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### **LDEQ offers NetDMR assistance training for required online submissions**

**BATON ROUGE** - The Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality (LDEQ) is offering hands-on training for permittees on the use of the NetDMR online application for the submission of discharge monitoring reports. A Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) is a self-reporting document that is generated by permittees who have a Louisiana Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (LPDES) permit.

EPA's NPDES Electronic Reporting Rule requires facilities to submit Discharge Monitoring Reports electronically through NetDMR.

Two new sessions can help facilities navigate the process, and LDEQ has people trained in the use of the program who can instruct you and show you how to submit a DMR properly to fulfill your federal requirement.

This training has been scheduled at LDEQ Headquarters, 602 N. 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, for the first quarter of 2020. Classes are available as follows:

**CDX/NETDMR Account Assistance training – One-hour session.** This session will help you create a new account, correct an existing account, complete an unfinished account, approve access and other account questions. The sessions will be held:

- Tuesday, Jan. 14 – 8 to 9 a.m.; 9 to 10 a.m. and 10 to 11 a.m.
- Tuesday, Feb. 11 – 8 to 9 a.m.; 9 to 10 a.m. and 10 to 11 a.m.
- Thursday, Mar. 19 – 8 to 9 a.m.; 9 to 10 a.m. and 10 to 11 a.m.

**Electronic DMR Submittal Assistance training – One-hour session.** This session will help you submit electronic DMRs using a lab report, submit electronic DMRs using a paper DMR, how to navigate both programs and address other DMR submittal questions and concerns. The sessions will be held:

- Tuesday, Jan. 14 – noon to 1 p.m.; 1 to 2 p.m. and 2 to 3 p.m.
- Thursday, Jan. 23 – 8 to 9 a.m.; 9 to 10 a.m.; 10 to 11 a.m.; noon to 1 p.m.; 1 to 2 p.m. and 2 to 3 p.m.
- Tuesday, Feb. 11 – noon to 1 p.m., 1 to 2 p.m. and 2 to 3 p.m.
- Thursday, Mar. 19 – noon to 1 p.m., 1 to 2 p.m. and 2 to 3 p.m.

Registration for these classes is required.

You can register by phone at 225-219-3786, or through the LDEQ website: [www.deq.la.gov/netdmr-training](http://www.deq.la.gov/netdmr-training).