

EXAM

(3.5 Hours - Laws)

Title: Pesticides, People & the Environment, Course # A-0418-10

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1. What are the hazards associated with pesticide use?
 - a. Human injury
 - b. Groundwater contamination
 - c. Residues
 - d. All of the above
2. People are exposed to pesticides how?
 - a. Mixing and loading
 - b. Residences
 - c. Work environments
 - d. All of the above
3. The primary sources of pesticide exposure in a home are due to what?
 - a. Clothing
 - b. Carpeting
 - c. Toys
 - d. All of the above
4. The most common pesticide accidents in residential environments are due to what?
 - a. Water
 - b. Improper storage
 - c. Improper containers
 - d. Tolerance levels exceeded
5. How do pesticides enter the body?
 - a. Skin (Dermal)
 - b. Eyes (Ocular)
 - c. Mouth (Oral)
 - d. All of the above
6. Skin rashes, headaches, allergy symptoms, blurred vision, nausea and blistered skin are all signs of what?
 - a. Hangover
 - b. Exposure
 - c. Finals week
 - d. Taxes
7. 97% of all water on the earth is salt water
 - a. True
 - b. False
8. Less than 1% of all the water on the earth is suitable for human use
 - a. True
 - b. False
9. Groundwater is our most important resource
 - a. True
 - b. False
10. The nature of a chemical, meaning whether it is persistent or mobile influences contamination
 - a. True
 - b. False
11. Timing is critical for irrigation to minimize evaporation what time of day is that?
 - a. Early morning
 - b. Afternoon
 - c. Midnight
 - d. Late Morning

12. When a plant has extracted all the available water the field has reached what point?
 - a. Recharge
 - b. Wilting
 - c. No return
 - d. Sharp
13. Droplet size, nozzle size, pressure, speed of movement, humidity and inversions can all influence off target movement
 - a. True
 - b. False
14. Residues of chemicals are affected by: Persistence, Accumulation, Recombination, Contamination, and Management.
 - a. True
 - b. False
15. Applicator safety includes any of the following: Blood tests, training, Emergency information, continuing education, MSDS, and labels.
 - a. True
 - b. False
16. Disposable protective clothing, aprons, eye protection, respiratory equipment are all part of?
 - a. Dirty clothes
 - b. Costume
 - c. Safety equipment
 - d. None of the above
17. What are some ways to ensure worker and public safety?
 - a. Notification
 - b. REI
 - c. Posting
 - d. All of the above
18. What records must be kept at a central location and be accessible to all employees?
 - a. MSDS
 - b. Pesticide use records
 - c. Emergency numbers
 - d. All of the above
19. An employer of persons who work with pesticides must provide:
 - a. Change area
 - b. Handler decontamination facilities
 - c. Decontamination kits (in field)
 - d. All of the above
20. An in-field decontamination kit should include: soap, towels, extra coveralls, clean water for hands, 1 pint of water for emergency eye flush.
 - a. True
 - b. Flush
21. A decontamination site shall be within 100 feet of the mixing/loading site when pesticides with signal words “danger” or “warning” are being used.
 - a. True
 - b. False
22. Field workers must be trained a minimum of every 5 years regarding any pesticide that may be sprayed at their work area.
 - a. True
 - b. False
23. Records that must be kept include: every pesticide application, posting situations, pesticides handled by employees, handler training, fieldworker training, and recommendations.
 - a. True
 - b. False
24. There are two courses which are important for people to be trained in while working around chemicals
 - a. First Aid
 - b. CPR
 - c. Both A and B
 - d. None of the above
25. In case of a pesticide fire what should be done first?
 - a. Clear the area
 - b. Evacuate the local communities
 - c. Call the fire department
 - d. Call your boss