

Association of Clean Water Administrators

2020 National Pretreatment Meeting

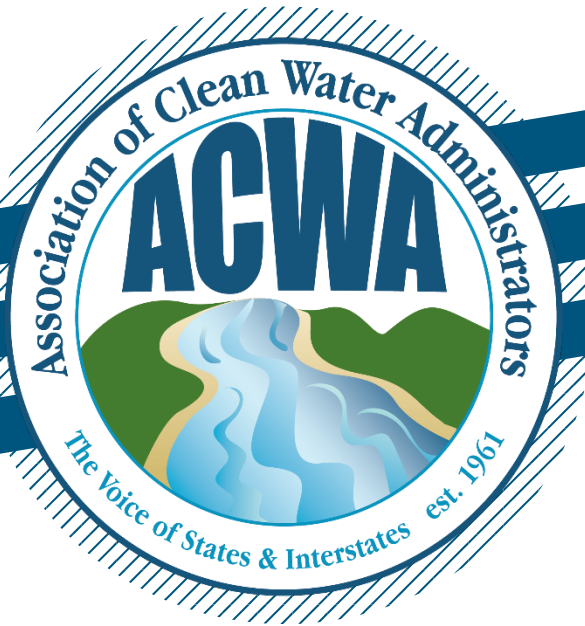
**Holiday Inn Nashville Vanderbilt
2613 West End Ave
Nashville, Tennessee
May 17-19, 2021**

The 2020 National Pretreatment Meeting brings together state and federal permitting and pretreatment personnel and other pretreatment stakeholders. The meeting will engage participants in program visioning, identify ways to improve permit quality, highlight emerging technologies and discuss how practitioners can better leverage technology, and foster closer coordination and collaboration between state and federal practitioners and other stakeholders.

Attendees:

The 2020 National Pretreatment Meeting is a national event specifically organized by state and federal regulators for EPA and state program staff representatives. Attendees include:

- State program staff involved in managing pretreatment programs
- EPA Headquarters and Regional staff involved in pretreatment program management
- Partnering state and federal agency staff that provide technical and/or regulatory assistance to pretreatment programs
- Invited guests



SPECIAL THANKS TO

The United States Environmental Protection Agency, the National Association of Clean Water Agencies, and the 2020 National Pretreatment Meeting Planning Committee

MONDAY, MAY 17

Training sessions are located in the Centennial Ballroom at the Holiday Inn Nashville Vanderbilt
and are for state and federal staff only.

12:30-1:00 PM	REGISTRATION AND SIGN-IN
1:00-2:00 PM	TRAINING SESSION 1 Local Limit Analysis Jennifer Robinson, Utah Department of Environmental Quality David Knight, Washington Department of Ecology
2:00-3:00 PM	TRAINING SESSION 2 Combined waste stream formula refresher Jan Pickrel, US EPA
3:00-3:15 PM	BREAK
3:15-4:15PM	TRAINING SESSION 3 SIU Permitting Todd Blanc, Missouri Department of Natural Resources
4:15-5:15 PM	TRAINING SESSION 4 Audits and Compliance Inspections Newton Ellens, US EPA Region 5 Natalie Maupin, Indiana Department of Environmental Management
5:15 PM	ADJOURN

TUESDAY, MAY 18

This meeting is in the Centennial Ballroom at the Holiday Inn Nashville Vanderbilt
and is closed for state and federal staff only.

