



Pest Control Categories

1. **Agricultural**
 - A. **Plant** (e.g., field crops, small grains, forage, fruit and vegetables and non-crop agricultural lands)
 - B. **Animal** (e.g., livestock, horses, poultry and areas where they confined or housed)
 - C. **Grain Treatment** (e.g., pest control on, in or around stored grain to prevent insect and rodent damage, including the use of fumigants)
2. **Forest** (e.g., site preparation, release work, insect control and reforestation projects)
3. **Ornamental & Turf**
 - A. **Ornamental - Exterior**(e.g., insect, disease, control on plants in the landscape, and weed control in plant beds and around ornamental plantings)
 - B. **Ornamental - Interior** (e.g., insect or disease control on plants in interior landscapes)
 - C. **Turf** (e.g., weed, insect or disease control to lawns)
4. **Seed Treatment** (e.g., seed protectants)
5. **Aquatic** (e.g., weed and fish control in water, includes tidal and wetland areas)
6. **Right-Of-Way and Weed** (e.g., treatment of roadsides, utilities, railroads, non-croplands, fence lines, structural perimeters, or similar areas)
7. **Industrial, Institutional, Structural & Health Related**
 - A. **General Pest Control** (e.g., cockroaches, fleas, crickets, and other household pests found within or adjacent to a structure)
 - B. **Wood Destroying Insects** (e.g., termites and other wood destroying insects)
 - C. **Wildlife Control** - (e.g., pest control involving birds, mammals, reptiles and other wildlife, not required if strictly performing trapping and removal. Note: all companies/agencies performing trapping and removal must have a Maryland Department of Natural Resources Wildlife Damage Control Operators Permit)
 - D. **Rodent Control** - (e.g., rodents found in and around a structure)
 - E. **Fumigation** (e.g., fumigation of commodities and structures)
8. **Public Health** - (e.g., pest control involving mosquitoes)
9. **Regulatory** (**NOTE: Only issued to employees of a public agency responsible for enforcement of government mandated programs e.g., noxious weeds, gypsy moth**)
10. **Demonstration & Research** (e.g., demonstration of pesticide use or application, experimental plots, etc.)
11. **Miscellaneous** (Unique or specialty areas of pest control not applicable to other categories)
 - A. **Wood Treatment** (e.g. treatment of telephone poles, building or construction materials)
 - B. **Tributyltin Antifoulant Paint (TBT)** - (e.g. use of marine antifoulant paints containing tributyltin)
 - C. **Sewer Root Control** (e.g., treatment of tree roots in sewer lines)
12. **Consultant** - (e.g., performing pest identification, providing technical advice on pest control or making pesticide recommendations. **Note:** Certification in this category is based on experience, or education, and passing the certification examinations in those categories of pest control that consulting services will be offered)
13. **Aerial** - (e.g., pest control performed by fixed-wing or rotary aircraft to any crop or land)