

EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL NATIONAL CERTIFICATION INFORMATION

EnviroCert International, INC.

- Certified Professional in Erosion & Sediment Control (CPESC)

<https://envirocertintl.org/>

- Certified Erosion, Sediment, & Storm Water Inspector (CESSWI)

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CISEC, INC.

- Certified Inspector of Sediment and Erosion Control (CISEC)

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STORMWATER FACT SHEET: CERTIFICATION OPTIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION SITE STORMWATER RUNOFF CONTROL



Quick facts on...

National Organizations that Provide Training & Certifications for Construction Site Stormwater Runoff Control



Organization:	CISEC		ENVIROCERT		National Stormwater Center		StormwaterONE	
Program Longevity:	14 Years		39 Years		24 Years		13 Years	
Certifications Offered and Approximate Number of Active Certifications:	Certification Type:	No. Active:	Certification Type:	No. Active:	Certification Type:	No. Active:	Certification Type:	No. Active:
	CISEC (Certified Inspector of Sediment and Erosion Control)	2,450	CESSWI (Certified Erosion, Sediment, & Storm Water Inspector) CPESC (Certified Professional in Erosion & Sediment Control) CPSWQ (Certified Professional in Stormwater Quality) CPMSM (Certified Professional in Municipal Stormwater Management)	2,060 3,484 702 207	CSI-Construction (Cert. Storm-water Inspector–Construction)	7,000	QCIS (Qualified Compliance Inspector of Stormwater) QPSWPP (Qualified Preparer of Stormwater Pollution Prev. Plans)	# Not Avail.
	Total Active Certifications:	2,450	Total Active Certifications:	6,453	Total Active Certifications:	7,000	Per phone conversation: thousands of Certifications	
Certification Cost:	Review Course & Exam: \$550 to \$575		Review Course, Book & Exam: \$570 to \$610		\$824		\$559	
Training Methods:	On-Line or In-Person; 8 to 12 Hours		On-Line or In-Person; 8 Hours		On-line or In-Person; 2 Days (12 Hours)		Internet-Based : 14 Hours	
Exam Methods:	In-Person Exam		In-Person or On-Line Exam		In-Person Exam		On-Line Exam	
Re-Certification:	Complete 12 Continuing Development Hours Annually		Complete 6 Professional Development Hours Annually		Certificate is Valid for 5 years			
Website Info:	<p>“In 2006, CISEC, Inc. presented its first training modules followed by administrating its first certification examination. Today, individuals continue to take the one-day or one and one-half day construction site inspector training modules on sediment and erosion control. The nationwide CISEC program continues to prove its success and professionalism by leading the nation in certifying inspectors of sediment and erosion control on construction sites.”</p> <p>cisecinc.org</p>		<p>“EnviroCert offers four unique certification programs relating to Erosion and Stormwater Management. EnviroCert Certificants are clearly recognized by all 50 states and many countries as experts in their field.”</p> <p>envirocertintl.org</p>		<p>“Construction stormwater permits generally have a requirement for ‘qualified personnel’. Earn your qualifications and specialize in stormwater pollution prevention for your development projects. This course is appropriate for all Construction and Development stormwater permittees and their consultants, including Municipal construction personnel.”</p> <p>npdes.com</p>		<p>“Our certificate programs provide professionals with the skills and qualifications required to maintain construction sites in accordance with section 402 of the Clean Water Act. Section 402 of the Clean Water Act outlines the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permitting program and requires all construction sites disturbing one (1) acre or more of land to obtain permit coverage to discharge stormwater and other wastewater from construction sites.”</p> <p>stormwaterone.com</p>	