

U.S. Department of Labor Employment and Training Administration Office of Apprenticeship Training, Employer and Labor Services (OATELS) Washington, D.C. 20210	<u>Distribution:</u> A-541 National Office A-546 All Field Tech A547 SD+RD+SAC+ Lab.com	<u>Subject:</u> New Apprenticeable Occupation – Hydro Blaster/Vacuum Technician <u>Code:</u> 200
Symbols: DSNIP/WSC		Action: Immediate

PURPOSE: To inform the Office of Apprenticeship Training, Employer and Labor Services (OATELS), Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training staff (BAT) of a new apprenticeable occupation:

Hydro Blaster/Vacuum Technician
O*NET Code: 53-7061.00
RAIS CODE: 1110
Training Term: 4,000 hours
Type of Training: Time-Based

BACKGROUND: This occupation was submitted by Karen Wade, Apprenticeship and Training Representative, in the State of West Virginia on behalf of the International Union of Painters & Allied Trades District Council #53 JATC.

Hydro Blaster/Vacuum Technician transports, performs setup, inspects, operates, maintains and repairs high pressure water blasting equipment and industrial vacuuming equipment to perform proper removal, containment, transporting, and disposal of both hazardous and non-hazardous materials for the purpose of cleaning.

ACTION: All OATELS/BAT staff should review and retain a copy of this bulletin, including all attachments, as a source for developing apprenticeship standards and/or providing technical assistance.

Attachments

[Attachment 1](#) [Attachment 2](#)