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New facilities provide welcome expansion

Great news! The number of facilities in the Wisconsin Vehicle Inspection Program (WIVIP) continues to grow through 2022 with more joining every month. Please join us in welcoming the new facilities to the network, and those about to come on board!

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Recertification reminder

Remember to ensure that you give yourself plenty of time to book your recertification to keep your inspector certification current.

Sixty days prior to your certification end date you will get a notice on the analyzer when you fingerprint in. At that point we recommend you call (262) 641-5217, extension 2, and schedule your recertification with one of our customer care representatives before your certification runs out.



Software update news

It is now several weeks since we completed a software update, and all seems to have gone smooth with no reported issues. The update addressed several items; a few of the highlights are listed below:

- The cost waiver was raised to \$978, effective July 1st.
- We updated from Internet Explorer to Microsoft Edge.
- Facilitated GVWR removal of additional steps to address feedback from PIF inspectors.
- Populated the GVWR for vehicles 2007 and newer that are under 14,001 lbs. and not passenger cars. (Note: Existing passenger cars are already populated under 6001 lbs.) All other vehicles will still require manual GVWR input.
- Removed all old inspector messages; only messages sent within 30 days of the initial login for an inspector will display.

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Do your customers need to renew?

Don't forget to ask emissions inspection and core business customers if they would like their registration renewed!



The Technician's Bench

Service bulletin from Audi of America

Please ensure that your emissions inspectors are familiar with the Audi of America service bulletin that covers a number of 2019 to 2023 model Audi vehicles. You can find the full details online or through your normal Service Bulletin provider. Below are the bulletin highlights:

97 22 83 2067133/1 June 3, 2022

Identifies that PSS 97 Yellow check engine lamp sporadically lights up in the instrument cluster. DTC U014000 and U110100 are stored.

- **Technical Background:** Vehicle Electronics, J519 (diagnostic address 0009) intermittently enters component protection mode causing the check engine lamp to be illuminated.
- **Note:** Replacing the control unit will not solve the problem. A software update is being prepared.

If this DTC occurs during an emissions inspection, the Opus team requests that you inform them of the situation, with full details of the vehicle in question.



Hybrid vehicle emissions support—Quick Lookup Guide

Over the next few weeks, all stations should receive a **Quick Lookup Guide** that can be kept by the analyzer. This simple guide lists the most popular Hybrid vehicles and the process needed to put them in emissions testing mode and all the information from the manufacturers' owner's manuals.

Program team members have put the Guide together after receiving feedback from those who have found it difficult to put certain hybrid vehicles into the correct testing mode, as all manufacturers do this process differently. Hopefully, the Guide will enable a smooth and efficient inspection testing process for most hybrid vehicles and give the customer another great experience while visiting your facilities.

Remember, if you are still having a problem testing a hybrid vehicle you can always call the team at **(262) 641-5217**. We are here to help.

If you would like to see more emissions-related subjects in future editions of The Analyzer, please send your ideas to wisconsin@OpusInspection.com.

Interested in joining the WIVIP team as a PIF?

It's easy!

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**Save the date—
December 8th**

New technical seminar coming soon!

Please look out for your invitation to a **technical seminar** on Thursday, December 8, 2022. the **WIVIP**, in conjunction with **Moraine Park Technical College** will be holding the seminar at the Opus Headquarters in New Berlin. The seminar will be given by automotive instructor **Francesco "Frank" Corrente**.

Further details coming soon!