Setting Industry Standards for the Assessment and Rehabilitation of Underground Infrastructure

Unified Commitment | Higher Standards | Better Communities
Get your hands dirty!

Make a difference in the trenchless industry while enjoying the many benefits of membership.

NASSCO is the National Association of Sewer Service Companies. Our mission is to set industry standards for the assessment and rehabilitation of underground infrastructure, and to assure the continued acceptance and growth of trenchless technologies.

NASSCO brings together professionals dedicated to evaluating and repairing sewers. Our members include contractors, engineers, manufacturers, municipalities and other professionals who combine their practical experience and technical expertise in a non-competitive environment. Working together, NASSCO sets standards to ensure work is done right, so everyone wins. NASSCO addresses issues quickly and provides training, networking and committee participation opportunities. Even one NASSCO member can make a substantial impact on the entire sewer industry.

As a NASSCO member you will be an integral part of our challenge to set industry standards and assure the continued growth of trenchless technologies. So roll up your sleeves and get your hands dirty. Visit nassco.org and apply for membership today!
Time and time again, our members tell us that one of the most important benefits of NASSCO membership is training and education. Two of our premier training programs are PACP and ITCP.

**PACP**

Pipeline Assessment Certification Program (PACP) has standardized the procedures for assessing and documenting the condition of underground infrastructure in the U.S., Canada, and Latin America since 2001. PACP enables pipeline system owners to create a comprehensive database to properly identify, plan, prioritize, manage and renovate their pipelines based on consistent coding and data management practices.

**Students get:**
- A comprehensive course manual for future reference
- CEU or PDH credits
- PACP Certification upon passing the exam

**LACP and MACP**

Upon successful completion of PACP, individuals are also eligible to extend their knowledge with the Lateral Assessment Certification Program (LACP) and Manhole Assessment Certification Program (MACP). Taught by NASSCO certified trainers, LACP and MACP are based on the common language developed for PACP.

**Who benefits from PACP, MACP and LACP?**

Contractors, municipalities, engineers, DOTs and other industries with operators trained in the assessment of defects in underground infrastructure.
Inspector Training Certification Program (ITCP) is NASSCO’s standard national training and certification program that provides comprehensive education and tools for professionals to better understand and inspect trenchless infrastructure renewal technologies.

**Technology courses:**
- Cured-In-Place Pipe
- Manhole Rehabilitation Technologies
- Pipe Bursting is planned for the future

**Students get:**
- A comprehensive course manual for future reference
- CEU or PDH credits
- ITCP Certification upon passing the exam

In addition to an increased foundation of knowledge and access to technical advice, attendees will also receive NASSCO’s TAG-R (Trenchless Assessment Guide for Rehabilitation), the easy-to-use interactive software created to evaluate alternative rehabilitation methods.

**Who Benefits from ITCP?**

ITCP greatly benefits field construction professionals including consulting engineers, municipal engineers, and inspectors by setting the job up to succeed. To search for upcoming training or to find a trainer, visit nassco.org.

**Where Can I Get Trained?**

Training is performed by experienced NASSCO trainers at convenient locations throughout North and South America. To search for a training session near you, or to contact a certified trainer, visit nassco.org.
NASSCO’s mission is as solid today as it was in 1976 because we support all technologies equally. Over the years, professionals have come together through NASSCO to form independent divisions focusing on infiltration control (grouting) and pipe bursting. NASSCO members are eligible for membership in these dynamic NASSCO divisions.

ICGA

The Infiltration Control Grouting Association (ICGA) is an organization whose membership base consists of suppliers, contractors, engineers and public works representatives who work together to educate sewer engineers and owners about controlling infiltration through the proper use of chemical grouting.

To learn more, visit sewergrouting.com.

