

How to recertify and renew CERT Disaster Service Worker (DSW) Badge

Note: At this time (June 2020) the process may change to adapt to Covid-19 precautions.

Maintaining your qualification in CERT requires completing 20 hours of continuing education and activities in a 5-year period, and then participating in a recertification process by emailing certauxiliary@gmail.com for current instructions.

In 2021 and thereafter, recertification will require 25 hours of continuing education.

Badge expires in 2020—**20** hours

Badge expires 2021 and thereafter—**25** hours.

You may recertify within 9 months of your DSW Badge expiration. Please contact certauxiliary@gmail.com for information about the current process.

If your DSW badge has ***expired*** you must attend another CERT Basic class to recertify. However, if you are ***active in the CERT program*** you may renew your badge by completing the University of Utah's free online course (at www.onlinecert.org). This course is self-paced and you may complete the modules in any order. You will receive documentation for each module and a completion certificate after finishing the entire course.

For questions or further information please contact your Team Leader. Additionally you may email: certauxiliary@gmail.com for information or further guidance.