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Kansas added the Aggregate Monitoring Inspection (AMI) Course.

The course description: This course is for individuals interested in the requirements of monitoring a quarry and aggregate production. It discusses basic geology and how geology influences aggregate production, sampling, documentation, testing, aggregate crushing operations, sand plant operations and how to address problems when they arise.

For KDOT people only, if recertifying in a course the student needs to take the test only option first. They will get two tries before having to go to class. This is a budget issue.

KDOT also took all calculations out of the performance tests for Kansas courses. They added calculations to the written test. This came about from a cheating issue.

KDOT is implementing a new Learning Management System. This has been a lengthy process to enter data for the training and certification program.