

### **7:30-12.6 Providing specific information about applications**

(a) When workers are on an agricultural establishment and, within the last 30 days, a pesticide covered by this subchapter has been applied on the establishment, or a restricted-entry interval has been in effect, the agricultural employer shall display, in accordance with this section, specific information about the pesticide.

(b) The information shall be displayed in the location specified for the pesticide safety information in N.J.A.C. 7:30-12.9(b) and shall be accessible and legible.

(c) If warning signs are posted for the treated area before an application, the specific application information for that application shall be posted at the same time or earlier.

1. The information shall be posted before the application takes place, if workers will be on the establishment during application. Otherwise, the information shall be posted at the beginning of any worker's first work period.
2. The information displayed shall continue to be displayed for at least 30 days after the end of the restricted-entry interval; or if there is no restricted-entry interval, for at least 30 days after the end of the application; or, at least until workers are no longer on the establishment, whichever is earlier.

(d) The information shall include:

1. The location and description of the treated area.
  - i. The crop or site treated.
  - ii. The location of the application, to be shown on the map required in 12.6(d)6 below;
2. The pesticide brand or trade name, EPA Registration Number, active ingredient(s) of the pesticide, and the pesticide safety data sheet;
3. The time and date the pesticide application is starting and ending;
4. The restricted-entry interval for the pesticide and the exact date and time for safe re-entry by workers and handlers;
5. **The posted information, pursuant to (d)1, 2, 3 and 4 above shall have the following column headings printed in English and in the native language(s) understood by farm workers employed by the farm:**
  - i. Crop;
  - ii. Name of Pesticide;
  - iii. Safe Reentry Time;
  - iv. Application date;
  - v. Application start and finish time; and
  - vi. Application Location.
6. A map of the farm shall be posted at the same location as the written information designated in (d)1 above and shall be used to clearly designate the fields treated with pesticides;
7. The Department will develop and make available an example format for proper posting of written information. This example will be made available through agriculture-related organizations including the New Jersey Department of Agriculture, Rutgers Cooperative Extension, and the New Jersey Farm Bureau and posted by the Department at <http://www.nj.gov/dep/enforcement/pcp/pcp-wps.htm> . In lieu of the example format developed by the Department, a farm owner or lessee may use a different format if it conforms to the requirements of this subsection.

(e) Whenever pesticide safety information and pesticide application and hazard information are required to be displayed in accordance with this section, the agricultural employer shall retain the pesticide application and hazard information required pursuant to (d) above on the agricultural establishment for three years after the date of expiration of the restricted-entry interval applicable to the pesticide application conducted.

### **7:30-12.9 Posted pesticide safety information**

(a) When workers are on an agricultural establishment and, within the last 30 days a pesticide covered by this subchapter has been applied on the establishment or a restricted-entry interval has been in effect, the agricultural employer shall display, in accordance with this section, pesticide safety information. The safety information shall convey, in a manner the workers can understand, all of the following points:

1. Help keep pesticides from entering your body. At a minimum, the following points shall be conveyed:
  - i. Avoid getting on your skin or into your body any pesticides that may be on or in plants, soil, irrigation water, tractors and other equipment, or used personal protective equipment, or pesticides drifting from nearby applications.
  - ii. Wash before eating, drinking, using chewing gum or tobacco, or using the toilet.
  - iii. Wear work clothing that protects the body from pesticide residues (long-sleeved shirts, long pants, shoes and socks, and a hat or scarf).
  - iv. Wash/shower with soap and water, shampoo hair, and put on clean clothes after work.
  - v. Wash work clothes separately from other clothes before wearing them again.
  - vi. If pesticides are spilled or sprayed on the body, use decontamination supplies to wash immediately, or rinse off in the nearest clean water, including springs, streams, lakes, or other sources if more readily available than decontamination supplies, and, as soon as possible, wash or shower with soap and water, shampoo hair, and change into clean clothes.
  - vii. Follow directions about keeping out of treated areas and application exclusion zones.
  - viii. Instructions to employees to seek medical attention as soon as possible if they believe they have been poisoned, injured, or made ill by pesticides.
  - ix. The following contact information for New Jersey's pesticide regulatory agency:  
New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection  
Bureau of Pesticide Compliance and Enforcement  
Mail Code 401-04A  
401 East State Street  
PO Box 420  
Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0420  
Telephone: (609) 984-6568  
Internet address: <http://www.nj.gov/dep/enforcement/pcp/pcp-wps.htm>
2. There are Federal/State rules to protect workers and handlers, including a requirement for safety training.
3. The name, address, and telephone number of a nearby operating medical care facility capable of providing emergency medical treatment. This information shall be clearly identified as emergency medical contact information on the display.
  - i. The agricultural employer shall update the pesticide safety information display within 24 hours of notice of any change to the information on emergency medical care facilities.

(b) The pesticide safety information shall be displayed at each of the following sites on the agricultural establishment:

1. A location where it can be readily seen and read by workers and where workers are likely to congregate or pass by.
2. Locations on the agricultural establishment where decontamination supplies shall be provided, but only when the decontamination supplies are located at permanent sites or being provided at locations and in quantities to meet the requirements for 11 or more workers.

(c) Workers shall be informed of the location of the information and shall be allowed access to it at all times during normal work hours.

(d) The information shall remain legible during the time it is posted.