



WORKER PROTECTION STANDARD CHECKLIST OF REQUIREMENTS

GROWER/EMPLOYER INTERVIEW

Part 1

Chapter 16-233 WAC

Washington State Department of Agriculture

Pesticide Management Division

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Inspection Number: [] Tier 1 [] Tier 2 [] Investigator: [] Date: [] Time: []
Applicators Name: [] License Number: []
Employer Name: [] Telephone Number: []
Employer Address: [] Establishment Type: []
City: [] State: [] Zip: [0 [] # of Employees: [] Seasona
Corp or Co-op: [] Number of Acres: [] Permanent
Work type: [] # of Worker/Handlers Interviewed: []

Section 1: CENTRAL NOTIFICATION

- 1. Is central notification displayed when handlers or workers are on the establishment during an application or when an REI has been in effect within the last 30 days? [130 (2), 215 (2)(c)]
2. Is an approved safety poster displayed? [145 (2), 240 (2)]
3. Is emergency medical information displayed? [145 (3), 240 (3)]
4. Is pesticide information displayed for each application? [130 (3), 215 (3)]
a. Location and description of area treated [130 (3)(a), 215 (3)(a)]
b. Product name [130 (3)(b), 215 (3)(b)]
c. Active ingredient [130 (3)(b), 215 (3)(b)]
d. EPA registration number [130 (3)(b), 215 (3)(b)]
e. Time and date of application [130 (3)(c), 215 (3)(c)]
f. Restricted entry interval. [130 (3)(d), 215 (3)(d)]
5. Does the pesticide information remain for 30 days following the REI? [130 (2)(c), 215 (2)(c)]
6. Is the site readily accessible to workers/handlers? [130 (1), 145 (4)(5), 215 (1), 240 (4)(5)]
7. Is the information legible? [130(1), 145(6), 215(1), 240(6)]

Pesticide Information

Table with 3 columns: Name of Pesticide Applied, EPA Reg #, Date of Most Recent Application

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Comments text area

Section 2: TRAINING

- 1. Are workers trained every 5 years and before entering treated areas? [140 (1)(a)(b)]
2. Are handlers trained every 5 years? Number of Certified Applicators: [] [225 (1)]
3. Are handlers trained before performing any handler task? [225 (1)]
4. Does training meet the WPS requirements? [140 (1), 225 (3)]
5. Do handlers have access to labeling during handling activities? [230 (1)(b)]
6. Do handlers receive proper information about the following label requirements related to: [225 (3)(d), 230 (1)(a)]
a. Safe use?
b. Signal word?

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- c. Human hazard statement?
- d. First aid?
- e. Environmental precautions, etc?
- f. PPE?
- 7. Is safety training conducted by a qualified instructor? [140 (4)(b), 225 (3)(b)]
- 8. Is training presented in a manner the trainees can understand? [140 (4)(a), 225 (3)(a)]
- 9. Is the type of training material used in compliance with WPS requirements? [140 (4)(a), 225 (3)(a)]
- 10. Is training conducted either orally from written materials, audiovisually, or both? [140 (4)(a), 225 (3)(a)]
Type of training material used:
- 11. Does the trainer respond to the trainee's questions? [140 (4)(a), 225 (3)(a)]
- 12. If the establishment conducts chemigation activities, are all persons who operate, move or repair the parts of chemigation equipment that may contain pesticide residues, trained as WPS handlers? [225 (1)]

Comments::