8:30-9:00 AM	REGISTRATION AND SIGN-IN
9:00-9:30 AM	Opening Remarks Sean Rolland, Association of Clean Water Administrators TBD, US EPA Greg Young, Deputy Commissioner, Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation
9:30-10:30 AM	EPA Pretreatment Program Updates (ELG, E-Reporting, NCI, using the website, etc.) Jan Pickrel, US EPA
10:30-10:45 AM	BREAK
10:45 AM-11:45 AM	Small Facilities and Small Communities: Unique Challenges for Pretreatment Programs Representatives from EPA and states will present on their experiences working with small facilities and small communities and engage in a moderated discussion. Al Garcia, Pretreatment Coordinator, US EPA Region 8 Tina McFarling, South Dakota Department of Environment & Natural Resources Seth Hemingway, US EPA
11:45 AM-1:15 PM	LUNCH (On your own)
1:15-2:30 PM	Regional Priorities Panel EPA Regional pretreatment representatives provide region-specific concerns, issues, and goals for 2020 and beyond. Jay Pimpare, Pretreatment Coordinator, US EPA Region 1 Maggie Green, Pretreatment Coordinator, US EPA Region 3 David Phillips, Pretreatment Coordinator, US EPA Region 4 Al Garcia, Pretreatment Coordinator, US EPA Region 8 Amelia Whitson, Pretreatment Coordinator, US EPA Region 9
2:30-3:45 PM	Enforcement Update TBD
3:45-4:00 PM	BREAK
4:00-5:00 PM	States-only Discussion on Dental Rule Compliance Deadline and other issues (EPA will have to leave the room) Jen Robinson, Utah Department of Environmental Quality Roshini Schroeder, Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality David Knight, Washington State Department of Ecology
5:00 PM	MEETING ADJOURN

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19

This meeting is in partnership with NACWA at the Nashville Marriott at Vanderbilt University in Room #.

8:30-8:45 AM

Opening Remarks

Adam Krantz, NACWA
TBD, ACWA

8:45-10:00 AM

Breaking Down Barriers: EPA, States, & POTWs as Co-Regulators

For nearly 40 years, the pretreatment program has protected wastewater treatment facilities, collection systems, and worker safety by keeping harmful chemicals from entering the sewer system. The program has been extremely successful, and it is a model for how federal, state, and local government agencies can work together to regulate industries and achieve environmental goals. This panel will discuss how this model can continue to work effectively, and how even more improvements can be made by breaking down remaining barriers between the co-regulators.

Laurel Rognstad, Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation
Jan Pickrel, US EPA
Kerry Britt, Narragansett Bay Commission
Jay Pimpare, US EPA Region 1

10:00-10:15 AM

BREAK

10:15 AM-11:30 AM

Pretreatment for PFAS: Will It Be Required Soon?

The class of chemicals known as per- and poly-fluoroalkyl substances, or PFAS, and their presence in groundwater and drinking water have continued to be a hot topic with Congress and the media. As EPA works through its PFAS Action Plan and the science needed for regulation evolves, states are taking their own actions on PFAS. Congress also continues to propose legislation on PFAS, and PFAS-related lawsuits multiply. This session will cover the latest regulatory, legislative, and legal developments related to PFAS and the outlook for pretreatment programs.

TBD, Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy
TBD, US EPA
TBD, NACWA Member
TBD, NACWA Member

11:30-1:30PM

LUNCH (On your own)/Optional Networking Lunch

1:30-2:45 PM

Water Reuse & Pretreatment – A Match Made for the Environment

With interest in both potable and non-potable water reuse growing in many parts of the US, EPA is implementing a Water Reuse Action Plan to facilitate reuse. One of the areas of focus in the Action Plan is to study how pretreatment programs are already support water reuse, and this session will look at the preliminary results of the study. Preventing extra pharmaceutical discharges into the sewer system is also an important goal related to reuse, and this session will also examine the success of take-back programs and what still needs to be done to increase the use of these programs.

Jeff Lape, US EPA

TBD

2:45-3:45 PM

*Law & Order: An Enforcement Overview (*May become a session on Dental Amalgam*)*

3:45-4:00 PM

BREAK

4:00-5:30 PM

EPA Regional Roundtable Discussions

The Regional Roundtable session provides an opportunity for EPA, state, and municipal Workshop participants to discuss priority issues in each EPA Region. Regional EPA officials and experts will be on hand to take your questions.

5:30 PM

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