



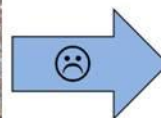
ALL STORM DRAINS ON CAMPUS CONNECT DIRECTLY TO LOCAL STREAMS

Pre-Event Planning

- ✿ Draw a map of your event, and make a note of streams and storm drain locations.
- ✿ Call UNC's Environment, Health and Safety Department at (919) 962-5507 for a pre-event site visit.

Preventing Runoff from Entering Storm Drains, Creeks or Protected Areas

- ✿ If the event will be held on a small, contained area, cordon off the area and place enough tarps on the ground to cover the entire site.
- ✿ Protect storm drains by using berms and covering the drains with tarps.
- ✿ Require participants to **not** throw the dye within 100 feet of any stream.
- ✿ Set up color stations at least 100 feet from any stream.



Dye Ingredients

- ✿ Request a copy of the dye product's MSDS (Material Safety Data Sheet) from the manufacturer or supplier. Review MSDS for potential safety and environmental hazards, and e-mail a copy to EHS at stormwater@ehs.unc.edu.
- ✿ Biodegradable does NOT mean that the substance can go into the local streams. The dye material can harm aquatic organisms by altering water quality and chemistry.

Event Clean-Up

- ✿ Dry off tarps and stained wet pavement with towels or absorbent pads.
- ✿ Do **not** use hoses or pressure washers to rinse excess dye off of tarps, sidewalks or paved areas!
- ✿ Use brooms or street sweepers to clean up paved areas.
- ✿ Call EHS at (919) 962-5507 if you need any help with the clean-up requirements.
- ✿ Call EHS at (919) 962-5507 **immediately** (24/7) if any colored water enters a stream.

