



## Office of Drinking Water 2022 Training Opportunities

Email registration *from the participant* (not the employer) is required for all Office of Drinking Water (ODW) trainings. Include your contact phone number in the email request. Send request to:

[William.Harrison@delaware.gov](mailto:William.Harrison@delaware.gov)

**Note: In-person trainings are on hold EXCEPT for AST training which is considered mission critical for public water systems. The AST class is limited to four people. Masks are required.**

### Approved Sampler/Tester (AST) Training for Non-Operators

An approved sampler/tester is certified by Delaware Health and Social Services for conducting **public water system** routine water sampling and water quality analyses for chlorine residual, pH, nitrate testing or water quality parameter testing and entering that information into a log book. The approved sampler/tester is not a fully licensed operator and must work under the direction of a licensed operator. Individuals collecting samples under the tap water monitoring provisions of the lead/copper rule are exempted from this requirement. An approved sampler/tester certification shall be valid for three years. An individual must attend the AST Basic class and pass a test in order to receive certification. Attendance at the AST Refresher class and passing the test is required for renewal of the certification. The AST trainings do not offer Educational Contact Hours (ECHs).

AST Basic			AST Refresher		
Date	Time	Location	Date	Time	Location
January 13	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Dover	January 27	9 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Dover
February 10	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Dover	February 24	9 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Dover
March 10	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Dover	March 24	9 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Dover
April 14	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Dover	April 28	9 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Dover
May 12	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Dover	May 26	9 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Dover
June 9	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Dover	June 23	9 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Dover
July 14	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Dover	July 28	9 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Dover
August 11	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Dover	August 25	9 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Dover
September 8	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Dover	September 22	9 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Dover
October 13	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Dover	October 27	9 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Dover
November 10	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Dover	December 1	9 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Dover