

**WORKER PROTECTION STANDARD
CHECKLIST OF REQUIREMENTS
WAC 296-307, Parts I and J-1**

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NAME		DATE	TIME
ADDRESS			
CITY		STATE	ZIP
CORP OR CO-OP	NUMBER OF ACRES	NUMBER OF WORKERS	TYPE OF WORK (Seasonal, etc.)

CENTRAL NOTIFICATION

- | YES | NO | N/A | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 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? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. Is an approved safety poster displayed? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3. Is emergency medical information displayed? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 4. Is pesticide information displayed for each application? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | a. Location of area treated |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | b. Product name |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | c. Active ingredient |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | d. EPA registration number |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | e. Time and date of application |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | f. Restricted Entry interval |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5. Does the pesticide information remain for 30 days following the REI? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 6. Is the site easily accessible to workers/handlers? |

Exception: No need to display central notification if only immediate family members work on the establishment.

TRAINING

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|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. Are handlers WSDA Certified Pesticide Applicators or consultants or WPS trained handlers? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. Do handlers receive training before performing a pesticide application or other handling activity? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3. Are handlers informed of labeling and have access to labels? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 4. Are all workers Certified Pesticide Applicators or consultants WPS trained? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5. Do workers receive training before entry into treated areas? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 6. Do early entry workers receive training before entry into treated areas? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 7. Do trainers have proper qualifications to train (Certified Pesticide applicator, WPS handler, or attended WA approved trainer seminar)? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 8. Is training repeated every 5 years? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 9. Is training presented in a language the trainees can understand? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10. Is training presented orally or audio visually? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 11. Does the trainer respond to trainee's questions? |

DECONTAMINATION FOR HANDLERS

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|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. Are handler decontamination sites supplied with clean water, soap, disposable towels and clean coveralls? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. Does handler(s) have decontamination supplies at: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | a. mix/load area |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | b. within ¼ mile or closest point of vehicular access of where performing handler task |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | c. where PPE is removed |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3. Is sufficient eye flush water immediately available to handlers and early-entry workers? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | a. <u>Early entry workers</u> -- 1 pint of immediately accessible eyewash when label requires protective eyewear. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | b. <u>Handlers</u> – 1 pint of immediately accessible eyewash when performing task when label requires protective eyewear. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 4. 6 gallons additional eyewash required for handlers: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | a. at decontamination sites when label requires protective eyewear for mixing, loading, or application |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | b. at all permanent mixing/loading stations |

DECONTAMINATION FOR WORKERS

YES	NO	N/A	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Are worker decontamination sites supplied with clean water (enough for routine cleaning and emergency eyewash), soap, and towels?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Are worker decontamination sites within ¼ mile of the work site or at the closest point of vehicular access?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Does decontamination site for early entry workers have at least 10 gallons of water for employees?
DECONTAMINATION TIME PERIOD			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Are decontamination sites provided for required periods of time after expiration of REI: 7 days for 4 hour REI, and 30 days for all other.
NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. When required on the label, are both oral and posted warnings given?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Are oral warnings given clearly and in a language the workers can understand and do they contain required information?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3. If posting:
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	a. Is the appropriate sign being used?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	b. Is the sign put up no more than 24 hours prior to application?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	c. Does the sign come down within 3 days of the end of the REI?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	d. Is the sign posted at normal worker points of entry to the treated area?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Are all greenhouse applications posted?
Exceptions:			Oral warning or signs are not needed for employees who will not be within ¼ mile of the treated area for the length of the REI; will not be in the greenhouse during the application and REI, or who perform the application.
ENTRY RESTRICTIONS			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Are workers not allowed in area under REI (unless permissible early entry is allowed)?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Do early entry workers (with contact) remain in the treated area for no more than 1 hour per 24 hours? (there are two exceptions which allow early entry for up to eight hours for limited contact activities.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Has early entry during agricultural emergencies been approved by WSDA?
INFORMATION EXCHANGE			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Has your Custom applicator provided you with required information for your central notification prior to application?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Have you provided information to the Custom Applicator about REI's in effect on your property?
PPE			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Is required PPE provided to handlers and early entry workers?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Are persons instructed in the proper use of PPE?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Is PPE inspected before each day's use?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Are cleaning/maintenance requirements of PPE met?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Is a clean place provided for PPE storage?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Are appropriate measures taken to avoid heat related illness?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	7. Have those cleaning PPE received special instruction?
Exception:			Some of the label required handler PPE may be omitted if using a closed system, enclosed cab or cockpit. (Generic PPE for new limited contact early entry exceptions)
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?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Have handlers been instructed in proper use of application equipment?
EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Is transportation made available to any employee who becomes sick or is believed to be injured by pesticides?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Are provisions made to supply information about the pesticide to medical personnel?
APPLICATIONS RESTRICTIONS AND MONITORING OF HANDLERS			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Are pesticides applied so that no one is contacted except appropriately trained and equipped handlers?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Is sight or voice contact made by a trained and equipped handler at least every 2 hours with a handler using a skull and crossbones pesticide?

