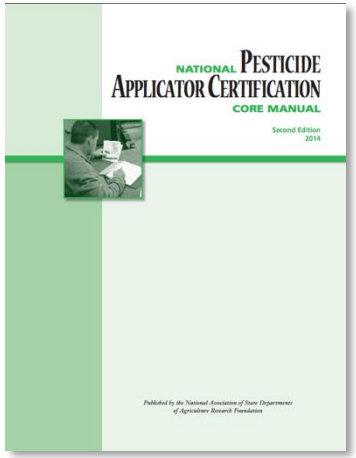
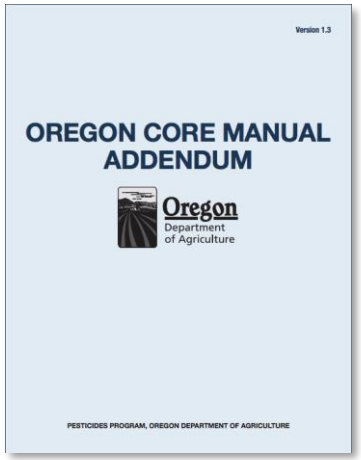
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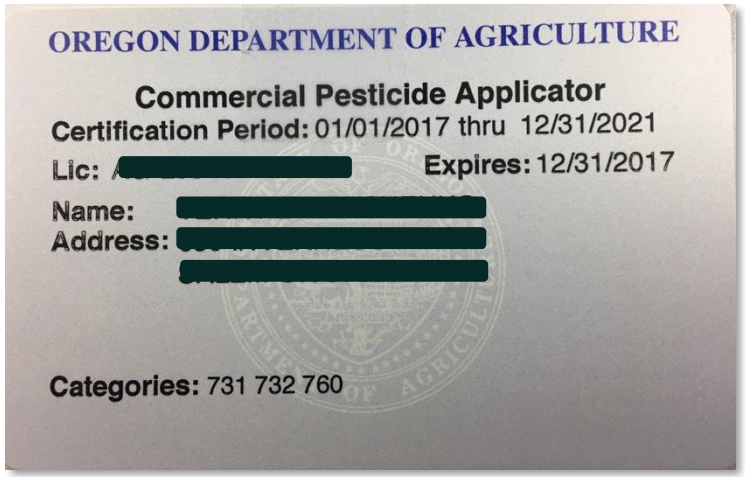
Oregon: Certification vs. Licensing

- Certification – demonstrating knowledge and skills to apply pesticides legally and without causing harm or damage to themselves, others, or the environment; up to 5 calendar years.





- Licensing - permits you to perform certain pesticide-related tasks that would otherwise be prohibited by law; 1 or 5-year licenses.

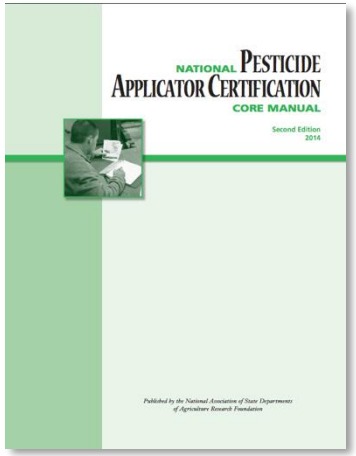


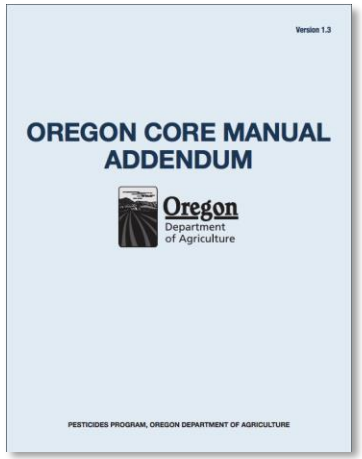
Certified Applicator Licenses

RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE
Toxic to Fish and Aquatic Organisms
For retail sale to and use only by Certified Applicators, or persons under their direct supervision, and only for those uses covered by the Certified Applicator's certification.

