

Trainers Certified in Sexual Harassment Prevention for the Tipped Wage Industry

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1. Purpose and Trainer List:

Businesses who employ at least one tipped wage worker must receive sexual harassment training every two years by one of the OHR-certified trainers (listed below in alphabetical order by organization). The training can be completed online or in person, as appropriate.

** Has pre-recorded training available*

***Only provides training for their employer*

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