

ID Armband

Scope: Americas
Activity: ALL
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Ramp Qualification Indicators

Starting October 7, 2024, WFS North America will implement a new approach to identifying ramp service and equipment qualifications for ramp employees. Color-coded ID holder armbands will be issued to visually indicate everyone's qualification level.

This new standard will take effect once all ramp service employees at your station have complete qualification records in our electronic Learning Management System and have received their new ID holder armbands.

Once implemented, compliance with the ID armbands program will continue be enforced by management and monitored through our internal inspection and audit program.

Reminder: All employees must keep in their possession a valid state-issued driver's license and a WFS Operator Permit Card when operating ground support equipment (GSE) and Yellow "Trainee" lanyards will be required for employees undergoing training until they achieve Level 1 qualification.

Rollout Plan:

Initial ID armband supply will be distributed directly from the WFS Brand Store prior to rollout schedule below. Subsequent replenishment will be the responsibility of the local station.

October 7, 2024 – Midwest Region – BIL, BZN, DEN, DFW, FAR, GTF, IND, MTJ, RAP

October 15, 2024 – Central Region – AUS, AZA, CID, FSD, IAH, ICT, MDW, PIT, RFD

November 1, 2024 - Northwest Region - EUG, LAS, PHX, PSP, SAN, SEA, SMF

November 15, 2024 – East Region - ALB, BWI, EWR, JFK, PBG, PHL, SRQ, STL, TTN, plus STT, STX, HNL

December 1st - Cargo Ramp locations, UPS Ramp locations

December 10th - Amazon Ramp, DHL Ramp locations



Trainee – No Qualification – Yellow Lanyard Only



Level One and Level Two (- Non-Loader Operator - Green



Level Two - Loader Operator – Orange



Level Three – All Qualifications - Blue