Y	N	N/A	Section 3: DECONTAMINATION
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. Do handlers have the required decontamination supplies: soap, single-use towels, change of clothing and sufficient water (10 gal. for 1 employee, 20 gal. for two or more employees) at: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> a. Mix/load area? [250 (1)(2)(3)(a)] <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> b. Within 1/4 mile or closest point of vehicular access of where performing handler task? [250 (1)(2)(3)] <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> c. Where PPE is removed (soap, clean towels and sufficient water)? [250 (6)] |
| | | | 2. Is sufficient eyeflush water immediately available to handlers and early-entry workers? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> a. Early-entry workers - 1 pint of immediately accessible eyewash when label requires protective eyeware. [150 (2)(d)] <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> b. Handlers - 1 pint of immediately accessible eyewash when performing task when label requires protective eyeware. [250 (4)] |
| | | | 3. Is there running water delivering at least 1.5 liters (0.4 gal.) of water per minute for 15 minutes or 6 gallons additional eyewash for handlers if running water is not available? [250 (5)] <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> a. At decontamination sites when label requires protective eyeware for mixing, loading, or application? <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> b. At all permanent mixing/loading stations? |
| | | | 4. Are handler decontamination supplies provided for the duration of the task? [250 (1)] |
| | | | 5. Are worker decontamination sites supplied with sufficient clean water for routine cleaning and emergency eyewash, soap, and single-use towels? [150 (2)(a)(b)(c)(d)] |
| | | | 6. Are worker decontamination sites within 1/4 mile of the work site or at the closest point of vehicular access? [150(3)(a)(b)] |
| | | | 7. Does decontamination site for early-entry workers have sufficient water (10 gal. for one empl., 20 gal. for 2 or more employees)? [150 (4)] |
| | | | 8. Are worker decontamination sites provided for the required periods of time after the expiration of the REI: 7 days for 4 hr. REI and 30 days for all other? [150 (1)(a)(b)(c)] |
| | | | 9. Are worker decontamination supplies located out of the area being treated with pesticides or under an REI? [150 (3)(c)(d)] |
| | | | 10. Are handler decontamination supplies located in the treated area or the area under an REI? [250 (3)] <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> a. If yes, are supplies located in the area where handler is performing handling activities? [250 (3)(i)] <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> b. Are soap, single-use towels and an extra change of clothing stored in an enclosed container? [250 (3)(ii)] <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> c. Water is running tap water or is in an enclosed container? [250 (3)(iii)] |

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Section 4: NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS

- 1. When required on the label are both oral and posted warnings given? [125]
Who notifies and posts? []
2. Are oral warnings given clearly and in a manner the workers can understand? [125 (4)]
Who translates? []
3. Do oral warnings contain the required information?
a. Location and description of the treated area? [125 (4)(a)]
b. The time during which entry is restricted? [125 (4)(b)]
c. Instruction not to enter the treated area until the REI has expired? [125 (4)(c)]
4. Is the timing of oral warnings appropriate? [125 (4)]
a. Before the application for workers who are on the establishment during the application?
b. At the beginning of their first work period for workers who are not on the establishment but return during the application or when the REI is in effect?
5. If posting:
a. Is the appropriate sign being used? [125 (3)(a)(b)(c)]
b. Is the sign put up no more than 24 hours prior to the application? [125 (3)(f)(i)(ii)]
c. Does the sign come down within 3 days of the expiration of the REI? [125 (3)(f)(iii)]
d. Is the sign posted at all usual points of entry to the treated area? [125 (3)(d)]
6. Are all greenhouse applications posted? [125 (1)]
7. Has your commercial applicator provided you with the required information for your central notification prior to the application? [220]
8. Does the establishment provide the location and description of the treated area, label, REI and PPE information to commercial applicators, crop advisors, technicians, etc. regarding pesticide applications or REIs to areas where those individuals may enter or walk within 1/4 mile of, while working at the establishment? [135]

Comments: []

Section 5: ENTRY RESTRICTIONS

- 1. Are workers allowed in the area under an REI?
a. If yes, was entry permissible (i.e. short-term, limited-contact, agricultural emergency, or other agency approved specific tasks)? [120 (2)(3)(4)(5)(6)(7)]
b. Have they either read or understood the required product labeling and been provided with the appropriate protections and PPE? [120 (1)(a)(3)(e)(5)(iii)]
2. Has the 4 hour minimum expired, or for greenhouses, has ventilation criteria been met before workers are allowed entry? [115 (3), 120 (1)(3)(5)]
3. Do early-entry workers having contact with anything that has been treated, with no hand labor, remain in treated areas for more than 1 hr. (short-term tasks) or 8 hrs. (limited-contact tasks) in a 24-hour period? [120 (3)]
4. Has there been any early-entry for an agricultural emergency or other agency approved exception and if so was this approved by the appropriate agency? [120 (4)(5)(6)(7)]
5. In nurseries/greenhouse, are workers prohibited from entering the treated area and any required border area? [115 (2)(3)]
Note: Short term task lasts less than 1 hr. with no hand labor. Limited contact task is unforeseen, cannot be delayed, and involves no hand labor and no double notification products. Must also wait the four hour minimum. Limited contact tasks including operating, moving or repairing irrigation equipment, heating and AC equipment, moving hives etc. Hand labor includes harvesting, thinning, pruning, weeding etc.

