



# Certified Playground Safety Inspector Course and Exam

## September 11 - 13, 2024 – Roanoke, VA



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<b>CIRCLE REGISTRATION CHOICE</b>	<u>On or before 7/31/2024</u>		<u>8/1/24– 8/31/2024</u>		<u>9/1/24 or after</u>	
<b>CPSI Course &amp; Exam</b> *Includes Lunches & Site Visit	VRPS Member \$600	Non-Member \$675	VRPS Member \$660	Non-Member \$735	VRPS Member \$690	Non-Member \$765
<b>CPSI Course Only</b> *Includes Lunches & Site Visit	VRPS Member \$460	Non-Member \$535	VRPS Member \$510	Non-Member \$585	VRPS Member \$530	Non-Member \$605
<b>CPSI EXAM Only</b>	VRPS Member \$150	Non-Member \$200	VRPS Member \$160	Non-Member \$210	VRPS Member \$170	Non-Member \$220

**1.5 CEUs are included in the course fee.**

\*A candidate who has a disability may request a special accommodation; the request must be submitted in writing at the time of course or exam registration. In order to properly accommodate all persons with disabilities it is recommended that all requests be made 45 days prior to the scheduled date for the course and exam.

\*English as second language (ESL) candidates may request a time extension and/or the use of a strict translation dictionary. Candidates request forms/fees must be submitted to NRPA no less than 30 days prior to the exam.

Request forms are available online at <http://www.nrpa.org/cpsi>. The course host will work collaboratively with NRPA to ensure all approved, reasonable accommodations are met.

\*Price includes UPS Ground Shipping within the Continental United States to a BUSINESS address. Shipping to Residential address will be an additional \$15 fee. Please call for international shipping fees.

**Cancellation Policy:** Registration fee, less a \$300 cancellation charge, will be refunded if cancellation is received in writing by July 31, 2024. Substitutions are allowed. No refunds will be considered after July 31, 2024.

**REGISTRATION IS ALSO AVAILABLE ONLINE AT [www.vrps.com](http://www.vrps.com)**

Legal First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Legal Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name on Badge: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Shipping Address: (No PO Boxes): \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Address is Business or Residential? \_\_\_\_\_ VRPS Member:  Yes  No

Special Accommodations required, including dietary: \_\_\_\_\_

Registrants that are renewing MUST provide their CPSI Certification Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Study materials will not be shipped until both the minimum of 25 course registrants is reached and full individual payment is received. It is the student's responsibility to ensure timely payment is received by VRPS in order to allow materials to be sent and received, adhering to three weeks minimum preparation as recommended by NRPA.

Credit Card Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Check/PO Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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Payment-in-full, in the form of check, money order, or credit card, is required to secure placement in program. If paying by check, make payable to VRPS and mail with registration form to:

Virginia Recreation & Park Society/CPSI  
6372 Mechanicsville Turnpike, Suite 109  
Mechanicsville, VA 23111



Course and Exam (2 forms of ID required!) held at:

Green Ridge Recreation Center  
7415 Wood Haven Drive  
Roanoke, VA 24019  
(540) 777-6300

## Course Details

- Resource materials developed especially for this course are included in the registration fee and will be mailed to all participants who pre-register.
- If you have previously attended the course and wish to take only the exam, you may register for that portion of the program only. Exam only participants can purchase the resource/study material at [www.nrpa.org](http://www.nrpa.org).
- All participants who pass the exam will be issued a Certified Playground Safety Inspector's "CPSI" Certificate.
- Hotel reservations must be made separately – information is available at the bottom of this page.
- Total registration is limited to 80.
- No walk-ins are allowed for the course or exam.
- The exam is administered on the third and final day of the course.



## About the Course

According to the Consumer Product Safety Commission, it is estimated that each year over 200,000 injuries occur on playgrounds and 70% of these occurred at public parks and schoolyards.

Sponsored by the National Recreation and Park Association this CPSI course is the most comprehensive training program on playground hazard identification and risk management methods offered anywhere. **Advanced reading and fifteen hours of training from nationally known playground safety experts will prepare participants** to sit for the Certified Playground Safety Inspector examination offered at the culmination of the certification course.

### Program Highlights:

- Hazard Identification
- Safety Surfacing Materials
- Playground Equipment Accessibility
- Safety Management
- Audit Objectives & Procedures
- Maintenance Procedures & Standards
- Off-site Park Visit

**Plan your registration and payment accordingly: A minimum of 3 weeks of study time is recommended; NRPA advises not to take the exam if materials have not been thoroughly read.**

## Who Should Attend

- Administrators
- Supervisors
- Risk Managers
- Public Works Departments
- Building & Grounds Maintenance Staff
- Engineers
- Architects
- Playground Equip. Representatives
- Operators & Caretakers of  
Playgrounds In:
  - Parks
  - Schools
  - Camps
  - Homeowner Associations
  - Hotels/Resorts
  - Day Care Centers
- Agencies such as:
  - YMCA's/YWCA's
  - Boys & Girls Clubs



## Schedule

Day One- Wednesday		Day 2-Thursday		Day 3- Exam Friday	
7:30- 8:00 AM	Registration	8:00 – 9:15 AM	CPSI Program	8:00-9:00 AM	Check in
8:00- 8:45 AM	Welcome & Introduction	9:15 – 9:30 AM	Break	9:00-11:00 AM	Exam
8:45 – 9:15 AM	CPSI Program	9:30 – 11:45 AM	CPSI Program		
9:15 – 9:30 AM	Break	11:45 – 12:00 PM	Questions & Answers		
9:30 – 12:00 PM	CPSI Program	12:00 – 1:00 PM	Lunch		
12:00-1:00 PM	Lunch	1:00 – 3:15 PM	Site Investigation		
1:00 -2:45 PM	CPSI Program	3:15 – 3:30 PM	Break		
2:45 - 3:00 PM	Break	3:30 – 4:30 PM	Site Investigation Wrap Up		
3:00 - 4:45 PM	CPSI Program	4:30 – 5:00 PM	Questions & Answers Period		
4:45- 5:00 PM	Exam Preparation				

**Hotel Information:** *Deadline is 8/23/2024 or until the block is filled.*

Hyatt Place \$99 + Tax/night, includes breakfast, WiFi & parking

5040 Valley View Blvd North, NW

Roanoke, VA 24012

(540) 366-4700

Mention Virginia Recreation and Park Society

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