



Department of the Environment
Vehicle Emissions Inspection Program

Training Class Information

Course Descriptions for October 2011 Training

The **FREE** 7-hour training class “**OBD II for Service Writers and Managers**” will be taught by Joe Thomas and William Speigle of Utah’s Weber State University on October 21st or 22nd. The times and location for the dates are as follows:

Friday, October 21st at the **Hampton Inn and Suites, Frederick, MD**

9:00 AM— 4:00 PM

Or

Saturday, October 22nd at the **Hampton Inn and Suites, Frederick, MD**

9:00 AM— 4:00 PM

This course will cover various topics related to a vehicle’s OBD II system:

- Elements of the OBD I/M test,
 - The importance of visual MIL inspections,
 - Meanings, roles and operation of Readiness Codes,
 - General conditions for the operations of Continuous and Non-Continuous monitors,
 - Failed vehicles and repairs,
 - OBD system monitors
 - Need to know information for motorists on why their vehicles failed the OBD I/M inspection.
 - And other OBD items...
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Please contact Margie Wise with MDE to register for this course. She may be reached at (410) 537-3197 or by e-mail mwise@mde.state.md.us. **Both of the training sessions will cover the same material.** For directions to the Hampton Inn and Suites at 1565 Opossumtown Pike in Frederick, MD, call 301-696-1565 or please visit the following website .

http://hamptoninn.hilton.com/en/hp/hotels/maps_directions.jhtml?ctyhocn=FDRHSHX