# Pesticide ———

# RESOURCES





#### **Pesticide Resources**

Specific information about suspected pesticides may be obtained from the following resources:

Pesticide labels (specifically note the US EPA registration number)

Safety Data Sheets (SDS, formerly Material Safety Data Sheet)

**Employers** 

**County Agricultural Commissioners** 

**California Poison Control System (CPCS)** 

1-800-411-8080

Excellent source of information for treatment advice and assistance. CPCS can report pesticide illnesses for physicians.

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region







#### **Pesticide Online Resources**

Recognition and Management of Pesticide Poisonings, 6<sup>th</sup> Edition

(J.R. Roberts and J.R. Reigart, 2013)

https://www.epa.gov/pesticide-worker-safety/recognition-and-management-pesticide-poisonings

The 5th edition of this book is available in Spanish

https://espanol.epa.gov/seguridad-laboral-al-usar-pesticidas/reconocimiento-y-manejo-de-los-envenenamientos-por-pesticidas

**National Pesticide Information Center** 

http://npic.orst.edu

**Pesticide Illness**, a downloadable four-part PowerPoint presentation with speaker notes by the Association of Occupational and Environmental Clinics

http://www.aoec.org/content/resources\_1\_3\_1.htm

California Department of Pesticide Regulation, Pesticides and Human Health Information

http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/dept/quicklinks/humanhea.htm



#### **California Government Resources**

Department of Pesticide Regulation Worker Health and Safety Branch 916-445-4222

www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/whs/whs\_homepage.htm

Department of Public Health, Occupational Health Branch
Occupational Pesticide Illness Prevention Program

1-800-970-6680

www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CCDPHP/DEODC/OHB/OPIPP/Pages/OPIPP.aspx

Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment
Pesticide and Environmental Toxicology Branch
510-622-3170

www.oehha.ca.gov/pesticides





## **Reporting Pesticide Illness in California**

Physicians must report pesticide illnesses using one of these methods:

Call or fax the local health officer. Numbers for each county can be found at:

https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Pages/LocalHealthServicesAndOffices.aspx

**Call the California Poison Control Center at:** 

For general public: 1-800-222-1222

For health care providers: 1-800-411-8080

Report it on the Confidential Morbidity Report form available at:

https://www.cdph.ca.gov/CDPH%20Document%20Library/ControlledForms/cdph110a.pdf

In many counties physicians can report electronically using CalREDIE, the California Reportable Disease Information Exchange at:

https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/CalREDIE-HELP.aspx



## Additional Requirements for a Work-Related Case of a Pesticide Illness

Physicians must report as stated above and in addition: Send the

Doctor's First Report of Occupational

Injury or Illness to:

- Employer or insurer within 5 days of first visit
- Local Health Officer within 7 days of first visit



### **Cultural & Linguistic Competency**

**Online training in Cultural Competency** 

https://cccm.thinkculturalhealth.hhs.gov/

**Resources for Cultural and Linguistic Competency** 

https://www.ucdmc.ucdavis.edu/diversity/images/pdf/Competency\_Resources.pdf

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