WSDA Pesticide Licensing
Who needs it?

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1. WSDA pesticide licensing program
   - 12 license types
   - Over 25 exam categories

2. Requirements depend on type of pest control
   - Commercial Applicators
   - Private Applicators
   - Other – research, structural pest inspection, material sales/distribution

3. Testing and renewal
   - Getting your license
   - License renewal credits
License Types

1. Private Applicator (most growers)
   - **Place:** only on land owned or rented by applicator or his/her employer
   - **Purpose:** producing an agricultural commodity

2. Private Commercial Applicator
   - **Place:** only on land owned or rented by applicator or his/her employer
   - **Purpose:** other than producing an agricultural commodity – e.g. parking lot weed control, road and ditch maintenance
What information do I need?

- **Pre-license Training Courses**
  WSU Pesticide Education Program
  for information call 253-445-4595
  or see http://pep.wsu.edu

- **WSU Study Manuals**
  Purchase from WSU Cooperative Extension,
  order from WSU Bulletin Office or local
  Extension office.

- **Exam Categories**
  Laws/Safety, Private Applicator, Agricultural
  Weed, Insect & Disease Control, Pest Animal
  Control, Soil Fumigation
Passing the Test

- Conducted every Tuesday in Olympia, once monthly in Everett – call or see website for exact time and place
- Reservations Required – call or email
- Picture ID REQUIRED
  Fees payable at time of testing (check or exact cash only)
- Passing grade 70%
  Retesting is allowed with certain limitations.
For More Information

- Contact WSDA Pesticide Licensing
  Toll-free 1-877-301-4555
  license@agr.wa.gov

- Website
  http://agr.wa.gov/PestFert