Who should attend?

- This course is a good introduction for all swimming and spa pool operators and will be of value to:
- Aquatic facility staff, Lifeguards, operational staff
- School caretakers, Volunteers, Principals, BOT members
- Maintenance staff of hotels, motels, gyms, retirement villages
- Pool equipment suppliers, installers, and advisors