



PA 6 Hand Held Applicator Course(KNAPSACK SPRAYER)

This is a one-day practical pesticides training course which is workshop based and specifically working with a knapsack sprayer. The training will focus on safe practice, routine maintenance and calibration of the knapsack. Maximum of 6 per course.

Participants & pre-requisites

- Should be physically fit and agile with no history of epilepsy, etc.
- Minimum age 16yrs.
- Participants can use own Personal Protective Equipment or we can provide it if required ; NPTC Assessment Schedule Criteria will be supplied.2 passport sized photograph is required.

Course Objectives

Participants will learn the following skills:

- Preparing a hand-held pesticide applicator for use
- Calibrating it by means of an approved procedure and operating it to ensure correct application rate without risk to themselves, others or the environment
- Use the information detailed on product labels to determine the approved uses for the product and its potential hazards to human safety, non-target areas and the environment in general.
- Performing routine maintenance on a hand held pesticide applicator
- Carrying out the correct procedure for cleaning personal protective equipment and application equipment that may have been contaminated with pesticide.