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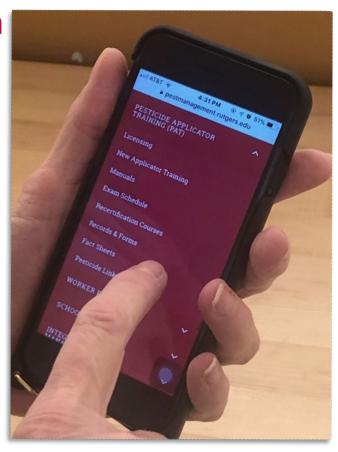




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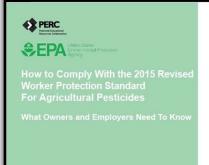








Worker Protection Standard (WPS)



Rutgers-Recommended Resources for Agricultural Employers on our WPS webpages



http://pesticideresour ces.org/wps/htc/index .html

QUICK REFERENCE THE WORKER PROTECTION STANDARD (WPS) AS

THE VPP'S is a recent regulation designed to protect agricultural worker (people employed in the production of agricultural plants) and pesticide handlers (people mixing, loading, or applying pesticides or doing certain tasks involving direct contact with

Exceptions to PPE required on pesticide

Employer Responsibilities for Supervisors and Labor Pesticide Safety Training Contractors

- The tasks supervisors/labor contractors must do, and The information they must pro to workers/handlers.

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Anti-Retaliation

Minimum Age Requirements

Ensure that early-entry workers and all handlers are at least 18 years old. 170.309 (c) and 170.313 (c) Pesticide Safety, Application and Hazard Information

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Train workers and handlers annually, 170.401 (a) and 170.501 (a)

Present training using EPA-approved materials either orally from written materials or audio-visually. After January 2, 2018, the training must cover additional topics. 170.401 (c)

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- use water that is also used in the many properties where personal protective equipment is semioved at the end of a task, 170,509 (a). Provide handlers with decontamination supplies at each mixing and loading site.
- 120.008 (2011)
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Employer Information Exchange

The commercial pessicide employer must pass this information along to the handler doing the work. 170.313.th)

If there is reason to believe a worker or handler has been exposed to pesticides, during or within 7 hours of employment, and needs emergency medical treatment, employers must do the following:

- Pennety provide to the treating medical personnel, information reliated to each persistic product to which the person may have been exposed:

 Safety Data Sheet
 Product name, EPR segistration number, and active ingredennies.
 Description of how the persisticle was used on the agricultural establishment.
 Circumstances that could have received in exposure to the persisticle 130,358.01.

http://pesticideresources.org//wps/ho sted/compliance-requirementschedule.pdf

Revised Worker Protection Standard Compliance Requirements January 2017

- Annual training is required for workers and handlers.
- Worker training grace period is eliminated. Workers must be trained before they work in an area where a
 posticide has been used or a restricted-entry interval has been in effect in the past 30 days.
- Trainers must be certified applicators or have completed an EPA-approved train-the-trainer program or be designated by the State or Tribal posticide enforcement agency.
- Train-the-trainer programs and training materials must be EPA-approved.

 Employers must keep training records for 2 years and give a copy to workers and handlers upon request

 Employers must display application information and safety data sheets (SDS) at a central location within 24 hours of end of application and before workers enter that treated area. Display both for 30 days after REI expires. Keep records of application information and SDS for 2 years from end of REI and make available to workers, handlers, designated representatives (identified in writing) or medical personnel upon request.

. Display pesticide safety information at a central location and at sites where decontamination supplies are located, if the decontamination supplies are at a permanent site or at a location with 11 or more workers.

- Post warning sign if REI is greater than 48 hours (outdoor applications) or 4 hours (enclosed space) applications), otherwise option for posting or oral notification unless label requires both ("double
- Agricultural employer must provide information to a commercial pesticide handler employer on treated areas the commercial handler may be in jor walk within it mile of). Commercial posticide handler employer must provide application-related information to agricultural employer before the application begins and provide updates for certain changes before the application and within 2 hours of end of application for most other changes, unless only change was less than 1-hour difference in application time

. Handlers and early-entry workers must be at least 18 years old. (Members of owner's immediate family are exempt from this and most other requirements of the WPS.)

Entry Restrictions during Application for Outdoor Production

Ag employers must not allow entry into treated area or the application exclusion zone, which is an area up to 100 feet area around the application equipment during outdoor pesticide application on farms, forests, and nurseries. Size of the application exclusion zone depends on type of application. (See the WPS regulation for revised descriptions of application methods.)

