

Connecticut Department of Labor
Wage & Workplace Standards Division
List of Occupations Designated As High-Risk Or Safety-Sensitive by the
Labor Commissioner of the State of Connecticut

The following is a list of occupations designated as high- risk or safety sensitive by the Labor Commissioner as a result of specific request received on behalf of individual employers.

This list may serve only as a guide for the Commissioner in future investigations and determinations made pursuant to the regulations. ***Employers may institute random urinalysis drug testing only after their individual request has received written approval from the Commissioner.***

- Advanced Climber/Trimmer-Trainee (Power Line Clearance)
- Advanced Life Support Technicians
- Aerial Construction Supervisor
- Air Pollution Engineer
- Aircraft Mechanic
- Airframe and Powerplant Technician
- Assembler/Packager (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)
- Assembly Technician (Power Generation Plant)
- Assistant Plant Operator (Power Generations)
- Assistant Utility Operator (Plant Generations)
- Avionics Technician
- Back Piler Operator (Terminal Operations)
- Beta Field Engineer
- Blender
- Blasters
- Boilermaker (Elevated Construction)
- Boilermaker/Pipefitter/Plumber/Welder (Elevated Construction)
- Branch Managers (Compressed Gas)
- Bricklayers (Bridge, Tunnel and Elevated Highway Construction)
- Bulldozer Operator (Terminal Operations)
- Bus Driver
- Bus Monitor/Aide
- Camp Counselors (First Aid/CPR Certified)
- Carpenters (Elevated Concrete Form Work)
- Carpenter (Elevated Construction)
- Carpenters and Joiners (Bridge, Tunnel and Elevated Highway Construction)
- Carriers (Terminal Operations)
- Caulking Specialist (High-Rise/Elevated)
- Chauffer
- Checker (Terminal Operations)
- Chemical Compounding Manager/Supervisor/Personnel (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)
- Chemical Lab Technician/Assistant (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)

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- Chemical Operator (Hazardous Materials)
- Chemical Processors (Surgical Sponge Manufacturing)
- Chemist (Hazardous Waste Materials)
- Chemist/Hazardous Waste Handler/Manager
- Chief Chemist (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)
- Climber/Trimmer-Trainee (Power Line Clearance)
- Clinical Assistant
- Clinicians (Social Workers, Therapists, and Psychologists)
- Coax Splicer
- Compressed Gas Delivery Personnel
- Construction Engineer (Elevated Construction)
- Construction Splicer (Television Cable)
- Consultant Pharmacist
- Container Management Worker (Hazardous Waste Materials)
- Corporate Industrial Hygienist (Chemical/Mining Facilities)
- Corporate Security Personnel (Executive Protection)
- Counseling Assistant
- Crane Operator
- Crane Operator (Power Generations)
- Crane Operator (Prestress concrete)
- Crew Chief (Armored Car)
- Crew Leader (Power Line Clearance)
- Cryogenic Repair/Installation Associates
- Cylinder Shot Blasting Operators
- Deburrer
- Director, Environmental Health & Safety (Power Generations)
- Director of Field Services (Power Generation Plant)
- Director of IV Services
- Director of Operations (EMS)
- Director of Operations (Power Generation Plant)
- Director of Safety & Compliance (Power Generation Plant)
- Dispatcher (Ambulance & Handicapped Services Vehicle)
- Dispatcher (Petroleum Products)
- Dispatcher/Forklift Operator (Prestress Concrete)
- Disposing Operator (Water Treatment Plant/Flammable, Hazardous Liquid)
- Distillation Chemists
- District Field Operations Supervisor (Explosives)
- Divers (Bridge, Tunnel and Elevated Highway Construction)
- Diving Tenders (Bridge, Tunnel and Elevated Highway Construction)
- Dock/Yardworker (Petroleum Products)
- Driller/Explosives Handler
- Driller/Explosives Technician

