



## Swimming Pool Technical Operator (SPTO)

The Swimming Pool Technical Operators course is a 3 Day program which covers all aspects of Pool Plant management and is accredited by the UK Pool Water Treatment Advisory Group.

The SPTO aims to enable candidates to have an understanding of Pools, Spa's, Interactive Water Features and much more, including good management principles of pool plant operations, water quality management and health and safety requirements.

The SPTO Syllabus includes:

1. Swimming Pool Design
2. Hydraulics and water circulation
3. Filtration
4. Pollution and hygiene
5. Management, regulation and training
6. Primary disinfection
7. Secondary disinfection
8. Dosing chemicals
9. Pool water chemistry
10. Testing and controlling pool water chemistry
11. Healthy swimming – the health risks
12. Preventing outbreaks
13. Microbiological testing
14. Plant maintenance
15. Cleaning and hygiene
16. PPE and plant room emergency procedures
17. Spa pools

**Assessment:** Exam Paper consisting of Multiple Choice and Essay Questions.  
Work Based Assignment

**Course Duration:** 3 Days

**Max Spaces:** 16