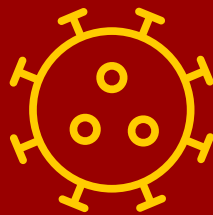


# **USC FOUNDATION TESTER TRAINING COURSE**



## **COVID-19 COURSE PROCEDURES**

**WEEK 1: July 7-9, 2021**

**WEEK 2: July 12-16, 2021**

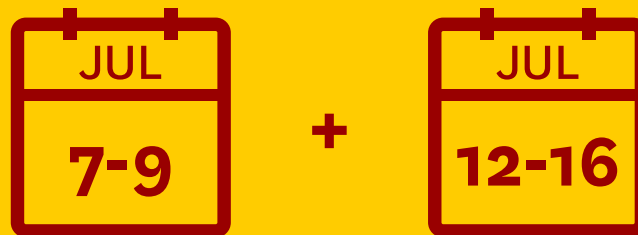


**Foundation for Cross-Connection Control  
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## **INTRODUCTION**

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and to adhere to CDC and USC guidelines, we have changed the format of the USC Foundation Tester Training Course.

The course is extended to eight days instead of five days. The first week, July 7-9, will be conducted through online instruction and the second week, July 12-16, will be a combination of in-person instruction and online instruction. Details are provided on pages 4-6.

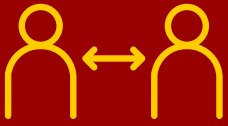


## **COURSE EXPECTATIONS**

Even though portions of the course are online, attendees are expected to attend and participate in all sessions.



## COURSE SAFETY MEASURES



All in-person sessions will take place outdoors under canopies and backflow prevention assembly testing stations will be configured to follow physical distancing guidelines (at least 6-feet apart).



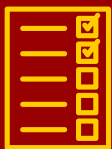
Attendees will be provided and required to wear gloves, masks, and safety glasses. Hand sanitizer will also be available, and attendees are urged to use it frequently.



Specific backflow prevention assembly testing equipment will be assigned to each attendee and will be disinfected between group sessions.



At every in-person session, attendees' temperatures will be checked upon arrival. Any attendee with a temperature above 100 °F will NOT be allowed to participate in the course. *If you are not allowed to participate in the course, you may transfer to a future course at no additional cost.*



At every in-person session, you will be asked a series of wellness questions via Trojan Check (see page 7). A positive response to any of the questions will disqualify you from participating in the course. *If you are not allowed to participate in the course, you may transfer to a future course at no additional cost.*

## WEEK 1 COURSE SCHEDULE (JULY 7-9)



**Group A & B**  
**July 7-8**  
8am-12pm

**Group A & B**  
**July 9**  
8am-10am

### ONLINE COURSE FORMAT

The course will be using ZOOM for all online sessions. Download the ZOOM client to your device and ensure you have a high speed internet connection.




## WEEK 2 COURSE SCHEDULE (JULY 12-15)



A combination of in-person and online sessions. In-person 4-hour sessions will take place at the USC Foundation Laboratory.

### In-Person class will be split into two groups:

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<b>Group A</b> 7:30am - 11:30am <i>Jul. 12-13</i>	+	<b>Group A</b> 8am - 12pm <i>Jul. 14-15</i>		<b>Group B</b> 1pm - 5pm <i>Jul. 12-15</i>
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### Additional practice time availability:

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<b>Group A</b> 11:30am - 12pm <i>Jul. 12-13</i>	+	<b>Group A</b> 7am - 8am <i>Jul. 14-15</i>		<b>Group B</b> 5pm - 5:30pm <i>Jul. 12-14</i>	+	<b>Group B</b> 5pm - 6pm <i>Jul. 15</i>
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### Online Sessions:



**July 12-14**  
6:30pm - 9pm

There will be NO online session on July 15.

# EXAM DAY SCHEDULE (JULY 16)

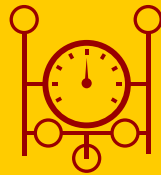


## Online Written Exam

**Group A**  
8am - 12pm



**Group B**  
1pm - 5pm



## In-Person Practical Exam

**Group A**  
1pm - 5pm



**Group B**  
8am - 12pm



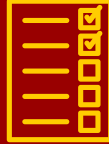
## Certifications

If you wish to take a certification exam with the ABPA or CA-NV AWWA, you are asked to contact those groups directly.

**ABPA**  
(801) 436-7238

**CA-NV AWWA**  
(909) 291-2100

# ACCESSING TROJAN CHECK



Your safety is our priority. Trojan Check is a **daily** Covid-19 screening and check-in system for everyone attending in-person sessions. Follow these steps to get started with Trojan Check.



Search and download **Trojan Check** from the App Store, Google Play, or go to [TrojanCheck.usc.edu](https://TrojanCheck.usc.edu).

On the welcome screen, click on **Continue as a Guest**.

Read the *Before You Begin* section, then click **Continue**.

Start the *Wellness Assessment* screening.

Answer the symptom questions, then click **Next**.

Review your responses, **check the box** and click **Next**.

Complete the Visitor Access Form.

Input your information and the following:

Contact on Campus Name: **Patrick Sylvester**

Contact on Campus Phone Number: **2137405898** (only numbers)

Contact on Campus Email Address: **patrick.sylvester@usc.edu** (lowercase)

Location of Campus Visit: **FLB-USC Foundation Laboratory**

Click **Submit Request**.

Present your daily **QR CODE** before each in-person session.