Comments: []

Section 6: PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

- 1. Is required PPE provided to handlers and early-entry workers? [120 (1)(d)(3)(d)(5)(a)(ii), 245 (1)(3)]
2. Are persons instructed in the proper use of PPE? [120 (3)(f)(ix), 245(5)(a)]
3. Is PPE inspected before each day's use? [120 (3)(f)(ii), 245 (5)(b)]
4. Is PPE cleaned and maintained appropriately after each use? [120 (3)(f)(iv), 245 (6)]
Who cleans and maintains it? []

Section 6: PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT cont.

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Have those cleaning PPE received special instruction? [120 (3)(f)(vii), 245 (6)] What instructions are given? <input style="width: 500px;" type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Is a clean place provided for PPE storage away from pesticides? [120 (3)(f)(viii), 245 (6)(i)]
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	7. Does employer ensure PPE is worn appropriately? [120 (3)(f)(i), 245 (5)(a)]
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	8. Are instructions given and appropriate measures taken to avoid heat illness? [120 (3)(f)(x)(g), 245 (7)]
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	9. If using a closed system, enclosed cab, open cock-pit or closed cock-pit, was less than the label required PPE worn? [245 (4)(d)(e)(f)] If so, list PPE worn. <input style="width: 500px;" type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	10. Does the enclosed cab meet respiratory requirements? [245 (4)(e)] NOTE: If cab is certified, there should be documentation describing to what respirator equivalency it was certified (i.e. a respirator with an organic-vapor removing cartridge MSHA/NIOSH approval # TC-23C). If there is no documentation or cab is not certified, but cab has charcoal filters and the seals etc. appear OK; the cab respiratory equivalency is equal to that of a dust filtering mask.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	11. Have the manufacturer's maintenance requirements/instructions been followed?
Comments:			<input style="width: 500px; height: 30px;" type="text"/>

Section 7: EQUIPMENT SAFETY

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Is equipment used for mixing, loading and applying pesticides inspected and repaired before each day of use? [235 (2)]
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Have handlers been instructed in proper use of application equipment? [235 (1)]
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Are residues removed from pesticide handling equipment before anyone other than an appropriately trained and equipped handler is allowed to repair, clean or adjust it? [235 (3)]
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Has the appropriate information been given to individuals who clean and maintain equipment who are not your employees? [235 (3)]
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Before using any equipment, has the handler been instructed (when relevant) in chemigation safety requirements and drift avoidance? [235 (1)]
Comments:			<input style="width: 500px; height: 30px;" type="text"/>

Section 8: EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Is prompt transportation made available to any employee who becomes sick or is believed to be injured by pesticides? [155 (1), 255 (1)]
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Are provisions made to supply information about the pesticide to medical personnel? [155 (2)(a)(b)(c)(d), 255 (2)(a)(b)(c)(d)]
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Has there been any incidents of pesticide exposure? If so, what was the cause of the exposure? <input style="width: 300px;" type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	a. If so, was the exposure reported?
Comments:			<input style="width: 500px; height: 30px;" type="text"/>

Section 9: APPLICATION RESTRICTIONS AND MONITORING OF HANDLER

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Are instructions given or precautions taken during applications so as not to contact anyone directly or through drift? [120 (1)(a), 210 (1)]
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Was everyone except the appropriately trained and equipped handlers kept out of areas being treated with pesticides? [115 (1)(2)(3), 120 (1)(a)] If no, in comments box list names and designations of persons involved or exposed and reason for exposure.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Is there proper monitoring (sight and voice contact) of handlers who are handling highly toxic pesticides? (Skull and crossbones = monitoring every two hours) [210 (2)] (Fumigant applications in green houses = constant monitoring) [210 (3)]
Comments:			<input style="width: 500px; height: 30px;" type="text"/>

Signature of Person Present for Inspection	Signature of WSDA Inspector
Print Name	Print Name

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