Learn More about Cyanobacteria
Vermont Department of Health
VT DEC’s Introduction to Cyanobacteria video
New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services
New York Department of Environmental Conservation
Cyanobacteria Monitoring Collaborative
US Environmental Protection Agency

Become a Cyanobacteria Monitor in Vermont
Sign up with the Lake Champlain Committee
Sign up with the VT Watershed Management Division

Slow Cyanobacteria Growth by Keeping Nutrients out of Your Lake
Cyanobacteria blooms can occur on any lake, but waters rich in phosphorus and nitrogen (eutrophic waters) are most likely to experience heavy cyanobacteria growth. To learn about simple steps you can take to keep these nutrients from reaching our waters, visit these sites:

Vermont’s Lake Wise Program – caring for shore land in a way that protects your lake
Lawn to Lake – lawn care tips for green lawns, NOT green lakes
What’s Green Infrastructure?
Vermont Guide to Stormwater Management for Homeowners and Small Businesses
Gardening to Absorb the Storm – Vermont’s Rain Garden Manual

A small rain garden with native plants captures and filters runoff from rain events.