

# Water

## Well Contractor Certification

**What Activities Require This Certification?** A North Carolina certified well contractor must be present at all times when well contractor activities are being conducted. Well contractor activities are defined as the construction, installation, repair, alteration or abandonment of any well.

**What Is The Purpose of This Certification?** The purpose of this certification is to protect public health and safety and to protect the groundwater resources of the state by ensuring the integrity and competence of well contractors.

**Who Issues This Certification?** N.C. Well Contractors Certification Commission (staff support provided by the N.C. Department of Health and Human Services, Well Contractors Certification Unit). [www.wellcontractors.nc.gov](http://www.wellcontractors.nc.gov)

### How Much Will This Certification Cost?

Level A	\$200 annually
Level B	\$150 annually
Level C	\$125 annually
Level D	\$100 annually
Scheduled Exam Fee	\$50
Out-of-cycle Exam Fee	\$100

**What Are My Payment Options for Certification Fees?** Check or money order

### If Paying by Check, Who do I Make the Check Payable to and Where Do I Send the Check?

Make payable to: N.C. Well Contractors Certification Commission (NCWCCC).

Return the application, with supporting documentation and fee, to:  
NCWCCC

1653 Mail Service Center  
Raleigh, NC 27699-1653

**Where Can I Get The Application For This Certification?** <http://wellcontractors.nc.gov/web/eh/forms>

**How Long Will It Take To Review My Application?** Approximately 30 days.

**Where Do I Submit My Application?** Submit the original to: N.C. Well Contractors Certification Commission, 1653 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1653.

**How Long Is My Permit or License or Certificate Valid?** One year: July 1 – June 30.

**Notes/Comments:** This is a certification, rather than a permit.

**Legal Authority/Statute Reference:** G.S. Chapter 87 Article 7A; G.S. Chapter 143B, Article 7, Part 9A; 15A NCAC 27 15A NCAC 27

**Link:** [www.wellcontractors.nc.gov](http://www.wellcontractors.nc.gov)

### Statewide Contact Information:

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