

# WPS: Agricultural Application Worker Requirements



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**Instructions:** This checklist is designed to self-evaluate WPS compliance for an agricultural facility and document WPS training. Use the checklist as a guide to conduct site specific WPS training. When complete, sign and date the form, and keep this copy on file to document training has been completed.

## PESTICIDE SAFETY TRAINING FOR WORKERS

- Have workers received complete WPS training prior to entering treated areas?
  - On-Line Module / Video (EPA Approved) # \_\_\_\_\_
  - Site Specific Training (policy, procedures, item locations)
- Is safety information presented in a manner that handlers can understand?
- Can you document that workers were trained?

## INFORMATION AT A CENTRAL LOCATION

Is the following information displayed where it is easily accessible and can be easily seen and read by workers before a pesticide is applied?

- Pesticide-specific application information
- Emergency medical information
- Pesticide safety poster

Does the pesticide application information include the following?

- Location of treated area
- Product name
- EPA registration number
- Active ingredient(s)
- Time and date pesticide is to be applied
- Restricted-entry interval (REI)

- Is the pesticide application information displayed until at least 30 days have passed since the pesticide was applied or REI has been in effect?

## DECONTAMINATION SUPPLIES

- Is there at least 1 gallon of water available for each worker for routine washing and emergency washing of the entire body?
- Are there enough single-use towels and soap available?
- Are decontamination supplies located within ¼ mile of the application site?
- Are decontamination sites provided for 30 days following the end of an REI (7days with REIs of 4 hours or less ?

