



## Perry County Health Department Procedures for Homeowner Septic Install

1. Purchase your septic permit. <https://perrycountyhealth.info/pdf/Septic-Permit-2024.pdf>
2. Go to [www.otco.org](http://www.otco.org) and pass the sewage installation exam. Print the certificate that will need to be attached to your septic permit.
3. Once you have received your layout plan from the Perry County Health Department you will need to submit a design plan on the following document. <https://perrycountyhealth.info/pdf/As-Built-Packet.pdf>
4. Once your design plan is approved you will need to layout the system in paint on the ground prior to getting approval for your installation.
5. When you get the system laid out in paint contact the Perry County Health Department to get your system layout approved.
6. Once your layout is approved you can begin installation of your septic system.
7. When your installation is complete contact the Perry County Health Department for your final inspection. We need 24 hours' notice prior to septic final inspections.
8. After approval you can now backfill and cover your septic system.
9. For final approval you will need to complete your as built drawing that will need to be attached to your system. You can find that document here. <https://perrycountyhealth.info/pdf/As-Built-Packet.pdf>

### OUR MISSION:

To improve public health in Perry County by preventing disease, promoting health and safety, and protecting our environment.

