

AGRICULTURAL HEALTH CHECKLIST

Injury and Illness Prevention Program (See Appendix B)

Medical Aid (See Appendix B)

Hazard Communication Program

1. Are material safety data sheets (MSDSs) for hazardous substances readily accessible during each work shift to employees? [5194(g) (8)]
2. Are employees trained on how to read and understand the MSDSs? [5194(h) (2) (F)]
3. Do employees receive information and training on specific health hazards associated with the materials they use, handle, or are exposed to including cleaners, chemical fertilizers, and pesticides? [5194(h) (1)]
4. Are all containers which hold hazardous materials properly labeled? [5194(f) (4)]

Heat Stress

5. Do employees receive training on the cause, recognition and prevention of heat-related illness? [3203(a) (7)]
6. Is there an adequate water supply and are employees allowed frequent water breaks? [3457(c) (1) (A)]

Noise

7. Are any employees are being overexposed to noise? [5096(b)]
8. Are earplugs, or other forms of hearing protection, provided to employees working around noisy equipment, i.e., when noise level meet or exceeds an 8-hour time-weighted average of 90 decibels? [5096(b)]

Dusts

9. Are employees provided adequate personal protection including respirators when working in dusty conditions such as tilling or other tractor work? [3203(a) (6), 5155(c) (1), or 5141(c)]

Harmful Materials/Pesticides

10. Is a physician available to provide medical supervision to employees who regularly work with pesticides? [3450]
11. Does the employer keep a record of all medical recommendations made by the physician? [3450]
12. Are machines, aircraft, or applicators decontaminated before being repaired or placed in storage? [3451(a)]

13. Are employees' medical records and records of exposure to toxic substances made available to employees and their authorized representatives? [3204]
14. Is at least five gallons of clean water available when working with anhydrous ammonia? [3453(g)]

Cumulative Trauma Disorders (CTDs)

15. Are employees using short-handled hand tools? [3456]

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