

EPA Training Details

Section 608 of the Federal Clean Air Act requires that all persons who maintain, service, repair or dispose of appliances that contain ozone depleting refrigerants be certified in proper refrigerant handling techniques

This is a closed book exam. The exam is a total of 100 questions broken down into 4 sections (25 questions each) Core, Type-I, Type-II and Type-III. You must get 18 questions correct in each set of 25 questions to pass.

Type I: Required for servicing small appliances Small Appliances are: Pre-assembled, factory charged w/5 lbs. or less of refrigerant e.g. water coolers, window units, refrigerators, freezers, de-humidifiers, ice machines, P.T.A.C's. Type I specifically excludes split systems.

Type II: Required for service or disposal of high-pressure appliances containing more than 5 lbs. of refrigerant, or if the install requires refrigerant charging, except small appliances and MVACs.

Type III: Required for servicing or disposing of low-pressure appliances such as centrifugal and chillers, must be certified as Type III. Low pressure: appliances operate w/ low pressure refrigerants, which have pressures of 30 P.S.I.G. or lower, at a liquid-phase temp of 104°F. e.g. HCFC-123 used in chillers is a "low-pressure refrigerant" under 608 regs to replace CFC-11

Universal: Earned when a candidate successfully passes all 4 sections of the exam. A person who maintains or services or repairs both low, and high-pressure equipment, as well as small appliances, will be certified as a Universal technician

Materials allowed: **1)** A calculator, 4-function preferred, **2)** P/T chart and scratch paper, **NO CELL PHONES!**
Make sure to bring photo-ID and SS#.

Time to complete exam: 2 hours

Passing score for each section must be 70% or better - 18 questions correct in each of the 4 groups.

Candidates who are retesting do not need to retake any sections in which they have received a passing score.

Exam candidates can further prepare for the 608 examination by participating in the free practice exam questions available on the ESCO website at <https://www.escogroup.org/practice/>

A 4-hour review and 2-hour testing is available when classes are scheduled at **Locke Supply Co., 1300 SE 82nd, OKC, OK 73149**. Class will be held in the **HVAC Training Room** at the West end of the Distribution Center. Class size is limited to 16 participants.

The fee includes lunch and test materials. **Visit any Locke Supply location to pre-pay. Use TRNG1 as the Locke Code. Cost is \$125.00 and \$55.00 for subsequent attempts by the same person.**