

Waterworks Operator Training Newsletter

July 2018

Good morning! Attached is the June 2018 Operator Training Newsletter for all MSDH-BPWS Regions and following this message are the trainings for your particular region. If you have questions about the counties in your MSDH region, please see the map on the second page of the attachment to this e-mail.

Also, remember to please contact the training agency to make sure the training will be held. The information contained in this document was gathered from the MSDH-BPWS Training Calendar, so we have no information about if a particular training may be cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances.

With heat advisories popping up this week, please take the appropriate precautions to stay safe while working outside. Keep in mind the following indicators of heat exhaustion vs. heat stroke. Be prepared to take immediate action in the case of heat stroke symptoms.

The infographic is a vertical split diagram. The left side is yellow and labeled 'HEAT EXHAUSTION'. The right side is red and labeled 'HEAT STROKE'. A central figure of a person is split vertically, with the left half yellow and the right half red. The word 'OR' is placed between the two columns. Symptoms are listed on either side of the figure, with lines pointing to the corresponding side of the figure. At the bottom, there are two columns of action steps: one for Heat Exhaustion (yellow background) and one for Heat Stroke (red background).

| HEAT EXHAUSTION | OR | HEAT STROKE |
|-------------------------|----|---|
| Faint or dizzy | | Throbbing headache |
| Excessive sweating | | No sweating |
| Cool, pale, clammy skin | | Body temperature above 103° Red, hot, dry skin |
| Nausea or vomiting | | Nausea or vomiting |
| Rapid, weak pulse | | Rapid, strong pulse |
| Muscle cramps | | May lose consciousness |

HEAT EXHAUSTION Actions:

- Get to a cooler, air conditioned place
- Drink water if fully conscious
- Take a cool shower or use cold compresses

HEAT STROKE Action:

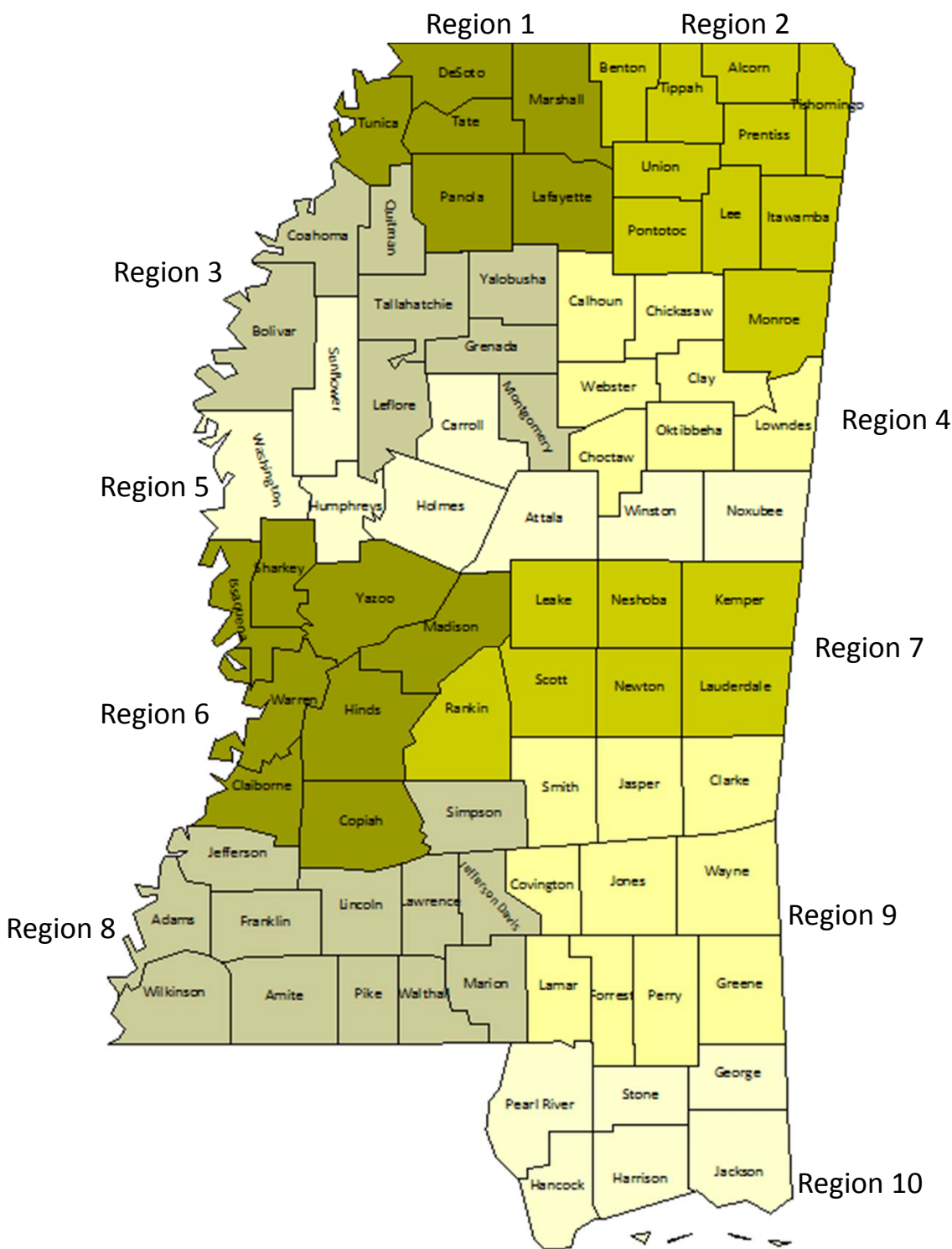
- **CALL 9-1-1**
- Take immediate action to cool the person until help arrives

Thank you for your dedication and stay safe.

