OPERATIONS CHALLENGE FACILITY TOUR & TRAINING DAY



Friday, March 31, 2023 • Holyoke WPCF, 1 Berkshire St, Holyoke, MA

Take a tour of Holyoke Water Pollution Control Facility and learn about Operations Challenge events: Collection Systems, Process Control, Laboratory, Safety and Maintenance. This event includes a facility tour, classroom and hands on practical experience.



The Holyoke Water Pollution Control Facility is located in Holyoke, Massachusetts and serves about 40,000 residents. The City of Holyoke has partnered with Veolia to provide complete water cycle solutions. The facility treats an average daily flow of 7 MGD (peak flow of 37.5 MGD), 40 miles of sewer pipeline, 77 miles of combined sewerage and storm water pipelines, 13 permitted CSO outfalls and 3 major interceptors. The abatement facility was the first of its kind on the Connecticut River and received the Distinguished Infrastructure Award in 2010 to recognize one of the country's most innovative and effective public-private partnerships in the field of environmental services.

Ops Challenge Teams - Polish your skills for the 2023 Joint NEWEA/NYWEA Competition this Spring!

Check with your state coordinator regarding availability of travel funds for the Operations Challenge Competition held at the Joint NEWEA/NYWEA Spring Meeting & Exhibit on June 6-9, 2023 in Saratoga Springs, NY

Date:	Friday, March 31, 2023
Time:	9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Cost:	\$10.00 Members/Non Members Complimentary for Ops Teams & Event Coordinators
Place:	Holyoke WPCF 1 Berkshire St Holyoke, MA 01040

REGISTER ONLINE: https:// www.newea.org/events/operationschallenge/

Registration Deadline: March 24, 2023

Registration includes: Facility tour, training (9:00AM - 3:00PM), handout materials, lunch and 4 hours of training (*TCHs to be announced).

Note: Attendees are required to wear clothing that is appropriate for an industrial environment. Closed-toes shoes, hard hat, safety glasses are mandatory.

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