Exemptions and Exceptions

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- PPE exception for crop advisors and their employees Crop advisors and their employees entering treated areas while a NEI is in effect to conduct crop-advisor tasks may were a standard set of PPE (coveralls, shoes plus socks and chemical-resistant gloose made of any waterproof material, and eye protection if the labeling

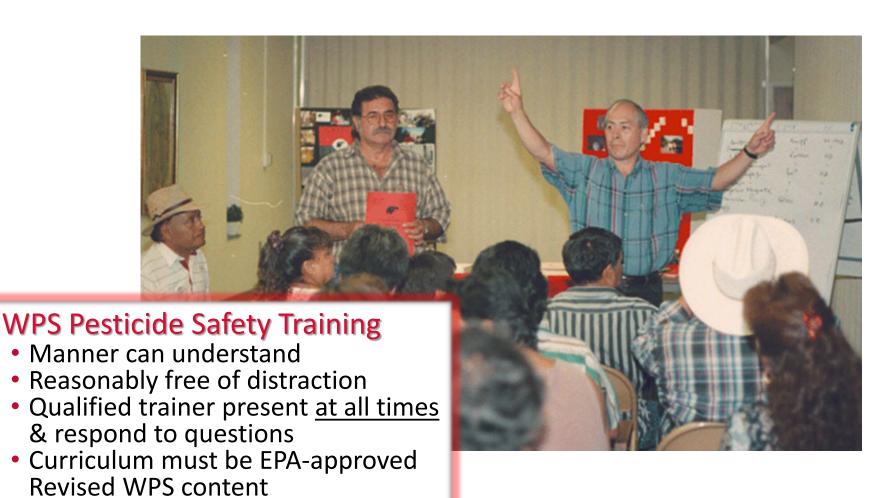
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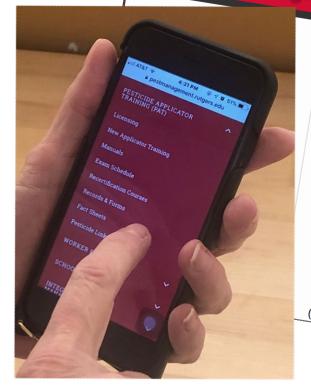


WPS Safety Training

DOWNLOAD **WPS Pesticide Safety Training Videos**

RUTGERS New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station Pest Management Office

Search this website



"Quick-Connect": EPA-approved Handler/Worker Training ** (NEW! Expanded Content)

Video (English) – Agricultural Worker and Handler Pesticide Safety Training (MP4). Iowa State University. May 11, 2017. Video for training agricultural workers about pesticides and the Revised Worker Protection Standard (WPS). This video satisfies the pesticide safety training requirement for both handlers and workers under the revised WPS effective January 1, 2016, and is approved indefinitely. EPA Approval # "EPA W/H PST 00022". Length: 38 minutes.

"Quick-Connect": EPA-approved Worker Training Videos** (NEW! Expanded 2015 Content)

Video (English) – Pesticide Safety For Agricultural Workers (MP4) (YouTube). Video for training agricultural workers about pesticides and the Revised Worker Protection Standard (WPS). This video satisfies the pesticide safety training requirement for workers under the



WPS Safety Training

New Jersey Worker/Handler **Training Rosters**

- Revised roster templates with new EPA content posted to DEP website
- Trainer now sends handler roster to DEP wi 30 days
- **Both** Trainer/Ag Employer keep for 3 yrs.; access to employee/medical/written designee



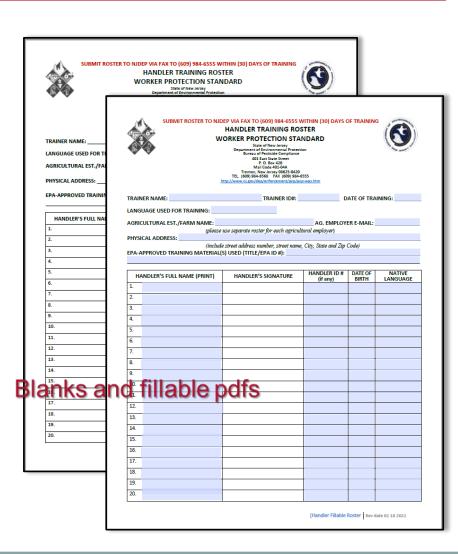
NEW Worker/Handler Training Rosters Due Rutgers WPS Website

KEEP ON FILE FOR 3 YEARS.
SUBMITTAL OF <u>WORKER</u> RECORDS TO DEP NO LONGER REQUIRED

WORKER TRAINING ROSTER
WORKER PROTECTION STANDARD

SUBMIT ROSTER TO NUDEP VIA FAX TO (609) 984-6555 WITHIN (30) DAYS OF TRAINING HANDLER TRAINING ROSTER WORKER PROTECTION STANDARD

