

Inspection pipes:

It is essential that all soil dispersal areas have inspection pipes extending from the rock/sand interface to the ground surface to observe ponding at the infiltrative surface.

The following figures illustrate three methods of anchoring the inspection pipes so they do not pull out of the ground when you try and remove the cap for inspection.

In addition, "slitting" the top of the inspection pipe where the cap slides on will reduce the friction and allow the cap to come off easier.

The bottom 4" of the pipe must have perforations in the sides to allow ponded effluent to enter and exit the pipes.





