



**State of Louisiana**  
Louisiana Department of Health  
Office of Public Health

**2025 Exam schedule**

Application due at least 30 days prior to the date of the exam for approval. Applicants can register online or obtain a paper exam application at [ldh.la.gov/operatorcertification](http://ldh.la.gov/operatorcertification).

There are two types of Exams, OPEN and CLOSED.

OPEN EXAM – No 32-hour course is required to take an OPEN exam.

CLOSED EXAM – a 32-hour course is required to take a CLOSED EXAM.

<b>February 7, 2025</b>	Serenity Event Center 33135 LA-16 Denham Springs, LA 70706	Closed Exam 32 Hour Course <b>Required</b>
<b>March 21, 2025</b>	Sam's Town Casino 400 Caddo St Shreveport, LA 71101	Open Exam 32 Hour Course <b>Optional</b>
<b>April 25, 2025</b>	Brown Park Community Center 1234 East Pont Des Mouton Rd Lafayette, LA 70507	Closed Exam 32 Hour Course <b>Required</b>
<b>May 16, 2025</b>	Holiday Inn downtown 701 4 <sup>th</sup> St Alexandria, LA 71301	Closed Exam 32 Hour Course <b>Required</b>
<b>July 18, 2025</b>	LRWA Conference Lake Charles Civic Center Lake Charles, LA 70601	Open Exam 32 Hour Course <b>Optional</b>
<b>August 22, 2025</b>	Edward Dufresne Community Center 274 Judge Edward Dufresne Parkway Luling, LA 70070	Closed Exam 32 Hour Course <b>Required</b>
<b>September 26, 2025</b>	Ruston Civic Center 401 North Trenton St Ruston, LA 71270	Closed Exam 32 Hour Course <b>Required</b>
<b>October 17, 2025</b>	Natchitoches Event Center 750 2 <sup>nd</sup> St. Natchitoches, LA 71457	Closed Exam 32 Hour Course <b>Required</b>
<b>November 21, 2025</b>	John A Alario Center 2000 Segnette Blvd Westwego, LA 70094	Open Exam 32 Hour Course <b>Optional</b>