

A. General Information

A.4 Operator Responsibilities

- a. The operator shall be certified by the Department of Ecology or approved by a local health jurisdiction or otherwise acceptable to the department in accordance with 246-272B-07200 WAC.
- b. The operator shall be responsible for safely and lawfully operating the LOSS and ensuring that it consistently and reliably treats sewage as directed in the operating permit.
- c. The operator shall prepare, sign and submit monitoring reports prepared in accordance with the Monitoring and Reporting Plan (Appendix 5), certifying that the results are correct and the report is complete.
- d. The operator, along with the owner, is responsible for ensuring that certain substances do not enter the LOSS collection system. These include:
 - Strong bases, acids, chlorinated solvents, or other toxic or hazardous substances
 - Fire or explosion hazards
 - Solid or viscous wastes that could plug sewer lines
 - Drainage from surface runoff, footing drains, roof drains, subsurface storm water infiltrations systems, swimming pools, and other non-sewage drains
 - Industrial wastewater