

TRANSITION UPDATE

Issued: March 8, 2024

Trade: Plumber

- To:** SkilledTradesBC Training Providers
Articulation Chair
System Liaison Person
Youth Train in Trades School Districts
- Subject:** **Transition To Harmonization Update: Discontinuation of Current Level 4 (CL4)**
- From:** SkilledTradesBC Program Standards
- Effective Date:** April 1, 2024
- Summary:** After April 1, 2024, course offerings for **Plumber Current Level 4 (CL4)** will no longer be available.

Apprentices who have completed Current Level 3 (CL3) but have not yet registered for CL4 should contact their [Apprenticeship Advisors](#) to discuss gaps in their training before taking their next level of training.
- Background:** On March 2, 2018 SkilledTradesBC Program Standards issued [OPSN 2018 001.1](#), which detailed the changes to the **Plumber** program as a result of the Harmonization Initiative, and announced the implementation of a revised Program Outline, effective April 1, 2019. Further to this, on March 16, 2021, SkilledTradesBC issued [Transition Update](#) detailing the [Transition Plan](#), summarized in the graphics on the next page:

Implementation Timeline	
Level 1/ Fdn/ Youth	April 1, 2019
Level 2	April 1, 2020
Level 3	April 1, 2021
Level 4	April 1, 2022

Year 0 18/19	CL1	CL2	CL3	CL4
Year 1 19/20	HL1	CL2	CL3	CL4
Year 2 20/21	HL1	HL2 Gap A: 5 days	CL3	CL4
Year 3 21/22	HL1	HL2 Gap A: 5 days	HL3 CL3	CL4
Year 4 22/23	HL1	HL2 Gap A (if needed)	HL3 CL3	HL4 CL4
Year 5 23/24	HL1	HL2	HL3	HL4 CL4
Year 6 24/25	HL1	HL2	HL3	HL4

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