HVACR Training/Qualification Path (Newfoundland & Labrador)

Entry Option 1
YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP SUMMER PROGRAM (YASP)

Secondary school students completing grade 10 or 11.

Find an Employer/Sponsor

The employer must be willing to sponsor your apprenticeship and have a licensed journey person to supervise you.

Work in the Trade

Seven weeks of on-the-job training. Hours applied to regular apprenticeship.

Entry Option 2
PRE-EMPLOYMENT

Achieve Level 1 through in-class training.

Pre-Employment Training Program

37 weeks by approved training provider.

Entry Option 3
CERTIFICATION

In-province apprenticeship/training not currently available. Option to write a certification exam.

Gasfitter – B/A

Interprovincial Exam (optional)

Certificate of Qualification with Red Seal Endorsement

Apply for Gas Technician license

Obtained from NL Government

Entry Option 4
TRADES QUALIFIER

Individuals with significant work experience including other provinces or country's) qualified to write a challenge exam.

Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Mechanic
Work hours = 10,800

Application to be Examined & Record of Work

Practical & Certification Exams

Certificate of Qualification with Red Seal Endorsement

Entry Option 5
REGULAR APPRENTICESHIP

Meet the age, residence and education requirements. Be legal to work in Canada.

Find an Employer/Sponsor

The employer must be willing to sponsor your apprenticeship and have a licensed journey person to supervise you.

Apply for Apprenticeship

gov.nl.ca/atcd

Apprenticeship Approved

On-the-Job Practical Experience and Technical Training

Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Mechanic
Work hours = 7,200
In-Class = 31 weeks

Includes completion of all level training and exams.

Interprovincial Exam

Certificate of Apprenticeship & Certificate of Qualification with Red Seal Endorsement