

BPC video descriptions – for DACF YT channel & playlist

Ep1: Introduction to the Maine Board of Pesticides Control

Description: The Board of Pesticides Control is the state-led agency responsible for the registration, enforcement, and licensing of pesticides and pesticide applicators. Watch the video to learn more about who BPC is and what they do.

For more information, visit BPC's website: <https://www.maine.gov/dacf/php/pesticides/>

Ep 2: Integrated Pest Management

Description: Integrated Pest Management (IPM) is an environmentally sound approach to managing pests such as insects, weeds, plant pathogens, and wildlife on farms and forests, in our communities, and in our homes. IPM relies on proper pest identification, monitoring, and combinations of pest avoidance and management strategies to protect people, crops, and the environment while minimizing reliance on pesticides. Watch the video to learn more about IPM and how you can use it.

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Ep 3: Labelling

Description: Pesticide labels are the law! A pesticide label is considered a federal document that MUST be followed to ensure that pesticides are used properly. Labels have a lot of important information that you need to know about related to use, health, safety, and disposal. Watch the video to learn more about what pesticide labels mean and how you can use them!

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Ep 4: Your Rights and Responsibilities

Description: You have the right to know how pesticides might affect you. Watch the video to learn more about your rights and responsibilities as someone that may use pesticides.

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Ep 5: Regulatory Requirements for Professionals

Description: Pesticide applicators must be licensed to professionally apply pesticides in and around your home. Professionals applying to their own property also have responsibilities under Maine law. Watch the video to learn more about professional pesticide applicators and their requirements to be licensed in Maine.

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