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- Driver/Explosives Handler
- Driver/Guard (Armored Car)
- Drivers of School Buses and/or Student Transportation Vehicles
- Drop Swapper (Television Cable)
- Drum Laborer
- E & I Technician (Power Generations)
- Electrician (Elevated Construction)
- Electronics Service Technician
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Emergency Medical Technician Intermediate (EMT-I)
- Emission Measurements Technician
- Engineer (Hazardous Waste Site)
- Environmental Scientist (Hazardous Waste/Petroleum Products)
- Equipment/Forklift Operators
- Executive Chauffeur
- Executive Director (EMS)
- Expediter
- Explosives Handler
- Explosives Technician
- Explosives Technician Trainee
- Facility Maintenance Team Member
- Facility Safety Specialist
- Fiber Optic Observer
- Fiber Splicer
- Field Engineer (Elevated Construction)
- Field Laborer (Power Generation Plant)
- Field Logistics Manager (Power Generation Plant)
- Field Operations Manager (Explosives)
- Field Project Supervisor (Power Generation Plant)
- Field Service Representative (Fuel Station Monitoring)
- Field Technician (Hazardous Waste/Petroleum Products)
- Field Technician (Hazardous Waste Site)
- Field Test Engineers (Off-Shore Drilling)
- Field Welder (Power Generation Plant)
- Filling Manager/Supervisor (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)
- Finisher (Prestress Concrete)
- Fireplace Installer
- Fire Sprinkler Technician (Elevated Construction)
- Flagman
- Fleet Engineer (EMS)
- Flight Attendant
- Flight Officer

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- Floaters (Surgical Sponge Manufacturing)
- Foreman
- Forklift Operator
- Forklift Operator (Terminal Operations)
- Forklift Operator (Hazardous Materials)
- FPI/X-ray
- Furnace Operator
- Gang Boss (Terminal Operations)
- Garage Mechanics (Terminal Operations)
- Gemko/PK Operator
- General Laborer (Terminal Operations)
- General Maintenance Personnel
- General Warehouse
- Groundperson (Power Line Clearance)
- Group Leaders (Surgical Sponge Manufacturing)
- Guard/Fireman
- Gutter Installer
- HVAC Service Technician
- Handlers and Users of Radioactive Sources
- Hardware Technician
- Health & Safety Officer (Hazardous Waste Site)
- Heavy Equipment Operators (Elevated Construction)
- Hold Operator of Forklift (Terminal Operations)
- Hydrogeologist (Hazardous Waste Site)
- Hydro Test Operator
- Inspector
- Inspector (Crane)
- Inspector (Elevated Construction)
- Inspectors (Surgical Sponge Manufacturing)
- Installation Representative/Manager (Fuel Station Monitoring)
- Installation/Repair Technician (Television Cable)
- Installer (Television Cable)
- Insulation Installer
- Insulator
- Insulator (Elevated Construction)
- Invalid Coach Driver
- Inventory Assistant Team Leader
- Inventory Control Team Leader
- Inventory Control Team Member
- Iron Workers (Bridge, Tunnel and Elevated Construction)
- Ironworker (Rebar & Structural)
- IV Nurse

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- IV Pharmacist
- IV Pharmacy Technician
- Lab Manager
- Lab Manager (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)
- Lab Technicians
- Laboratory Director (Hazardous Waste Materials)
- Laborer (Power Generations)
- Laborer (Power Line Clearance)
- Laborer (Road Crack and Joint Repair)
- Laborers (Bridge, Tunnel and Elevated Highway Construction)
- Laborers (Elevated Concrete Form Work)
- Lathe Operators
- Lead Assembly Technician (Power Generation Plant)
- Lead Installation/Line Technician (Television Cable)
- Lead Laborer (Power Generations)
- Lead Technician (Fuel Station Monitoring)
- Leadman (Prestress Concrete)
- Leakage Technician (Television Cable)
- Licensed Operator (Waste Water Treatment Plant)
- Licensed Practical Nurses
- Light Duty Wrecker Operator
- Limousine Driver
- Lineman
- Line Technician (Television Cable)
- Loader/Unloader
- Location Manager (Petroleum or Petrochemical Laboratory)
- Longshoreman (Terminal Operations)
- Machine Operators (Surgical Sponge Manufacturing)
- Machine Setup Mechanic (Plastic Products Manufacturing)
- Machinist (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)
- Machinist (Plastic Products Manufacturing)
- Maintaining revenue service vehicles or equipment used in revenue service
- Maintenance Electrician/Steamfitter
- Maintenance Electrician/Steamfitter (Elevated Construction)
- Maintenance Manager (Power Generations)
- Maintenance Mechanic Helpers (Terminal Operations)
- Maintenance Mechanic
- Maintenance Mechanics (Terminal Operations)
- Maintenance Mechanics, Lead 1st & 2nd class (Power Generations)
- Maintenance Person/Forklift Operator (Prestress Concrete)
- Maintenance Personnel (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)

