

Generator Maintenance Technician (Entry-Level)

Northeast Generators LLC | Scotch Plains, NJ

Launch Your Career with One of New Jersey's Leading Generator Companies

Northeast Generators is looking for a motivated, dependable Generator Maintenance Technician to join our growing service team. This position is ideal for someone with mechanical or electrical aptitude who wants to build a long-term career servicing standby generator systems.

No generator experience? That's okay.

If you're mechanically inclined, eager to learn, and take pride in doing quality work, we'll provide the training you need to become a skilled generator technician.

About the Role

As a Generator Maintenance Technician, you'll perform preventative maintenance on residential and commercial standby generators while learning from experienced senior technicians. As your skills grow, you'll receive additional training in diagnostics, repairs, and troubleshooting with a clear path toward becoming a Generator Service Technician.

This is more than a maintenance position—it's the first step in a long-term career.

What You'll Do

- Perform scheduled maintenance on residential and commercial standby generators.
 - Change engine oil, oil filters, air filters, spark plugs, and fuel filters.
 - Inspect batteries, chargers, belts, hoses, and cooling systems.
 - Check engine operation, exercise cycles, and safety systems.
 - Perform operational testing under load when appropriate.
 - Clean and inspect generator equipment.
 - Document maintenance findings using our service software.
 - Identify potential problems and report them to senior technicians.
 - Maintain a clean, organized company service vehicle.
 - Deliver exceptional customer service at every visit.
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Who We're Looking For

We're looking for someone who enjoys working with their hands, solving problems, and learning new skills.

Ideal candidates may have experience in:

- Electrical work
- HVAC
- Diesel or automotive repair
- Small engines
- Equipment maintenance
- Mechanical assembly
- Construction trades
- Military mechanical experience

You don't need generator experience—we'll teach you.

Qualifications

- Mechanical aptitude and willingness to learn
 - Strong work ethic and positive attitude
 - Ability to safely use hand and power tools
 - Basic computer or smartphone skills
 - Excellent communication and customer service skills
 - Valid driver's license with a clean driving record
 - Ability to lift 75 pounds and work outdoors in varying weather conditions
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What You'll Learn

Our training program is designed to develop skilled generator technicians.

You'll receive hands-on training in:

- Generator preventive maintenance
- Engine operation
- Electrical fundamentals
- Automatic Transfer Switch operation
- Generator controllers
- Fuel systems
- Battery and charging systems
- Troubleshooting fundamentals
- Customer communication
- Safe work practices

As your skills improve, you'll transition into repair work and advanced diagnostics.

Career Path

We believe in promoting from within.

Typical advancement:

Generator Maintenance Technician ↓ Generator Service Technician ↓ Senior Generator Service Technician ↓ Lead Technician ↓ Field Supervisor or Service Manager

If you're committed to learning, there is tremendous opportunity for growth.

What We Offer

- Competitive hourly pay
 - Overtime opportunities
 - Paid manufacturer training
 - Company vehicle (based on experience and progression)
 - Company uniforms
 - Professional tools and equipment
 - Paid holidays and vacation
 - Health insurance
 - Retirement plan with company match
 - Ongoing technical training
 - Stable, year-round employment
 - Clear advancement opportunities
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Why Northeast Generators?

We're passionate about developing great technicians.

We invest in our employees through training, mentorship, and opportunities to grow. You'll work alongside experienced professionals who are committed to helping you succeed while building a career in one of the fastest-growing industries in the skilled trades.

If you're dependable, motivated, and ready to learn a valuable trade, we'd love to hear from you.

Start your career with Northeast Generators and help keep homes and businesses powered when it matters most. Apply today!