IPBA

The International Pipe Bursting Association (IPBA) was formed and is led by industry experts to promote, educate, train, and expand the utilization of pipe bursting. To learn more, visit ipbaonline.org.
Year after year, our member satisfaction surveys reveal three top reasons to join NASSCO: Networking with peers, education and training, and committee participation. But there is so much more to membership! As a NASSCO member you will also receive:

- Exclusive access to performance specifications for CIPP, manhole rehabilitation, pipe bursting as well as other member-only technical tools
- First-hand involvement in developing the documents, guidelines and training that shape industry standards
- Free or discounted publications for as long as you are a member in good standing
- Discounted PACP recertification
- Company listing on nassco.org
- Opportunity to post manufacturer specifications on nassco.org
- Opportunity to support or qualify for NASSCO scholarships
- Member-only advertising in NASSCO Times quarterly publication
- Usage of NASSCO’s “Proud Member” logo on proposals, business cards, websites, marketing materials and more
- Advocacy when industry issues arise
- Technical and industry support when you need it

Visit our Website today! At nassco.org you can:

- Find ITCP and PACP classes in your area
- Learn more about our ICGA and IPBA divisions
- Find ITCP and PACP-trained and certified individuals
- Search certified software and validations
- Get free PACP resources
- Apply for scholarships
- Find free technical resources
- Read our newsletters
- Find manufacturing specifications
- Search for jobs
- Apply for NASSCO membership
- And so much more
NASSCO committees don’t just talk – they get things done. A key benefit of NASSCO membership is to have a voice, network with peers and make a difference through participation in our influential committees:

**Asset Management**
Works in coordination with the Infrastructure Condition Assessment Committee, WERF, and other organizations to facilitate the use of PACP and other assessment tools into an asset management program.

**CIPP**
Promotes the use of all CIPP lining technologies for industry applications, including NASSCO training programs, public education, legislative, technical and quality issues.

**Governmental Relations**
Stays on top of local, state and federal legislation, grant programs and requirements that affect the business opportunities of NASSCO members.

**Health & Safety**
Develops and updates safety manuals and other NASSCO documents to provide NASSCO members with the latest in health and safety requirements to meet local, state and federal regulations.

**Industry Relations**
Facilitates relationships with other Industry organizations to strengthen the influence of NASSCO in the industry.

**Industry Standards**
Identifies the needs in the industry for specifications and other standards, and aids in the completion and implementation of new programs/specifications, as needed.

**Infrastructure Condition Assessment**
Promotes and sustains the evolution of the condition assessment of sewer infrastructure. Recommends media programs that educate and encourage participation by owners, engineers and operators resulting in internationally endorsed standards.

**Lateral Rehabilitation**
Develops industry standards and educational materials that promote a high level of quality assurance/quality control in the lateral rehabilitation industry.

**Latin America**
Develops and implements a long-term plan to expand NASSCO membership benefits and training to Latin America while identifying Latin American market demands.

**Manhole Rehabilitation**
Develops standards for manhole assessment and rehabilitation.

**Operations and Maintenance**
Promotes industry safety and awareness through education processes, equipment and tools.

**Pressure Pipe**
Responsible for standards to assess and rehabilitate force mains and water lines.

**RehabZone**
Provides a “no sales” informational and educational exhibit of technologies at the annual UCT Conference. Publishes the annual RehabZone Technology Guide to provide the industry with a concise and up-to-date reference for all trenchless assessment and rehabilitation technologies.

**Scholarships & Awards**
Promotes donations to and applications for the Jeffrey D. Ralston Memorial Scholarship and the Pipeline Assessment Certification Program (PACP) Scholarship.

**Software Vendors**
Meets and works with all software vendors to establish and implement uniform programs that incorporate PACP/MACP/LACP. Reviews revisions from time to time and makes adjustments and recommends amendments, as necessary.

To learn more about these committees and contact the chairperson for each, please visit nassco.org.
The best and fastest way to join NASSCO, find a training class near you, download specifications or learn more about the many benefits of membership is to visit nassco.org. If you would like us to contact you directly, please complete the form below and we’ll be in touch!

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