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- Maintenance Supervisor
- Maintenance Supervisor (Power Generations)
- Maintenance Worker (Hazardous Waste Materials)
- Manager, Technical & Field Service (Fuel Station Monitoring)
- Marine Terminal Operator (Petroleum Products)
- Masons (Elevated Concrete Form Work)
- Material Handler
- Material Handler (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)
- Material Handler/Forklift Operator (Plastic Products Manufacturing)
- Mechanic
- Mechanics (Heating, Elevated Construction)
- Mechanics (Placarded Vehicles Carrying Hazardous Materials)
- Mechanics (School Buses and/or Student Transportation Vehicles)
- Milling Machinists
- Millwright
- Millwright (Elevated Construction)
- Mobile Equipment Operator (Power Generations)
- Operating Engineer
- Operating Engineers (Bridge, Tunnel and Elevated Highway Construction)
- Operating Engineer (Cranes/Heavy Equipment/Piledriver/Forklifts)
- Operation of a revenue service vehicle, whether or not such vehicle is in revenue service.
- Operations Manager (Armored Car)
- Operations Manager (EMS)
- Operations Manager (Power Generations)
- Operations Superintendent (Power Generations)
- Operations Technician (Fuel Station Monitoring)
- Operator of Medi-Van
- Operators of Handicapped Services Vehicles
- Overhead Crane Operator (10 ton and over)
- Packagers (Surgical Sponge Manufacturing)
- Packer/Forklift Operator (Plastic Products Manufacturing)
- Painters (Elevated Construction)
- Painters (Elevated Structure)
- Pallet Jack Operator
- Paramedic
- Payload Operator (Terminal Operations)
- Petroleum/Chemical Inspector
- Petroleum or Petrochemical Laboratory Manager
- Pharmaceutical Clinical Quality Assurance Rep
- Pharmaceutical Data Entry Technician/Supervisor
- Pharmaceutical Medical Records Technician

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- Pharmaceutical Picking Technician
- Pharmaceutical Production Manager
- Pharmaceutical Purchasing Staff/Manager
- Pharmaceutical Returns/Pyxis Technician
- Pharmacist
- Pharmacy Technician
- Physicians
- Physician Assistants
- Pick Up Gear (Terminal Operations)
- Pile Drivers (Bridge, Tunnel and Elevated Highway Construction)
- Pilot
- Pipefitter
- Plant Associates (Compressed Gas)
- Plant Foreman (Petroleum Products)
- Plantman (Petroleum Products)
- Plant Manager
- Plant Manager (Compressed Gas)
- Plant Manager (Petroleum Products)
- Plant Manager (Power Generations)
- Plant Operator (Petroleum Products)
- Plant Operator (Power Generations)
- Plant Superintendent (Petroleum Products)
- Plant Supervisor (Petroleum Products)
- Plant Technician
- Plasma Sprayer
- Plater
- Plumbers/Pipefitters (Elevated Construction)
- Pre-Wire (Television Cable)
- Processing Supervisor (Hazardous Waste Materials)
- Production Chemists
- Production Supervisors/Managers
- Project Engineer (Power Generation Plant)
- Project Manager (Elevated Construction)
- Propane Service Technician
- Pumpers
- Quality Assurance Manager (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)
- Quality Control Chemists
- Quality Control Inspector (Aircraft)
- Quality Control Inspector (Prestress Concrete)
- Quality Control Lab Technician (Prestress Concrete)
- Quality Control-Laboratory (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)

