

# WLS PRE-REQUISITE COURSES

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Candidates must complete one pre-requisite course in each of the six WLS Content Domains, for a total of six courses.

All pre-requisite courses must be completed prior to attending the Prep Course.

## **Domain #1: Basic Skills in Water Damage Restoration (minimum of 12 contact hours)**

Candidate must complete basic water loss training from any one course listed below.

- a. RIA Certified Restoration Technician Course (CRT)( visit [www.restorationindustry.org](http://www.restorationindustry.org) and click on "Education" for details)
- b. RIA Certified Restorer (CR) Certification Prep Course
- c. IICRC Water Restoration Technician Course (WRT)

## **Domain #2: Hands on Water Damage, Restoration & Drying Training (minimum of 18 contact hours)**

Candidate must complete hands-on training in water damage from any one course listed below.

- a. IICRC Applied Structural Drying (ASD)
- b. ADI Restorative Drying Training
- c. ACAC CSDR / CSDS Certification RIA Certification Department 2025 M Street NW, Washington, DC 20036
- d. Restoration Sciences Academy (Dri-Eaz) 201 Restorative Drying Course
- e. Reets Drying Academy Hands-on Water Damage Course

## **Domain #3: Microbial Remediation (minimum of 18 contact hours)**

Candidate must complete mold training from any one course listed below.

- a. RIA CMP Certification Prep Course:
- b. RIA MRS mold course
- c. IICRC Applied Microbial Remediation Technician (AMRT)
- d. IAQA mold training courses of at least 3-days in length.
- e. American Council for Accredited Certification (ACAC) mold or higher level IEQ training courses of at least 3-days in length

## **Domain #4: Health & Safety Training (minimum of 12 contact hours)**

Candidate must complete any one course listed below of health and safety training.

- a. IICRC Health and Safety Technician (HST) course
- b. OSHA Haz-Com 10-hour Course
- c. Other OSHA/Red Cross training equivalent (PPE, Respiratory Training, Confined Space, Lock-Out/Tag-Out, Bloodborne Pathogens, Fall Protection, etc.)

## **Domain #5: Building Science (minimum of 7 contact hours)**

Candidate must complete any one course in building science listed below.

- a. RIA 2012 Building Science 1-day Course
- b. RIA 2010 Building Science workshop
- c. Building Science Course

## **Domain #6: Project Management & Commercial Loss Training (minimum of 12 contact hours)**

Candidate must complete any one course listed below

- a. RIA 2013 2-day Project Management course (visit [Error! Hyperlink reference not valid.](#) and click on "Education" for details)
- b. IICRC Commercial Drying Specialist Course (CDS)
- c. RIA 2008 – 2010 Project Management Workshops
- d. Equivalent industry project management course (ex. Violand Management's Kent State University course)