



California Responsible Beverage Service (RBS) Training Program

Effective July 1, 2022, all alcohol servers and managers of alcohol servers in California must take an approved Responsible Beverage Service (RBS) Training Program. Alcohol servers and managers then need to take an exam provided by the California Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC). Use this guide to complete the training and exam..



Register on the California Alcoholic Beverage Control Portal

- Visit the [California Alcohol Beverage Control Portal](#)
- Click Login / Register, then Register, and create a profile
- Confirm your email
- Complete application, pay \$3.00, and get your ID Number.



Take the ServSafe Alcohol California Online Course

- Visit [ServSafe's website](#)
- Purchase the ServSafe Alcohol California Online Course. If you were assigned a course key, log in and redeem your course key.
- Launch your course, enter your Server ID (ID Number from Step 1), then complete the online course. The course takes 2.5 to 3 hours.



Return to the California Alcoholic Beverage Control Portal to Take the Exam

- Check your email for a message from the California Alcohol Beverage Control. This confirms you are ready to take the exam.
- Visit the [California Alcohol Beverage Control Portal](#)
- Click Login / Register, then log in
- Follow the instructions on your screen to take the exam

The exam is 50 questions. You must receive a score of at least 70% to pass. You may attempt to take the exam 3 times. You are encouraged to use resources from the ServSafe Alcohol California Online Course when taking the exam.