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MSDH-BPWS Region Map



**MSDH Region 1 includes the counties of:
Desoto, Lafayette, Marshall, Panola, Tate and Tunica**

Monday – Friday, July 16 – 20

Backflow Control BPAT Certification and Recertification

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Contact Person: Roger Crane at 662-333-9007

Training Location: Potts Camp Fire Department, 2173 Brownlee Road, Potts Camp, MS (Marshall County)

Training Topics:

- BPAT Certification & Recertification

Total Number of Hours: 0

**MSDH Region 2 contains the counties of:
Alcorn, Benton, Itawamba, Lee, Monroe, Prentiss, Pontotoc, Tippah,
Tishomingo, and Union**

There are no trainings in this region for July 2018.

**MSDH Region 3 contains the counties of:
Bolivar, Coahoma, Grenada, Leflore, Montgomery, Quitman, Tallahatchie, and
Yalobusha**

There are no trainings for this region in July 2018.

**MSDH Region 4 contains the counties of:
Calhoun, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Clay, Lowndes, Oktibbeha and Webster**

There are no trainings for this region for July 2018.

**MSDH Region 5 contains the counties of:
Attala, Carroll, Holmes, Humphreys, Noxubee, Sunflower, Washington and
Winston**

Tuesday, July 10

MsRWA Board Management Training

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Contact Person: Monica Adcock at 601-857-2433

Training Location: Lake Tiak O'Khata, 213 Smyth Lake Road, Louisville, Ms (Winston County)

Training Topics:

- Laws & Regulations
- Rate Setting
- Management & Finance
- Emergency Preparedness

Total Number of Hours: 8 Total with 2 Regulatory Hours

Wednesday, July 11

MsRWA Training

8:00 AM - 3:30 PM

Contact Person: Robby Mayfield at 601-857-2433

Training Location: Lake Tiak O'Khata, HWY 15 South & Smyth Lake Road. Louisville (Winston County)

Training Topics:

- Certified Operator Duties
- Emergency Preparedness
- Water Quality Testing

Total Number of Hours: 6 with 3 Regulatory

Thursday, July 12

MsRWA Training

8:00 AM - 3:30 PM

Contact Person: Robby Mayfield at 601-857-2433

Training Location: Lake Tiak O'Khata, HWY 15 South & Smythe Road. Louisville (Winston County)

Training Topics:

- MSDH UPDATE
- Mississippi's Source Water Protection
- Collecting Drinking Water Samples

Total Number of Hours: 6 with 3 Regulatory

**MSDH Region 6 contains the counties of:
Copiah, Claiborne, Hinds, Issaquena, Madison, Sharkey, Warren and Yazoo**

Thursday, July 26

MsRWA Training

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Contact Person: Cecilia Garris at 601-857-2433

Training Location: MSRWA OFFICE, 5400 North Midway Road, Raymond (Hinds County)

Training Topics:

- Asset Management
- Mississippi Non-Profit Act

Total Number of Hours: 2 1with 1 Regulatory

**MSDH Region 7 contains the counties of:
Kemper, Lauderdale, Leake, Neshoba, Newton, Rankin and Scott**

Tuesday, July 24

MsRWA Training

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Contact Person: Cecilia Garris at 601-857-2433

Training Location: Central Water Association, 915 Valley View Road, Philadelphia (Neshoba County)

Training Topics:

- Asset Management
- *Mississippi Non-Profit Act

Total Number of Hours: 2 1with 1 Regulatory

**MSDH Region 8 contains the counties of:
Adams, Amite, Franklin, Jefferson, Jefferson Davis, Lincoln, Marion, Pike,
Simpson, Walthall, Wilkinson**

Thursday, July 19

MsRWA Training

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Contact Person: Cecilia Garris at 601-857-2433

Training Location: McComb Fire Station, 1241 Parklane Road, McComb (Pike County)

Training Topics:

- Asset Management
- Mississippi Non-Profit Act

Total Number of Hours: 2 1with 1 Regulatory

Wednesday, July 25

Communities Unlimited Training

10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Contact Person: Alexander Brandon at 601-506-6305

Training Location: 100 South Jackson Street, Brookhaven, MS (Lincoln County)

Training Topics:

- Operations and Maintenance
- Water System Infrastructure
- Infiltration

Total Number of Hours: 7 Total with 3.5 Regulatory

**MSDH Region 9 contains the counties of:
Clarke, Covington, Forrest, Greene, Jasper, Jones, Lamar, Perry, Smith and
Wayne**

Thursday, July 12

MsRWA Training

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Contact Person: Cecilia Garris at 601-857-2433

Training Location: Dixie Community Utility Association, 500 Elks Lake Road, Hattiesburg (Forrest County)

Training Topics:

- Asset Management
- Mississippi Non-Profit Act

Total Number of Hours: 2 with 1 Regulatory

**MSDH Region 10 contains the counties of:
George, Hancock, Harrison, Jackson, Pearl River and Stone**

There are no trainings in this region for July 2018.