

PROGRAM UPDATE

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Trade: TOWER CRANE OPERATOR

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

From: SkilledTradesBC Program Standards

Effective Date: October 1, 2024

Summary: Please be advised that the Tower Crane Operator (2024) program will be implemented as of October 1, 2024. Information about the transition is on the following page.

Background: In August 2024, SkilledTradesBC Program Standards issued [OPSN 2024 018](#) which detailed the changes to the Tower Crane Operator program as a result of the Harmonization Initiative and announced the implementation of a revised Program Outline, effective October 1, 2024.

Starting on October 1, 2024, please implement the Tower Crane Operator (2024) program.

Transition Plan Summary

Implementation Timelines	
2024 Program Level 1 (2024.L1)	October 1, 2024
2024 Program Level 2 (2024.L2)	October 1, 2024

Year 0 October 1, 2023	2017.L1*	2017.L2
Year 1 October 1, 2024	2024.L1**	2024.L2

NOTES:

- *2017.L1 = *Mobile Crane Operator and Tower Crane Operator Common Core Level 1*
- **2024.L1 = *Tower Crane Operator Level 1*. The common core model with Mobile Crane Operator is removed in the 2024 program.

Other Information: As of October 1, 2024, revised Level 1 and Level 2 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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