



## **Intoximeter EC/IR II Breath Examiner Specialist Training Program for New Operators**

**~ 2019 Class Announcement ~**



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**<https://wisconsindot.gov/Pages/about-wisdot/who-we-are/dsp/spec-svcs/chemtest.aspx>**

## **COURSE INFORMATION**

The training program is approximately 19-hours in length, daily class time is 8:00 am – 4:30 pm. and students must complete the entire program to become certified. This program is designed to certify applicants for permits to operate the evidential breath alcohol instrumentation in accordance with s. 343.305(10)(b) of the Statutes.

Subjects that will be covered include:

- Instrument Theory
- Instrument Operation
  - ✓ Approximately one-third of the student's time is spent conducting evidential breath alcohol tests
- Preliminary breath test (PBT) operation is also included
  - ✓ *Calibration* of PBTs is not covered during the training
- Pharmacology and Physiology of Alcohol
- Drinking-Driving Statutes and Related Rules
- Courtroom Testimony

The Department of Transportation provides this class and training materials at no cost to your agency. Paper and pencils/pens for note taking are not provided. Students should anticipate studying for the examination outside class time.

## **ENROLLMENT**

Applicants must be employed in by a law enforcement agency and have their department's approval to attend. Departments wishing to enroll officers in the training program should submit applications as soon as possible. Each class is filled on a first-come first-served basis. Part-time officers may be trained and their confirmation letter will serve as proof of exemption to Trans 311.09(b).

An application form must be submitted for each prospective student. It is available on WILENET or the section website <http://wisconsin.gov/Pages/about-wisdot/who-we-are/dsp/spec-svcs/chemtest.aspx>. If your first choice is unavailable, we recommend selecting an alternate session. Agencies are typically notified via email of application status within 2 weeks of receipt. An enrollment letter will also be emailed to the training officer approximately 2 weeks prior to the class. If you have questions please contact our Madison office at [chemtest@dot.wi.gov](mailto:chemtest@dot.wi.gov) or 608 243-2946.

## **MEALS AND LODGING**

Agencies are responsible for making their own lodging arrangements; all associated costs are the responsibility of the student or employing agency.

## **PARTICIPATION AND CONDUCT**

Students are to dress casually, or as required by employing agency. All firearms are prohibited in classrooms and must be secured in vehicles (if transported to training site). Cell phone use is limited to breaks or as authorized by Chemical Test Section personnel.

Students may be dismissed from the class when:

1. Arriving late
2. Any alcohol is detected at any time other than administered by Chemical Test Section personnel
  - ✓ *Alcohol takes several hours to be removed from the body. Consuming a large amount of alcohol at night could result in a positive alcohol concentration the next morning.*
  - ✓ *The agency is responsible for arranging transportation for any student removed for violation of #2, above.*
3. Sharing dosed alcohol
4. Consuming alcohol other than dosage provided by Chemical Test Section staff
5. Displaying disruptive conduct

All dismissals will be reported to the student's employing agency. The agency is responsible for arranging transportation for the student from the training site.

## **EXAMINATION FOR CERTIFICATION**

Students must attain a minimum score of 80% on a 50-question examination to successfully complete this course. There are no second chances or make-up examinations. Any student who fails the initial examination will have to attend another three-day program to attain certification. Upon permit issuance, 19 hours of training will be recorded in ACADIS.

Attendees who pass this course will be issued permits that include the following certifications:

<b>Class I</b>	<b>Class II</b>
PBT	ECIR II
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	ECIR II-EM

Biennial recertification training is required to maintain a Class II permit.

## **ADDITIONAL TRAINING**

Contact your area Chemical Test Toxicologist if you require EC/IR II recertification, PBT calibration, or additional PBT training.

## **2019 BASIC BREATH EXAMINER SPECIALIST TRAINING**

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Facility</b>
<b>February</b>		
26 – 28	West Bend	Government Center 432 E. Washington Street, West Bend, WI 53095
<b>March</b>		
19 – 21	Rhinelanders	Nicolet Technical College 5364 College Drive, Rhinelanders, WI 54501
<b>April</b>		
9 – 11	Madison	Chemical Test Section Office 3502 Kinsman Boulevard, Madison, WI 53704
23 – 25	Franklin	Milwaukee County Sheriff's Academy 9225 S. 68 <sup>th</sup> Street, Franklin, WI 53132
<b>May</b>		
14 – 16	Rice Lake	Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College 1900 College Drive, Rice Lake, WI 54868
<b>June</b>		
4 – 6	Wausau	Northcentral Technical College 1000 W. Campus Drive, Wausau, WI 54401
18 – 20	River Falls	Chippewa Valley Technical College 500 S. Wasson Lane, River Falls, WI 54022
<b>July</b>		
9 – 11	Hartford	Hartford Police Department 109 N. Main Street, Hartford, WI 53027
23 – 25	Waukesha**	Waukesha County Technical College Firing Range 1228 Hickory Street, Pewaukee, WI 53072
<b>August</b>		
13 – 15	Superior	Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College 600 N. 21 <sup>st</sup> Street, Superior, WI 54880
27 – 29	La Crosse	La Crosse Center 300 S. Front Street, La Crosse, WI 54601
<b>September</b>		
10 – 12	Waukesha**	Waukesha County Technical College Firing Range 1228 Hickory Street, Pewaukee, WI 53072
24 – 26	Madison	Chemical Test Section Office 3502 Kinsman Boulevard, Madison, WI 53704
<b>October</b>		
8 – 10	Kenosha	Gateway Technical College 3520 30 <sup>th</sup> Avenue, Kenosha, WI 53144
<b>November</b>		
12 – 14	Madison	Chemical Test Section Office 3502 Kinsman Boulevard, Madison, WI 53704

**\*\* Note new location**

This schedule is subject to change. Updates will be posted on the Chemical Test Section website <http://wisconsindot.gov/Pages/about-wisdot/who-we-are/dsp/spec-svcs/chemtest.asp> and any affected agencies will be notified. If you have questions please contact our Madison office at [chemtest@dot.wi.gov](mailto:chemtest@dot.wi.gov) or (608) 243-2946.