



**P.O. Box 2570
Ellicott City, MD 21041-2570**

Course Announcement & Registration

ONSITE SYSTEMS INSPECTION - PRACTICES & PROCEDURES

This one-day course provides instructions on the purpose and importance of inspection procedures and how to conduct a proper inspection of an onsite system for property transfers. The course will cover the various aspects of gravity septic system design, construction, and function, as well as science behind the soil treatment process. Participants will learn how to evaluate system flows and identify problems. There will be limited discussion on pressurized systems and pre-treatment units.

This course has been approved by MDE to meet the requirements set forth in Maryland Annotated Code 9-217.1. The law stipulates that anyone conducting inspections of onsite sewage disposal systems for property conveyance must complete such a course of study. Participants will receive a comprehensive manual and other related material. Successful completion of the course requires a passing score of 80% or better on the in-class exam. The in-class exam will be 50 minutes and results will NOT be given out until a later date.

Who Should Attend this Course? This course is intended for septic inspectors, contractors, engineers, designers and regulators within the onsite wastewater industry. It is also a valuable course for realtors and land developers who need information on the essential topics in the use and application of onsite systems. MDE also encourages that all Licensed Environmental Health Specialists engaged in OSDS work take an MDE approved OSDS Inspector Training Class, so that they may also be familiar with the proper techniques for evaluating an OSDS.

Note: The Maryland State Legislature has recently enacted legislation that requires Maryland Department of Environment to establish regulations requiring all onsite wastewater property transfer inspectors to be licensed. In order to maintain the licenses, inspectors will be required to get CEU's to maintain licensing for inspections. MDE as of date has not announced what changes will need to be made to the course to be compliant with the new legislation. Those who take the course may need to take a re-certification course in the future.

Now Accepting Registration:

May 25th, 2022
8:00 am – 4: 00 pm

**Annapolis Elks Lodge
2 Pythian Drive
Edgewater, MD 20137**

Inclement Weather Date in the event of class being canceled:
N/A

- Registration Deadline: May 11th, 2022 (or when classroom reached maximum capacity of 35)
- Course requires at least 10 registered attendees at least 1 week prior to course date.
- Registration forms are available on the MOWPA website: www.mowpa.org For inquiries, please contact Rachel at 443.570.2029, or email info@mowpa.org.
- This course has been submitted for approval by the Maryland Board of Environmental Health Specialists for 7.0 CEUs
- Please refer to our Inclement Weather & Refund Policies for any questions regarding those issues.



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Onsite System Inspection – Practices & Procedures Attendee Registration Form May 25, 2022

Please limit one registration form per attendee.

Registration Fees: Please check the appropriate payment being submitted:

A) Current MOWPA Member (Regular/Associate) \$195.00

B) Non- MOWPA Member* \$290.00

Non- Member Price includes the cost of a MOWPA Regular Membership

Company/Organization _____

Attendee Name _____

Type of Business (circle all the apply) OSDS Installer / Pumper / Regulator / Consultant / Inspector

Address

Telephone _____ Fax _____

Email _____ Amount Included w/registration _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION (MOWPA EIN # 20-2130265)

- Mail completed registration form and payment in full to MOWPA, P. O. Box 2570 • Ellicott City, MD 21041-2570
- Email: info@mowpa.org Phone: (443) 570-2029
- Online Registration - <https://www.mowpa.org/MOWPA/osds-inspection-training>