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- Quality Control-Production Inspector (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)
- Quality Control Supervisor
- Quality Control Team Member/Produce Inspector
- Quality Monitors (Surgical Sponge Manufacturing)
- Registered Nurse/Nurse Practitioner
- Registered Nurses
- Remedial Service, Technician (Hazardous Waste Materials)
- Repair Personnel of Ambulance and Handicapped Services Vehicles
- Research & Development Chemist
- Residential House Parent
- Riggers of Containment Cables
- Safety Manager (Elevated Construction)
- Safety Officer (Armored Car)
- Sanitation Assistant Team Leader
- Sanitation Team Leader
- Sanitation Team Member
- Sailing Instructor
- Sales Representative/Demonstrator (Heavy Equipment)
- Sales Representative (Crane)
- Security Guard/Safety
- Selector/Forklift Operator
- Senior Projects Manager (Fuel Station Monitoring)
- Senior Technician (Television Cable)
- Service Manager (Cranes)
- Service Technician (Cranes)
- Service Technician (Industrial Chimney/Air Duct and Boiler Systems)
- Service Technician (Television Cable)
- Set-up/Filling (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)
- Shift Supervisor (Power Generations)
- Shipper/Warehouseman/Yardman
- Shipping Receiving (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)
- Shop Laborer (Power Generation Plant)
- Shore Crane Operator (Terminal Operations)
- Shuttle Driver
- Signalman (Terminal Operations)
- Site Clean-up Crews (Hazardous Waste)
- Sorters
- Sprinkler Apprentice
- Sprinkler Mechanic
- Staff Scientist (Hazardous Waste Site)
- Stripper (Chemical)
- Supervisor (Ambulance & Handicapped Services Vehicle)

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- Supervisor (Prestress concrete)
- Supervisor of Professional Services (EMS)
- Tallying Employees (Terminal Operations)
- Teacher
- Teacher Aide
- Teamsters
- Technical/Marketing Representative (Explosives)
- Terminal Foreman (Petroleum Products)
- Terminal Supervisor (Petroleum Products)
- Thermal Sprayers/Gritblasters (Metalizing Operations)
- Toolmaker
- Top Climber/Top Trimmer (Power Line Clearance)
- Traffic Manager (Pharmaceutical Manufacturing)
- Trainer/Forklift
- Transfer Station Operator (Power Generations)
- Truck Driver (Hazardous Waste Materials)
- Truck Driver (LP Gas, Gasoline, Combustible Fuel)
- Truck Driver (Petroleum Products)
- Truck Driver (Road Crack and Joint Repair)
- Truck Drivers (Bridge, Tunnel and Elevated Highway Construction)
- Truck Drivers Helpers (Bridge, Tunnel and Elevated Highway Construction)
- Truck Loaders
- Truckloading Dock Operator of Forklift (Terminal Operations)
- Underground Construction Supervisor
- Underground Utility Locate Technician
- Utility Man
- Utility Operator (Power Generations)
- VTL Machinist
- Van Driver (Revenue Service)
- Vanlube/Bridge Operator
- Vault Personnel (Armed)
- Warehouse Maintenance & Utility Persons (Hazardous Materials)
- Warehouse/Shipping Clerks
- Wastewater Treatment Manager
- Wastewater Treatment Operator
- Waterproofing Installer
- Welder/Fabricators
- Welder (Elevated Construction)
- Welder (Prestress Concrete)
- Weld Manager (Elevated Construction)
- Wheel Chair Van Driver
- Winch Operator (Terminal Operations)

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- Window Installer
- Working Foreman (Hazardous Materials)
- Yard Laborer
- Yardman (Hazardous Waste Materials)