GET THE DIRT ON YOUR SOIL

Healthy lawns and gardens start with healthy soil.
Join this webinar series to learn more about your soil and how to keep it healthy.

**In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, this program is being offered as a webinar via Webex.**

“Don’t Treat Your Soil Like Dirt!”
**September 9, 2020 - 7:00pm – 8:00pm**

*Speaker: Becky Laboy, Education & Outreach Specialist for Ocean County Soil Conservation District*

An attractive and productive yard and garden starts with getting to know your soil. This program will teach you the basics about soil, so you can start building a healthy foundation for your garden. Don’t treat your soil like dirt!

To register, visit [https://go.rutgers.edu/yjyhi90o](https://go.rutgers.edu/yjyhi90o)

“Digging Deeper: What’s Your Soil Telling You?”
**September 24, 2020 - 7:00pm – 8:00pm**

*Speaker: Dr. Stephanie Murphy, Director of the Rutgers Soil Testing Laboratory*

Get the scoop on your soil by taking a soil test! Come find out the importance of testing your soil, how to conduct a soil test, and how to interpret the results to keep your lawn and garden healthy and happy.

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“Root Out Soil Compaction”
**October 8, 2020 - 7:00pm – 8:00pm**

*Speaker: Dr. Steven Yergeau, County Agent with Rutgers Cooperative Extension of Ocean & Atlantic Counties*

Soil compaction is a major problem impacting your yard and garden. Come learn about what causes compaction, how it affects soil health, and how to correct soil compaction in the home landscape.

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