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| Presentation | Industry Specific Inspections | | |
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| Title & Abstract: | Conducting inspections is part art, science, communication, and a large part preparation. Inspections are a fundamental tool for evaluating user compliance with federal, state, and local pretreatment standards and regulations and help accomplish the Pretreatment Program goal of preventing pass-through and interference at POTWs. While the fundamentals of an inspection remain, the vastly different industry types and wastewater treatment processes encountered can each present a unique challenge to Pretreatment Program inspectors. This presentation highlights various categorical processes found within any sewer jurisdictions and provides some, important questions to ask to help inspectors focus on specific needs of those industries and identify possible deficiencies. | | |
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