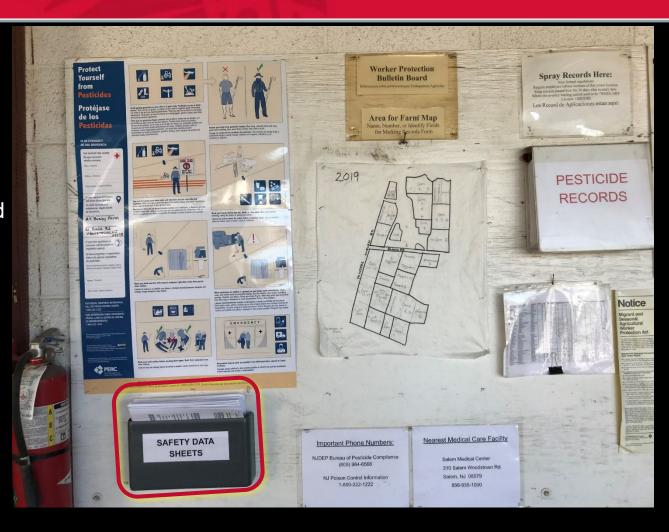
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Central Posting Area

- 1. Pesticide Safety Poster
- 2. Area Farm Map (with field ID by name or #) 3.Pesticide Records posted
- for 30 days after REI ends
- 4. Nearest Emergency Medical Facility
- 5.NJ Poison Information 877-222-1222
- 6.EPA Registration # List
 - pesticide name
 - EPA reg #
 - active ingredient(s)
- 7. Safety Data Sheets





Pesticide Safety Information

- Safety poster (or equivalent) displayed at central location & certain decon sites
- Must contain 2015 WPS expanded safety content
- Sellers include: NPSEC for PERC & Gempler's
- NJDEP Regs: additional requirements (eg, map, application info, etc.)





New Jersey* Revised Regulations

Central display of hazard information

- 1. Application-specific information
- 2. Pesticide safety data sheets (new)

Central display of application information prior* to application; until 30 days after REI expires



Retain application info & SDS for **3 yrs***accessible to:

- Employee (oral or written request)
- Treating medical personnel (oral or written request)
- Designated representative (written request only)

See handout for SDS Sources

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Revised 12/2018



New Pesticide Application Record Template

Farm Nar City or To and Coun	ownship;	-	Example:	Example: XYZ Farm 1234 Farm Road; Agriville; Cumberland County										
Location of Application			Pesticide Product(s) Used				Mixture Recipe per Product(s) Label			Date (N and Time		Person ApplyingPesticide		
Field Name	Acres Treated	Crop Treated	Brand Name of Pesticide	EPA Registration Number	Active Ingredient(s)	REI (hrs)	Amount of Pesticide Concentrate used before mixing	Total Diluent	Total Volume Applied	Date/Time Application Completed	Date/Time Safe for Worker Reentry	Applicator / Operator Full Name & Pesticide License # or Unlicensed Handler		
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Downloadable forms available online at www.pestmanagement.rutgers.edu/PAT/record forms.htm



Resources for New Jersey Licensed Private Pesticide Applicators & Growers



- Rutgers University New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station (NJAES)
 Cooperative Extension website: https://njaes.rutgers.edu/. NJAES Fact Sheets and publications are available online and updated routinely at https://njaes.rutgers.edu/pubs/. 2022 Mid-Atlantic Commercial Vegetable Recommendations now published! Pesticide Sections of the Mid-Atlantic Veg Recs and the Rutgers New Jersey Commercial Tree Fruit Production Guide E002 Pesticide Safety Section were wholly revised in 2020 and updated
- Rutgers University NJAES Plant & Pest Advisory: https://plant-pest-advisory.rutgers.edu/. Timely seasonal updates focusing on insects, diseases, and weeds of importance to NJ Commercial Growers & Nursery/Landscape/Ornamental/Turf. Free. Subscribe by email or RSS.
- 3. Rutgers NJAES Pest Management Office: (848) 932-9802. ENROLL IN BLOG.

for 2022. The 2021 Tree Fruit Guide the 2020 NJ regulation revisions.

