

# Clean Your Septic Tank! Protect your Health

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**CLEAN YOUR SEPTIC TANK!  
PROTECT YOUR HEALTH!**

Inspect & Empty your Septic Tank in every 2-3 years

**WHERE DOES THE EMPTIED SLUDGE/SEPTAGE GO?**

**CONSEQUENCES!**

- Pollution of water bodies
- Disease Outbreak
- Unaesthetic Surroundings

**WHAT IS THE SOLUTION !!**

- Avail services from licensed vehicles only
- Ensure that vehicle transport the sludge to a dedicated treatment facility
- Treated sludge is easy to reuse or safe for disposal

**1** Properly Designed Septic Tanks are must in Non-Sewered Areas

**2** Improper septic tank can cause **contamination** of water resources

**3** Don't flush diapers, wipes, others items down the toilet

**4** Reduce water use Extend the life of tank

**5** Keep septic tank cover **accessible** at all times

**6** Ensure Septic Tank should be **emptied** once every 3-5 Years

**7** Connect septic tank with **soak pit** for groundwater protection

**WHY?**

**SAVE MONEY**  
Inspections helps to find small problems that can be fixed before they become big, expensive ones

**FAMILY HEALTH**  
Faecal sludge contains harmful pathogens that can make people sick. Malfunctioning septic systems can leak faecal sludge into your yard, leaving family and neighbors at risk.

**BENEFITS COMMUNITY**  
Keep your system in good operating condition prevent sewage from entering into drains, water bodies and drinking water

The poster describes the importance of regular desludging in every 2-3 years and its health & safety benefits for the community. The present practice of irregular emptying services or the customer calls for the services when their tanks becomes full is a real time challenge. This further go ahead with the question of where does emptied sludge really go – either in water bodies, drains or agricultural fields which will always remain a big question mark? It has later on consequences on health, safety & surroundings. While addressing all the issues related to the cleaning of

septic tanks, the poster has provided solutions and the methods of maintaining the septic tanks at household level with individual responsibility. This is not an end without describing why it's really important and their comes the benefits of regular emptying and cleaning services