Learning Objectives:

- Fundamentals of boiler operations and system heat transfer
- The different boiler types
- Identification and purpose of primary and auxiliary boiler system components
- Safe start-up and shut-down procedures
- Maintain safe operating pressures and temperatures
- Combustion essentials – the fuel and air mixture
- Hazards with boiler operation and ways to avoid them
- Boiler codes and standards as applied to your boiler
- How to prepare for a boiler inspection
- Conducting boiler inspections and efficiency tests
- How to create a preventive maintenance program
- Increase boiler efficiency
- How to use combustion efficiency equipment
- Proper water treatment
- How to give your boiler a “tune-up”
- Troubleshooting and fixes for common boiler problems
- Looking for signs of and preventing boiler failure

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A 2-Day Boiler Training Course for Everyday Building, Plant & Facility Maintenance

Day 1 - Fundamentals, Operation & Safety

Day 2 - Maintenance, Inspection, Testing & Efficiency

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Pursuit of Seminar
This course was created to bring students up to speed in boiler operation and maintenance practices as quickly and safely as possible. It was designed to help take the mystery out of wondering if your boiler is safe and operating efficiently, and provides maintenance technicians and others the confidence and comfort level needed for operating and maintaining their own boilers. For the novice technician needing a well-rounded education to the experienced stationary engineer who needs a refresher course for continuing education, this training program provides a no-nonsense, practical and real world approach for boiler operation, maintenance and safety.

Overall, this program is designed to extend boiler life, improve boiler efficiency, and save energy costs for the employer, while establishing a culture of safe work practices among the employees.

Who Should Take This Course?
This course is designed for anyone who needs to understand fundamental boiler operation in order to improve efficiencies and safety at their industrial plants or large building facilities. Individuals involved with residential hot water systems will also find this course extremely valuable.

This course typically gets attendees come from a wide variety of industries, skill levels, company sizes, and job titles. So everybody who has an interest in boilers fits in.

- All building maintenance personnel
- All plant & facility maintenance technicians
- Building engineers
- Building managers & superintendents
- Plant & facility managers
- Environmental health & safety personnel
- Apprentice and experienced boiler technicians
- Stationary engineers
- Energy management personnel
- Multi-craft & cross training personnel
- Mechanical engineers
- Any person needing a basic course in boiler systems!

Training Outcomes
We have analyzed the work of the boiler technician extensively to create a course that attendees are certain to find useful the minute they get back to their jobs.

1. The fundamentals of boiler operations and system heat transfer
2. The different boiler types: firetube, watertube, sectional, condensing
3. The identification of and purpose of primary and auxiliary boiler system components
4. Safe start-up and shut-down procedures
5. How to maintain safe operating pressures and temperatures
6. Combustion essentials – the fuel and air mixture
7. The major hazards associated with boiler operation and ways to avoid them
8. Boiler codes & standards as applied to your boiler
9. How to prepare for a boiler inspection
10. How to conduct boiler inspections and efficiency tests
11. How to create a preventive maintenance program
12. How to increase boiler efficiency
13. How to use combustion efficiency equipment and what the readings mean to your cost
14. Proper water treatment for your boiler
15. How to give your boiler a “tune-up”
16. Troubleshooting and fixes for common problems
17. Looking for signs of and preventing boiler failure

Course Overview
- How and when to schedule preventive maintenance procedures
- Important differences when working with high pressure and low pressure boilers
- Differences between firetube & watertube boilers
- The primary boiler components, how they work and what they do
- Operating pressures and temperatures of cast iron boilers
- Important differences when working with steam boilers and hot water boilers
- Applications and service of electric boilers
- Four major safety perils associated with boilers
- Common accidents and how to avoid them
- Causes and prevention of furnace explosions
- Dangers of low water and other poor water conditions
- How to properly inspect your own boiler
- How to conduct your own efficiency tests
- How to troubleshoot & fix common problems
- How to conduct waterside and fireside maintenance
- Boiler design, construction codes and standards
- How to safely and efficiently operate your boiler
- Burner operations & combustion control systems

ATMT Certification® Testing
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Continuing Education
Upon completion of this seminar, the student will receive a Certification of Completion and .8 TPC Trainco CEUs per day attended. Most employers and many government agencies accept TPC Trainco CEUs to fulfill their continuing education requirements. If the student needs CEUs to renew a state license, please contact us at 303-867-5035 to ensure the state licensing board has approved the seminar. If we are not approved by your state licensing board, we are happy to begin the process as long as we receive your request at least one month before the training date.

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COURSE OVERVIEW

Day 1
Day 1 of this program has been designed to give the student a broad introduction to boilers, including every-day operation & important safety practices. The course is a great overview for maintenance technicians, multi-craft tradespeople, building managers, stationary engineers or anyone who wants to improve their boiler maintenance and operation skills. Understanding basic boiler operation & safety is the goal of the first day of this training course.

DISCUSSION TOPICS

Boiler Fundamentals
- Firetube Boilers
- Watertube Boilers
- Cast Iron Boilers
- High Pressure Boilers
- Low Pressure Boilers
- Steam Boilers
- Hydronic Boilers

Fundamentals Of Combustion & Heat Transfer
- Theory of Combustion
- Thermodynamics
- Steam Tables

Burner Operation and Control
- Gas Train
- Oil Train
- Standard Burner
- High Turndown Burner
- Burner Controls

Boiler Operation and Testing
- Operator Licensing and Certification
- Start-Up and Shut-Down
- Normal Operation
- Valve Types
- Safety Valves
- Low Water Cutoff Controls

Boiler Room Safety
- Boiler Accidents
- Cause and Effect

Cause and Effect Case Study
- Safety Valves
- Confined Spaces
- Lockout/Tagout

Day 2
Day 2 is designed for people who have already taken day one, or already have a good foundation in boiler operation and safety. In this second day, students will learn about important inspection, maintenance and burner efficiency practices for their commercial, industrial and utility boiler systems. Construction design standards, boiler inspections, operating control testing and general troubleshooting tips will all be discussed. The second day of this program is designed to help you get the maximum life out of your boiler while keeping it running as efficiently and safely as possible.

DISCUSSION TOPICS

Construction and Design Standards
- ASME Codes
- NFPA Codes
- NBIC Code

Controls and Safety Devices for Automatically Fired Boilers
- Water Level Control
- Temperature Control
- Pressure Control
- Fuel Trains

Inspection and Maintenance of Commercial and Industrial Boilers
- Fireside
- Waterside
- Burner
- Auxiliary Equipment

Boiler and Burner Efficiency
- Heat Exchanger Efficiency
- Combustion Efficiency
- Efficiency Tests
- Condensate Return
- Steam Traps

Troubleshooting
- Burner
- Controls
- Additional

“...I am returning to my factory with a wealth of new knowledge.”
Richard D. Phillips - Delphi Delco

“Excellent overview of boiler operations and maintenance. Instructor is very knowledgeable.”
Greg Knecht - Applied Engineering
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