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

NEW FOR 2026-2027

Performance exams are separate registration items and include a fee.

REGISTRATION

Registration is through UPGTI at this link.

$300 – Asphalt Pavement Inspector Renewal
$350 – Asphalt Mix
(Aggregate Testing, Asphalt Mix Testing, and Asphalt Mix Designer/Mix Control

ASPHALT PAVEMENT INSPECTOR RENEWAL

December 8, 2026, 9 am to Noon, Microsoft Teams meeting. Online quiz scheduled after the session.

ASPHALT MIX RENEWAL*

December 9, 2026, 9 am to Noon, Microsoft Teams meeting. Online quiz scheduled after the session.

OVERVIEW

Certification renewal does not update an expired certification.

The renewal courses are designed for individuals who have been actively involved in the construction industry in the last five years and have a certification due for renewal in 2026.

Renewal courses combine homework (viewing pre-recorded videos) and a live 3-hour Microsoft Teams Meeting for Q&A and additional updates.

The Asphalt Pavement Inspection Renewal course completes all requirements for renewal for Asphalt Pavement Inspectors.

*If you are an Asphalt Mix Controller and do not have a current tester certification, Asphalt Mix Renewal is the only requirement

PERFORMANCE EXAM FOR TESTER CERTIFICATION

Tester Certification requires a performance exam to be completed every 5 years. The performance exam requires a separate registration and a fee. Dates will be offered following class registration. *Note: it may take some time for the email to be sent listing options.*

COURSE SYLLABUS

Recycled Asphalt Pavement (RAP)
Balanced Mix Design research and testing in ND
Industry Trends and New Technology
Project Documentation
Specification Updates and Special Provisions
Field Sampling and Testing Manual Updates
Common Testing Errors

Standard Specification for Roads and Bridges

Field Sampling and Testing Manual

Construction Records Manual

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The courses are a collaborative effort of the Upper Great Plains Transportation Institute (UGPTI), Dakota Asphalt Pavement Association (DAPA), and the North Dakota Department of Transportation (NDDOT) to provide certification opportunities for individuals who work on North Dakota Department of Transportation projects.