## Instructional Objectives Checklist for Cross Connection Control Surveyor Course

## **1** Introduction

Types of backflow prevention assemblies and devices

**Application and installation** 

2 General knowledge pertaining to:

**Consensus standards writing organizations** 

Listing agencies

**Reading blueprints** 

Codes and regulations from Federal, State and local levels

**Testing laboratories** 

**Professional associations** 

## **3** Hydraulics and Science pertaining to:

**Backflow** 

Backpressure

Backsiphonage

Cavitation

**Differential pressure** 

General knowledge of testing and trouble shooting

**Rigging (weight load)** 

**Special tool requirements** 

**Spring containment** 

**Thermal expansion** 

**Torque requirements** 

Turbulence

**Types of fasteners** 

Vacuum Venturi Principle

4 Safety precautions and hazards during cross connection control surveys

Animals and insects

**Confined** spaces

Electricity

**General safety** 

**Vehicle Traffic** 

- 5 Knowledge of common, potential, recurring and protected cross connections found within: Funeral homes, general industries, medical facilities, offices, restaurants, etc.
- 6 Product performance knowledge:
  - Assembly working pressure (minimum and maximum) Assembly working temperature (minimum and maximum) Backflow, backpressure and backsiphonage **Continuous pressure Degree of hazard** Installation with respect to device orientation, direction of flow and elevation Local codes Pressure loss

7 Parts, terminology & identification, and application & installation for the following:
Air Gap (ANSI A112.1.2)
Atmospheric Type Vacuum Breakers (ASSE 1001)
Anti-siphon Fill Valves (Ballcocks) for Gravity Water Closet Flush Tanks (ASSE 1002)
Hose Connection Vacuum Breakers (ASSE 1011)
<b>Backflow Preventer with Intermediate Atmospheric Vent (ASSE 1012)</b>
<b>Reduced Pressure Principle Backflow Preventers (ASSE 1013)</b>
Double Check Backflow Prevention Assemblies (ASSE 1015)
Vacuum Breaker Wall Hydrants, Freeze Resistant, Automatic Draining Type (ASSE
1019)
Pressure Vacuum Breaker Assembly (ASSE 1020)
Drain Air Gaps for Domestic Dishwasher Applications (ASSE 1021)
<b>Backflow Preventer for Beverage Dispensing Machines (ASSE 1022)</b>
Dual Check Backflow Preventers (ASSE 1024)
Dual Check Valve Type BF for Carbonated Beverage DispensersASSE 1032)
Laboratory Faucet Backflow Preventers (ASSE 1035-current edition)
Reduced Pressure Detector Fire Protection Backflow Prevention Assembly (ASSE
1047)
Double Check Detector Fire Protection Backflow Prevention Assemblies (ASSE 1048)
Hose Connection Backflow Preventer (ASSE 1052)
Spill Resistant Vacuum Breaker (ASSE 1056)
8 Conducting a survey
Actions taken prior to conducting a cross connection control survey
Notification to proper authorities
Notification to premise occupants
Display proper identification
9 Conducting a survey - Safety inspection
Field evaluation for safety hazards regarding Federal, State and local safety regulations
Confined spaces – ventilation, access, oxygen content
Chemical, electrical or flammable hazards
Hazards related to elevation of devices
Hazards to the surveyor and other persons
Security for Backflow Prevention Assemblies
10 Conducting a survey - Checklist
Complete a cross connection control survey checklist which includes systems identifica-
tion, assembly and device locations and potential and actual cross connections
Record the physical identification of backflow prevention assemblies including:
type of device, manufacturer, model number, seriel number, size, location, type of shut
off valves, building address, observations
Connection control surveyor data including: surveyor's printed name and signature,
surveyor's identification, and date and time of cross connection control survey.
11 Conducting a survey - Documentation
Review of the actions taken after completing a cross connection control survey inspection:
Completion the proper documentation.
I verify that the above mentioned instructional objectives have been covered
in this course of instruction.