



Review Questions

CHAPTER 12: PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

Write the answers to the following questions, and then check your answers with those in the back of this manual.

- 1. According to FIFRA, what is the minimum standard for direct supervision of a pesticide application by uncertified individuals?**
 - A. The application is done by a competent person with the certified applicator present at the time and place the pesticide is applied.
 - B. The application is done by a competent person acting under the instruction and control of a certified applicator who is available if and when needed.
 - C. The application is done by a competent person who has received a six-month training course by a certified applicator.
 - D. The application is done by a person who has passed a competency exam.
- 2. Under which set of circumstances would the certified applicator be required to be physically present at the application site?**
 - A. Whenever a restricted-use pesticide is applied.
 - B. Whenever any type of pesticide is applied by an uncertified individual.
 - C. If state law or the label requires it.
 - D. When the pesticide is being applied inside or around a public building.
- 3. Which would be an appropriate way to describe a relatively low-toxicity pesticide product to the customer?**
 - A. Environmentally friendly.
 - B. Non-toxic.
 - C. EPA-approved.
 - D. Use with caution.
- 4. Which is *true* about preapplication posting requirements?**
 - A. All states require notification of school staff members 72 hours before an application is to be made to a school.
 - B. Some states maintain a registry of sensitive individuals who must be informed if a pesticide application is going to be made near them.
 - C. States do not vary in the minimum notification requirements to concerned individuals.
 - D. All states require residential areas to be posted before a pesticide application is made.
- 5. Which statement about posting and notification requirements is *false*?**
 - A. Some states may require you to provide copies of labels and material safety data sheets at the time of application or upon request by the customer.
 - B. States and other governmental entities may require posting of treated sites immediately following a pesticide application.
 - C. Posting usually involves placing a small plastic flag or sign in a conspicuous place to alert people to avoid treated areas.
 - D. Most states require posting of and notification about pesticide applications made in agricultural areas.

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