

2010 Sessions

Pesticide Applicator Training

Pest Control Category	Location	Date	Preregistration Deadline
Field & Vegetable Crops (1.1)	Janesville: Best Western Hotel	March 1	February 15
	Baraboo: Clarion Hotel	March 3	February 17
	Eau Claire: America's Best Value Inn	March 4	February 18
	Oshkosh: Hilton Garden Inn	March 8	February 22
Forestry (2.0)	Stevens Point: UW Campus	January 15	January 2
Turf & Landscape (3.0) (and Interiorscapes)	Waukesha: Carroll University	February 18	February 4
	Eau Claire: America's Best Value Inn	March 9	February 23
	Green Bay: Holiday Inn-City Centre	March 10	February 24
	Arlington: UW Research Station	March 23	March 9
	Waukesha: Carroll University	March 30	March 16
	Waukesha: Carroll University	April 6	March 23
Greenhouse & Nursery (3.1) (private and commercial applicators)	Waukesha: Waukesha Co. Ext. Office	January 5	December 22
Right-of-Way (6.0)	Waukesha: Carroll University	January 28	January 14
	Wausau: Marathon Co. Ext. Office	January 29	January 15
Structural (7.1)	Wisconsin Dells: Kalahari Resort	February 16	February 2
	Waukesha: Carroll University	April 1	March 18

→ Preregistration

Preregistration and a \$25 fee are required to attend a training session. Walk-ins will neither be allowed nor the certification exam be administered to individuals who have not preregistered. Preregistration to attend a training session is valid only if you already have your copy of the current training manual or you order your manual at the same time you preregister.

→ When to Preregister

To preregister for a training session (\$25 fee) and to receive your training manual (\$45 fee), please do so before the deadline date listed for your training session. If your preregistration arrives after the deadline, we may still be able to preregister you but only if: 1) space is available at the site and, 2) we are able to guarantee delivery of your manual in advance of your session.

→ How to Preregister

You have two options for preregistering:

- 1) Complete a Commercial Applicator Training registration card and pay by check. Cards are available from your county Extension office (check under the government listing in your phone book) or from the PAT office, or download from our website: <http://ipcm.wisc.edu/PAT> (click on *Downloads*).
- 2) Go online: <http://ipcm.wisc.edu/PAT> and pay by credit card (click on *Register Online*). Paying by credit card is available ONLY online: we cannot accept credit card orders over the phone.

→ Where to Preregister

If using the registration card and paying by check, mail the card and training fees to:

Pesticide Applicator Training (PAT)
Department of Agronomy
1575 Linden Drive
Madison, WI 53706-1597

→ Delivery

Within 3 business days after we receive your registration card and training fees or your online credit card order, your manual will be delivered to the address that you provided when you preregistered.

→ Training Session Confirmation

Shortly after receipt of your payment for a training session, we will confirm the training session that you've preregistered to attend. Also, no later than one week before the training session, you will receive a second confirmation and directions to the session.

→ Training Sessions & Fee

- Training is designed for initial certification; however, recertifying applicators may also find it useful.
- Sessions begin at 8:30 a.m. and conclude around 2 p.m. (some sessions end earlier).
- The certification exam is given immediately after the training session has completed.
- The \$25 training session fee is paid for each session you preregister to attend.
- The training session fee is nonrefundable; however, if you cannot attend but you contact our office at least one day before the session is held, the fee is either transferable to another person you name and/or held in credit to attend a future session.

→ Mixer/Loaders

There is NO separate training session specific for mixers/loaders. However, much of the information pertinent for mixer/loaders is presented at commercial applicator training sessions. If you have preregistered to attend such a session, you may take the mixer/loader exam at the end of the session.

→ Self-Study

Self-study is an alternative to attending a one-day training session; it is your only option to obtain certification in categories or subcategories not listed here, or when listed sessions have been completed. If you no longer can attend the training session you've registered for, make exam arrangements directly with the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (refer to the green cover letter that came with your training manual).

→ DVDs

Training sessions are available on DVD for the following three commercial pest control categories: Field & Vegetable Crops (1.1), Right-of-Way (6.0), and Structural Pest Control (7.1). The cost for each DVD is \$10. Go online (<http://ipcm.wisc.edu/PAT>) and pay by credit card (click on Register Online).

→ More Information

If you have questions about registration, obtaining training manuals, DVDs, or which pest control category certification you need, please contact:

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