

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](#)

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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.

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