



## **Water Treatment Technician**



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At Aqua, a subsidiary of Essential Utilities, Inc., we know that water is a precious resource – one that plays a critical role in sustaining life. That's why we take seriously our mission: protecting and providing Earth's most essential resource. At Aqua, we are guided by a set of principles that embody the character of our company and inspire our work together. They are embedded within our business practices and our behavior. We are proud to be united by integrity, respect and the pursuit of excellence to be the best we can be for the customers and communities we serve.

Together, the women and men of Aqua, a subsidiary of Essential Utilities, Inc. serve 1 million customers across eight states. Aqua uses science, technology, capital investments, and amazing talent to provide communities with clean, safe drinking water and responsibly return wastewater to our rivers and streams. Join our team and make a difference!

GENERAL FUNCTION: The primary duties of the Water Treatment Technician consist of those jobs necessary, but not limited to, the operation and maintenance of pumping, and purification equipment, monitoring supervisory control and data acquisition (SCADA) systems and plant instruments, routine work on buildings and grounds and daily sampling and laboratory work. This position involves various shift work (all shifts) and the employee is required to work rotating shifts. Water Treatment Technician work includes, but is not limited to, the following:

## RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES:

- Safely and effectively operates, maintains, monitors and/or controls all water treatment plant equipment and processes, to include plant generators and electrical controls and various distribution system equipment and processes.
- Ensures that daily work complies with Ohio EPA and Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO regulatory requirements for operations. Ensures that daily work complies with all established company safety policies. Captures all work performed in Maintenance Connection, an asset management program, per Company policies.
- Directly, and/or via SCADA system, operates, maintains, reads, interprets, and records as directed all instruments at the plant and at various remote locations. Makes adjustments to treatment and/or pumping to maintain water quality and quantity standards.
- Monitors and controls SCADA system for effective operation of the Mentor water system. Reacts accordingly to various pumping schemes, main breaks, and operational changes and advises supervisors on potential

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emergencies.

- Performs assigned lab testing (wet chemistry), and sampling as directed in accordance with Ohio EPA certification requirements.
- Performs assigned inspections of water treatment plant apparatus and equipment as directed. Assists the Division Mechanic with routine and emergency maintenance of facilities as required.
- Communicates records and maintains relevant information regarding treatment plant operation and maintenance
- · Performs housekeeping duties as assigned, and assures the security of water utility structures and property.
- Demonstrates great communication skills and regularly addresses internal and external customer requirements; Serves as the afterhours dispatch for emergencies within the system, and diagnoses issues appropriately.
- · All other duties as assigned

#### SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL OR REGISTRATION QUALIFICATIONS:

- · Must have a high school diploma or the GED equivalent. Candidate must hold valid U.S. driver's license.
- Must be available to work rotating shifts including weekends and holidays and for scheduled and unscheduled overtime
- Must obtain a provisional Laboratory certification in 2 months and an Operational Laboratory within 6 months after receipt of Provisional Certificate.
- Must hold an OEPA Class I Water certificate or obtain one within two years of date of hire, a Class II Ohio EPA Water Certificate within 4 years of date of hire, and a Class III Ohio EPA Water Certificate within 6 months of eligibility.
- Must be proficient at using computer/tablet Window based applications.

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