

Yellow Card Exam FAQs

Where can I register for the Yellow Card Exam?

Go to www.mtbmaonline.org, and select a date and time to take the exam by clicking on the “Register Now” button that pops up when you hover over the date.

Are there prerequisites for the Yellow Card?

Yes. Yellow card seekers must first get their MDE Responsible Personnel Certification, which can be found at <http://mderpc.mde.state.md.us/Account/login.aspx>. Any questions can be directed to Pat Depkin at 410)537-3628.

How much does the exam cost?

For members of SHA: \$0

For members of a government agency: \$35

For members of MTBMA: \$70.00

For non-members of MTBMA: \$85.00

Where can I find the course materials?

Online at www.mtbmaonline.org, you can select “You may view the course training modules here”, or here:

https://www.roads.maryland.gov/Training/Erosion_and_Sediment/ReCertification/YCtraining.html

Is the test open book?

Yes! You may bring a laptop, printed modules, and all your notes to use on the exam.

What is covered on the exam?

Basic Science of Erosion and Sediment Control, Installing and Maintaining E&S controls, Using the E&S Quality Assurance checklist to monitor compliance, and the Design Modification Process.

Can I take the test online?

As of 8/9/2019, our online testing is still undergoing website development. Please check back for updates. Currently, exams are held in person at MTBMA’s office, found at 2408 Peppermill Dr, Suite F Glen Burnie, MD 21061.

How long do I have to take the exam?

2 hours. If you are more than 30 minutes late to your exam, you must reschedule. Please give advance notice if you are not able to attend as scheduled.

What do I need to get to pass the exam?

80% or higher.

How long is my Yellow Card good for?

Certifications are valid for 3 years.

How long until I receive my Card?

Yellow cards are mailed out within 7-10 days of taking the test.

What if I don't pass the exam?

The Yellow Card exam allows for one free retest. If you do not pass the free retest either, you must reregister online at www.mtbmaonline.org and pay once more.

If you have further questions, please contact MTBMA's training department at training@mtbma.org or by calling 443-543-6310.