

What is an **illicit discharge**?

Generally, an illicit discharge is any discharge to the storm sewer system that is not composed entirely of stormwater.

(With some exceptions, such as water from fire fighting operations)



Did you know?

VPCC **prohibits any illicit discharge** to the campuses storm sewer systems.

Why is this important to you?

Disciplinary action can be taken if you dump something down the storm drain!



Why is **illicit discharge** a concern?

Stormwater discharges directly to local surface waters from the storm sewer system.

If it goes in the storm drain,
it goes to surface waters!



Why are **illicit discharge** a concern?

Illicit discharges are hazardous, significantly degrading water quality and threatening aquatic, wildlife, and human health.



These pollutants will be transported to local surface waters.



We can all help prevent illicit discharges!

✓ Learn More

- Visit the VPCC Stormwater Webpage

✓ Dispose of waste properly

- Don't dump to the storm drain
- Prevent pollutant exposure to rain

✓ Report potential illicit discharge

- Call (757) 825-3694 or
- Report via the webpage

