

Small Water System Operator Training: Achieve & Maintain Compliance with SDWA

**Online Virtual Training
February 9 - 11, 2021**

Meet Your Speakers:



Lisa Kaufman is the Surface Water Treatment Rule Manager at the Montana Department of Environmental Quality. She has been in this position for about 6 years. Lisa relocated to Montana from Indiana where she worked in the public health sector for 20 years in water quality. She has a Bachelor's degree in Biology.

Mike Kropp is an Environmental Science Specialist for the Montana Department of Environmental Quality. He has worked in the DEQ Public Water Supply program for 20 years. Prior to working for DEQ Mike was a crew chief for WGM Engineering as a field inspector. He has a Bachelor's degree in Industrial Engineering.

Steve Shope is a Technical Assistance Provider for the Midwest Assistance Program (MAP). Steve has a graduate degree in environmental microbiology with an emphasis on public health. Steve has experienced many aspects of public and environmental health including as a laboratory processes designer and manager, a regulatory official, and teaching nationally accredited classes in food borne (water) illness prevention.

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Presented by:



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Fee: None (FREE)
CECs: Up to 0.6. Water
You must preregister



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February 9 - 11, 2021 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM each day Online Virtual Training - Using GoToTraining with Google Chrome

What: Gain an understanding of source water protection, distribution system infrastructure and related water quality, coliform sample collection and cyanotoxins. Come away with knowledge on managing source water protection, on managing distribution system operations to prevent microbial or chemical contamination, how to properly collect coliform samples, the importance of understanding cyanotoxins, and an understanding of the importance of optimizing treatment plant operations in enhancing distribution system water quality.

Fee: None

Who Should Participate: The target audiences for this course are operators, decision makers, engineers, and managers of small water and distribution systems in Montana including tribal and non-tribal small community water systems, non-transient non-community water systems, and transient non-community water systems.

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Registration: Must be done online prior to the training using the link below. You may have to copy and past this link into your web browser program. <https://attendee.gototraining.com/r/284816802842644738> You should receive a confirmation email with information on how to join the training.

For more information contact Barb Coffman at 406-781-2298 or bcoffman@3rivers.net. Please not the phone number on the postcard is incorrect.

Agenda:

Day 1 - Tuesday, February 9, 2021

- 10:00 AM SDWA Workshop Introduction - Barb Coffman, MSAWWA
- 10:10 - 11:50 Source Water Protection - Steve Shope, MAP
- 11:50 - Noon Review & wrap-up - Barb Coffman, MSAWWA

Day 2 - Wednesday, February 10, 2021

- 10:00 AM SDWA Workshop Introduction - Barb Coffman, MSAWWA
- 10:10 - 11:50 Distribution System Infrastructure & Water Quality - Mike Kropp, MT DEQ
- 11:50 - Noon Review & wrap-up - Barb Coffman, MSAWWA

Day 3 - Thursday, February 11, 2021

- 10:00 AM SDWA Workshop Introduction - Barb Coffman, MSAWWA
- 10:10 - 11:10 Coliform Sample Collection - Lisa Kaufman, MT DEQ
- 11:10 - 11:50 Cyanotoxins - Lisa Kaufman, MT DEQ
- 11:50 - Noon Review & wrap-up - Barb Coffman, MSAWWA

