



Educational Services and NATE

The standard of HVAC Technician Excellence

Emerson Climate Technologies is a proud sponsor and supporter of North American Technician Excellence, Inc. (NATE). More than 17,000 HVAC technicians across the country are NATE certified. This elite group of technicians has passed the NATE test to independently verify their knowledge and skill.

NATE Recertification

Recently, Educational Services received notification that four of its seminars have been approved for NATE recognized recertification credit hours. After a technician passes the rigorous initial certification exam they must be recertified every five years. There are three options for recertification.

- 1) **Continuing Education:** A technician submits proof of sixty or more hours of NATE recognized training (applying to their specialty) in the five year period (window) that started with the month and year of the certification date shown on their wallet card.
- 2) **Continuing Education with Testing:** A technician who has taken less than sixty hours but at least thirty hours of NATE recognized training during the five year window can earn recertification by passing a short 50 question recertification test.
- 3) **Testing:** Technicians who have taken less than thirty hours of NATE recognized training in the five year window must take the current NATE certification test to renew each specialty.

Emerson Climate Technologies Qualifying Seminars

Emerson Climate Technologies now has five seminars in its curriculum that could earn a technician up to **48** hours towards NATE recertification in their specialty. That's 80% of the hours needed to recertify without testing!

Division	Seminar	Hours Earned	NATE Specialty*
Computer Process Controls	E2 Building Control Series	16	ACAS, ACAI, OLAS
Computer Process Controls	E2 Refrigeration Control Series	16	HPAS
Copeland Corporation	Compressor Operation and Service Seminar (COSS)	24	ACAS, ACAI, ADAS, ADAI, HPAS, HPAI
Copeland Corporation	A/C Scroll Training Seminar	4	ACAS, ACAI, ADAS, ADAI, HPAS, HPAI
HVACR Motors	AC Induction Motor Training	4	ACAS, ACAI, ADAS, ADAI, GSAS, GSAI, HPAS, HPAI, OLAS, OLAI

*ACAS = Air Conditioning (Air) Service; ACAI = Air Conditioning (Air) Installation; ADAS = Air Distribution (Air) Service; ADAI = Air Distribution (Air) Installation; ; GSAS = Gas Heating (Air) Service; GSAI = Gas Heating (Air) Installation; HPAS = Heat Pump (Air) Service; HPAI = Heat Pump (Air) Installation; OLAS = Oil Heating (Air) Service; OLAI = Oil Heating (Air) Installation

NATE Testing

Additionally, at least one time per year Educational Services proctors NATE certification and recertification testing at the Copeland Corporation facility. For more information regarding the testing dates, cost and requirements check online at emersonclimate.com/education or call 800-748-2779.

More detailed information about NATE and their certification requirements can be found on their website at natex.org.