Sanitary Waste Management



Description

Practices and procedures to reduce or prevent the discharge of sanitary wastes from construction sites into the storm drain system or adjacent waterbodies.

Applications

- Construction sites containing temporary or portable sanitary waste systems.

Installation and Implementation Requirements

- Locate sanitary facilities in a convenient place away from drainage facilities.
- Wastewater shall not be discharged to the ground and open waterbodies, or buried.
- Position sanitary facilities where they are secured and will not be tipped over or knocked down.
- Use of straps, rebar stakes, or similar devices to secure sanitary facilities are required.
- Sanitary systems discharging to the sanitary sewer shall comply with the local wastewater treatment plant requirements.



Stakes can be used to secure sanitary facilities to ensure they will not be tipped over or knocked down.

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Installation and Implementation Requirements *(continued)*

- A licensed service provider shall maintain sanitary facilities in good working order.
- Schedule regular waste collection by a licensed transporter at least once a week or as required.
- If a spill occurs, immediately contain and determine if contents have reached an inlet or open waterbody. The area shall be properly disinfected after cleanup of the spill has been completed.
- All spills regardless of size must be reported to the Emergency Spill Response Coordinator and the State of Hawaii Department of Transportation (HDOT) Construction Resident Engineer/Project Engineer/Construction Inspector. *See* section SM-10 Spill Prevention and Control for more information.



Portable toilets must be located away from drainage systems and waterbodies.

What to Inspect

- Are portable toilets secured from tipping over?
- Are contents leaking from septic facility?
- Are portable toilets located away from the drainage systems, concentrated flows and waterbodies?

Maintenance

- Maintain facilities regularly.
- Schedule regular waste collection by a licensed transporter at least once a week or as required.
- Prevent illicit discharges.
- Resecure portable toilets, if needed.