

ND TECHNICAL CERTIFICATION PROGRAM (TCP) QC/QA CERTIFICATION RENEWAL

SCHEDULE (11.08.21)

You will receive an email meeting invitation 1 week before the course date.

*AGGREGATE AND ASPHALT RENEWAL – USING MICROSOFT TEAMS

December 16, 2021 (Virtual)

February 24, 2022 (Virtual)

ASPHALT PAVEMENT INSPECTION RENEWAL- USING MICROSOFT TEAMS

December 15, 2021 (Virtual)

February 23, 2022 (Virtual)

OVERVIEW

The Aggregate and Asphalt Renewal course covers the first requirement for five-year renewal for Aggregate Tester and Asphalt Mix Tester and all requirements for the Asphalt Mix Controller certification.

Asphalt Pavement Inspection Renewal course covers the five-year renewal requirement for Asphalt Pavement Inspectors.

Classes are intended for individuals that have actively been involved in the construction industry within the last five years. They do not provide a re-education of all topics included in original courses.

Individuals that have **not** had the opportunity to work in their certification area may elect to repeat the full course.

All tester certifications require a performance exam every five years. This is not included in the virtual classroom session. A separate virtual performance exam will be scheduled.

COURSE SYLLABUS:

- Brief Review of Original Course Materials
- Specification Updates and Special Provisions
- Field Sampling and Testing Manual Updates
 - Test or Procedure updates
- Common Testing Errors
- Worksheets and Forms, Asphalt Paving Workbook (Excel)
 - Daily materials reporting
- Recycled Asphalt Pavement
- Industry Trends and New Technology
- Project Documentation

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MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

- Basic Math Skills
- Calculator (cell phone calculator will not be allowed for exam)

CERTIFICATION RENEWAL REQUIREMENTS

Recent construction field experience.

Completion of class and online exam with minimum score of 70 percent.

Tester certification also requires a (virtual) performance exam. The exam can be scheduled after class registration.

REGISTRATION

\$125 – Inspector Renewal

\$175 – Aggregate and Asphalt Renewal

Payment may be made via credit card or by check mailed to DAPA. Registration for the class is through the DOT web link. A class registration confirmation email will contain the link to the DAPA payment web page.

Checks may be mailed to DAPA, 3030 Airport Road, Suite B, Pierre, SD 57501

Includes electronic (PDF) handouts and exam

REGISTER ONLINE

To register for this course [click this link](#) or go to the TCP Registration link found on the NDDOT TCP web page under the tab labeled **Certification Classes**.

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REFERENCE MATERIAL

[Standard Specification for Roads and Bridges](#) –and Supplemental Specifications

[Field Sampling and Testing Manual](#)

[Construction Records Manual](#)

INSTRUCTOR

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