- a. Pesticide Safety Education Program: https://pestmanagement.rutgers.edu/PAT/. GOOGLE "RUTGERS PSEP"
 - · Pesticide Applicator Certification & Licensing Requirements
 - Training Manuals (online ordering now available with delivery to your home or business available)
 - Pesticide Applicator Certification Exam Access
 - · Pesticide Applicator Recertification Training
 - Pesticide Record Keeping NEW templates (in Word, Excel, or pdf)
 - Pesticide Spill Report Cards
- b. Worker Protection website & blog: https://pestmanagement.rutgers.edu/worker-protection/ Created for growers and their employees on the 2015 revised Worker Protection Standard. Rutgers "Quick Connect" WPS videos. FREE.
- 4. New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection:
 - a. N.J.A.C. 7:30 State pesticide regulations were revised April 6, 2020. Govern the manufacture, distribution, and use of pesticides in New Jersey; see https://www.ni.gov/dep/enforcement/pcp/pcp-regs.htm Subchapter 8 Private Pesticide Applicator Certification & Licensing; Subchapter 9 Exposure Management; and Subchapter 12 Worker Protection (including revisions for parity with federal WPS).
 - b. Licensing & Registration: https://www.state.ni.us/dep/enforcement/pcp/bpo-pesticide-links.htm for currentstatus of pesticide examinations and COVID recertification course policy exemption for 5-year recert credit period extended through Oct 31, 2022. Provides links to check if you need recertification courses your 2022 applicator license renewal, as well as links to NJDEP-approved recertification courses.
 - c. NJDEP DataMiner web portal at https://www.nj.gov/dep/enforcement/pcp/pcp-online.htm provides online license fee payment and reports for applicators, operators, dealers, and businesses (e.g., recertification courses, license, or certification status); also lists of registered pesticides.

 - e. Search NJ pesticide registrations at http://www.kellysolutions.com/NJ/.
 - f. General information: 609-984-6507. Spill report (reportable spills): 1-877-WARNDEP.
 - g. The Pesticide Applicator Certification Exam Registration (PACER) system is the NJDEP's approved third party exam administration system managed by the Rutgers NJAES Office of Continuing Professional Education (OCPE). This online exam application portal is located at https://pacer.rutgers.edu. Set up account and apply for exams 24/7. When you create an online account, you will have an online "Dashboard" to track your exam(s).

PACER (continued)

Payment for exams is required prior to approval; approval turnaround is approximately 48 hours. Exam fees are managed by third party Schoolpay. The fee to take the Private applicator exam is \$55 each; commercial applicator CORE and category exams are \$155 each. Payment by credit card, electronic checking, or Purchase Order

Pesticide exams may now be taken online 24/7. Exams have a maximum time allotment of 1 hour 45 minutes. OCPE contact is Jill Sullivan; pacer@njaes.rutgers.edu/. Phone: 848-932-7443 or 848-932-9271 Option 7. Fax: 732-932-4546. Hours of operation: Monday-Friday, 8 AM-4:30 PM.

Due to COVID, pesticide exams are only available to be taken online; but can be accessed 24/7. Exams are offered through Rutgers University online learning management system "Canvas". Once your exam application is approved, you will receive a Canvas Course invitation with <u>detailed</u> instructions from Rutgers Canvas from email address <u>notifications@instructure.com</u>; check spam for the invitation if have not received within 48 hours. If your exam application is denied you will receive an email from OCPE with the reason and steps to rectify the issue.

Exams taken in Canvas are proctored using artificial intelligence software "Proctorio" which uses facial detection. All exam takers must install Proctorio on their computers to be allowed to take the online exam. Proctorio will guide you through the "Pre-check Steps" and the "Systems Diagnostic Tool". You will show a valid photo-identification, such as a driver's license to the screen and perform a room check as directed at the time of examination. You must be onscreen for the entire exam; no breaks are allowed.

The system requires use/installation of the Google Chrome browser in advance. See https://pacer.rutgers.edu/docs/online/proctorio-requirements.pdf for detailed software and hardware requirements [computer (no mobile devices); camera/webcam; microphone (internal or USB); and reliable internet connection with at least a 1.0 Mbps upload speed].

- New Jersey Pesticide Information and Education System. The designated regional Poison Control Center with a national number: (1-800-poison1/)/ (1-800-222-1222). Website: https://www.njpies.org/.
- Pesticide SDS for Revised Worker Protection Standard: CDMS at http://www.cdms.net/LabelsSDS/home; and Agrian: https://home.agrian.com/. See also pesticide manufacturer websites under #7 below.
- National Pesticide Information Center (NPIC) provides general and technical information about pesticides; see home page at http://npic.orst.edu/index.html. See also their comprehensive list of pesticide manufacturers to request specific pesticide product information: http://ace.orst.edu/info/npic/manuf.htm.
- 8. EPA Pesticides Homepage at https://www.epa.gov/pesticides.
- EPA National Agricultural Center "First stop" for information about environmental requirements that affect
 the agricultural community. Homepage: https://www.epa.gov/agriculture/about-epas-national-agriculture-center.
- REVISED EPA Pesticide Poisoning Handbook 'Recognition and Management of Pesticide Poisonings 6th Edition'.
 downloadable from https://www.epa.gov/nscep
 https://www.epa.gov/nscep
- EPA Office of Pesticide Programs 'Pesticide Chemical Search' webpage for conventional, antimicrobial, and biopesticide active ingredients; see https://iaspub.epa.gov/apex/pesticides/f?p=chemicalsearch:1. Has label product label search function https://iaspub.epa.gov/apex/pesticides/f?p=PPLS:1.