



Department of the Environment
Vehicle Emissions Inspection Program

Training Class Information

Course Descriptions for August 2010 Training

The **FREE** training class “**OBD II Evaporative System Design and Operation**” will be taught by Jim Kemper and Randy Bernklau of Colorado State University on August 26, 27, and 28. The times for the dates are as follows:

Thursday, August 26, 2010 6 PM - 10 PM
Friday, August 27, 2010 8 AM - 12 Noon, 1 PM - 5 PM
Saturday, August 28, 2010 8 AM - 12 Noon

This course will cover various topics related to evaporative systems including:

- Brief background on evaporative system operation.
- Brief introduction to evaporative system requirements and standards
- Modern adaptive purge control systems
- Pressure/vacuum testing issues
- Reid Vapor Pressure (RVP) effects on evaporative system testing
- Evaporative system repair case studies

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. All of the training sessions will cover the same material. For directions to the Maryland Department of the Environment's Baltimore headquarters, call or please visit the following website. www.mde.state.md.us/AboutMDE/Directions/index.asp.