

# Construction Stormwater Training

Developers, Engineers, & Contractors



The City of Spokane requires an Erosion and Sediment Control Plan (ESCP) or a Construction Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) for earth disturbing activities within the city's geographical boundary. The ESCP and SWPPP typically require the installation and inspection of structural best management practices (BMP<sup>s</sup>), such as erosion and sediment controls throughout the life of the construction project. Training is available for construction site operators (developers, contractors, engineers, etc.) that demonstrates how to select, install, and effectively manage structural erosion and sediment control BMP<sup>s</sup>.

## The ABC<sup>s</sup> of BMP Installation Online Course



This online ABC<sup>s</sup> of BMP Installation course provides an opportunity to learn what is necessary to install BMP<sup>s</sup> and perform BMP inspections. The course demonstrates the proper installation and inspection benchmarks of 15 basic BMP<sup>s</sup> by use of online videos that show BMP<sup>s</sup> in the field. The aim of the roughly 5 hour course is to provide the attendees what generally "might take months or years of work in erosion and sediment control" to learn. The course includes a digital



download of the BMP Manual – Best of the BMP<sup>s</sup> Guidance Manual which will be referenced in the course. Upon successful completion of a course exam, the course can be used for 0.5 CEU<sup>s</sup> or 5 PDU<sup>s</sup>.

Go to online to the [Stormwater University](https://stormwateruniv.com/courses/the-abc-s-of-bmp-installation/) for more information on the ABC<sup>s</sup> of BMP Installation course.

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## CESCL Classroom Classroom Course



The Washington State Construction Stormwater General Permit requires that site inspections be conducted by personnel certified as Certified Erosion and Sediment Control Leads (CESCL<sup>s</sup>), and participants that complete this course will receive the CESCL certification. The most current techniques used to manage construction site erosion and sediment are presented in the CESCL course, as well as compliant inspections approaches to current local, state, and federal stormwater regulations. The course combines instruction in the classroom on Day 1 with hands-on field training on Day 2 to demonstrate how to select, install, and test BMP<sup>s</sup> for specific site conditions.



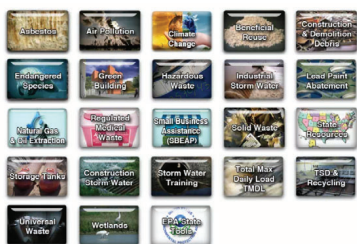
The [AGC – Inland Northwest Chapter](https://www.nwagc.org/upcoming-classes) website has information on upcoming CESCL courses.

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## Environmental Compliance Assistance Platform



The Environmental Compliance Assistance Platform (EnvCAP) collaborates with environmental specific training providers to effectively and efficiently deliver the information. EnvCAP's Training Resource Locator identifies statewide and regional educators for several types of environmental training, including stormwater, that is aimed at all job levels in the



construction industry. The Locator is a great tool if you are unsure what training opportunities are available, or where to find training resources.

The online [Stormwater Training Resources Locator](https://www.envcap.org/srl/srl.php?sr=16&state=WA) provides information on several stormwater training resources.

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