

PROGRAM UPDATE

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Trade: MOBILE CRANE OPERATOR

To: SkilledTradesBC Training Providers
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Subject: **Transition to 2024 Mobile Crane Operator Program**

From: SkilledTradesBC Program Standards

Effective Date: September 1, 2024

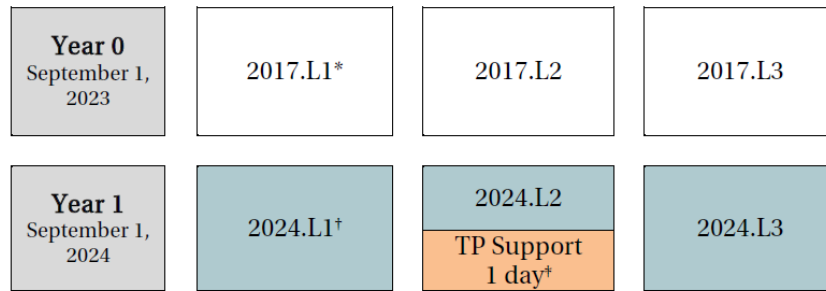
Summary: Please be advised that the Mobile Crane Operator (2024) program will be implemented as of September 1, 2024. The transition plan is now posted on the [trade page](#). Information about the transition is on the following pages.

Background: In April 2024, SkilledTradesBC Program Standards issued [OPSN 2024 012](#) which detailed the changes to the Mobile Crane Operator program as a result of the Harmonization Initiative and announced the implementation of a revised Program Outline, effective September 1, 2024.

Starting on September 1, 2024, please implement the Mobile Crane Operator (2024) program. 1 day (6 hours) of Training Provider (TP) Support will be offered at 2024.L2.

Transition Plan Summary

Implementation Timelines	
2024 Program Level 1 (2024.L1)	September 1, 2024
2024 Program Level 2 (2024.L2)	September 1, 2024
2024 Program Level 3 (2024.L3)	September 1, 2024



NOTES:

- *2017.L1 = Mobile Crane Operator and Tower Crane Operator Common Core Level 1
- †2024.L1 = Mobile Crane Operator Level 1. The common core model with Tower Crane Operator is removed in the 2024 program.
- *Training provider (TP) support for 2024.L2 is **not** a requirement for apprentices to get credit for the course. It is offered to training providers to provide support for 2017.L1 apprentices taking 2024.L2. The gaps faced by these apprentices are relatively small and can be addressed in a variety of ways.

SkilledTradesBC will undertake a communication initiative to ensure that all apprentices, employers, and other internal and external partners are aware of the changes in the program.

Training Provider Support: Training Provider Support is offered to provide flexibility to schools in addressing the minor gaps associated with that level.

Training Provider Support

- is optional
- is **not** a completion requirement for the apprentice
- is **not** recorded in Direct Access
- may be requested by training providers for the levels and years indicated in the transition plan
- Delivery method and schedule is up to the training provider.

Other Information: As of September 1, 2024, revised Level 1 and Level 3 Standardized Level Exams (SLEs) implement with the revised program. SLEs in this program require 70% to pass and are not blended with technical training marks.

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