License Type	Exam Requirement
Private Applicator	Private Applicator ("core")
Commercial Applicator	Laws & Safety ("core"), plus at least one category exam
Noncommercial Applicator	
Public Applicator	
Aerial Pesticide Applicator	Aerial Pesticide Applicator, plus must already have Private, Commercial, Noncommercial, or Public Applicator license.
Pesticide Consultant with Demonstration & Research category	Pesticide Consultant ("core"), plus the Demonstration & Research category exam.

“Core” Competencies





(1) Label and labeling comprehension.

(2) Safety. Measures to avoid or minimize adverse health effects.

(3) Environment. The potential environmental consequences of the use and misuse of pesticides; effects of weather, soil, and terrain.

(4) Pests. The proper identification and effective control of pests

(5) Characteristics of pesticides – Types, Persistence, Residue Hazards.

(6) Equipment. Types, Limitations, Maintenance, and Calibration.

(7) Application methods. Selecting appropriate application methods.

(8) Laws and regulations. Knowledge of all applicable State, Tribal, and Federal laws and regulations, including understanding the Worker Protection Standard and the circumstances where compliance is required.

(9) Stewardship – Security and Communication.

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“Core” Competencies





- New study material and exams in January 2027
- Meet new federal “core” competency standards:
  - Core standards for all categories of certified commercial applicators
    40 CFR 171.103(c)
    https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-40/part-171#p-171.103(c)
  - General private applicator certification.
    40 CFR 171.105(a)
    https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-40/part-171#p-171.105(a)

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License Categories



- **Agriculture**
  - Herbicide
  - Insecticide/Fungicide
  - Vertebrate Pest
  - Livestock Pest
  - Soil Fumigation
- **Aquatic**
- **Demonstration & Research**
- **Forest**
- **Marine Fouling**
- **Industrial, Institutional, Health, & Structural (IIHS)**
  - General Pest
  - Structural Pest
  - Moss Control
  - Space Fumigation
  - Wood Treatment
- **Ornamental & Turf**
  - Herbicide
  - Insecticide/Fungicide
- **Public Health**
- **Regulatory Weed***
- **Regulatory Predator****
- **Right-of-Way**
- **School Integrated Pest Management (IPM)**
- **Seed Treatment**

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*Public Applicators only

**Note: SB580 (2019) prohibited use of M-44 Devices

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Noncertified Applicators & Supervision

Immediately Supervised Trainee License

Supervisor

- Commercial, Noncommercial, or Public Applicator

Conditions

- Limited by license categories of supervisor.
- Supervisor must be **on-site** during the pesticide application.
- Supervisor must be **within 5 minutes** of specific point of pesticide use.

Pesticide Apprentice License*

Supervisor

- Commercial, Noncommercial, or Public Applicator

Conditions

- Limited by license categories of supervisor.
- Supervisor is **not required to be physical present**.
- Supervisor must be **"reasonably available"** (*e.g.*, mobile phone, 2-way radio).

*Must pass laws & safety ("core") exam

Unlicensed Individual

Supervisor

- Private Applicator

Conditions

- Application of an RUP for the purpose of agricultural production on land owned or leased by the Private Applicator or their employer.
- If Worker Protection Standard applies: must complete **"handler" training;** additional protections must be provided by Agricultural employer.

Pre-Proposal, Draft Text

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Pesticide “Use” & Supervision

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Circumstance	Activity	Supervision Rules Apply?	Immediately Supervised Trainee / Pesticide Apprentice License Required?
Use pesticide for agricultural production on land owned or leased by the pesticide user or their employer	Application of RUP	✓ **Yes**	— No
	Non-application “use” of RUP	✓ **Yes**	— No
	Application or non-application “use” of GUP (not an RUP)	— No	— No
Use pesticide on land or property of another (e.g., customer’s property)	Application of any pesticide	✓ **Yes**	✓ **Yes**
	Non-application “use” of RUP	✓ **Yes**	— No
	Non-application “use” of GUP (not an RUP)	— No	— No
Any circumstance	Application of any pesticide via aircraft or for research purposes	⊘ **Supervised applications are not permitted**	

RUP = Restricted-Use Pesticide; GUP = General-Use Pesticide.

THANK YOU!

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