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3 WEST MAIN STREET, SUITE 112
ELMSFORD NY**

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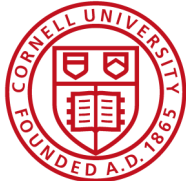
87 North to Saw Mill Pkway North exit W. Main/Route 19 West. Right on W Main. Office is on right.

Saw Mill south to Exit 22 (I-87 West). Keep right at fork to stay on Exit 22. Follow signs NY-119/Tarrytown. Take left on 119 East/White Plains Road. Go ½ mile. Office is on left.

287 East to Exit 8A Elmsford. Left on W.Main/Rte 119 East. Office is on left.

287 West to Exit 2 for 9A South. Left on 9A South/N. Central Ave. Right on W. Main/119West. Office is on right.

Taconic South to Sprain south. Follow signs to I-287 East toward White Plains. Exit 4 for Hartsdale. 100A toward Hartsdale. Right on Knollwood Road. Right onto ramp to 119W/Tarrytown. Slight right onto 119 Tarrytown. Go one mile. Office is on right.



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**2024
30-HOUR PESTICIDE
CERTIFICATION COURSE
AND DEC EXAM**

Category 3a and 3b

This program is designed and approved by the DEC to meet the requirements to become a **Commercial Pesticide Technician** in category 3a or 3b. To become a fully and finally licensed pesticide applicator, after completing this 30 hour course and passing the exam, you will then only need to either have:

- one year of verifiable experience as a technician with an additional 12 hours of category
- specific recertification training; or
- two years of verifiable experience as a technician (without the additional recertification training)

As a reminder a **Commercial Pesticide Technician** can:

- Purchase and use most general-use pesticides without direct supervision (note: you **do not need** a fully licensed applicator on staff for this); and
- Use a restricted-use pesticide under the direct supervision of a certified commercial pesticide applicator; but
- Not supervise apprentices or other technicians (except as provided for Antifouling Paint Applicators in Title 9 of Article 33).



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2024

30-HOUR PESTICIDE CERTIFICATION COURSE + EXAM

All classes will meet in person with some presenters over Zoom.

January 22rd

9am to 12:15pm

UPDATES ON RULES AND REGULATIONS

with DEC representative

1:15pm to 2:45pm

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND READING LABELS

with Hillary Jufer, Horticulture Program Manager with Cornell Cooperative Extension Westchester County

3pm to 4:30pm

INTRO TO TURFGRASS

with David Chinery, Horticulture Turf Management Sr. Resource Educator at Cornell Cooperative Extension Rensselaer County

January 24th

9am to 12:15pm and 1:15pm to 4:30pm

PESTICIDE CORE COMPETENCY 1&2

with Mike Helms, Extension Support Specialist with Cornell Cooperative Extension Pesticide Safety Education Program

January 26th

9am to 10:00am

PRINCIPLES OF IPM

with Kathleen Strahan, Horticulture Educator with Cornell Cooperative Extension Westchester County

10:15am to 12:15pm

VERTEBRATE PESTS

with Paul Curtis, PhD, Professor and Department Extension Leader, Natural Resources and the Environment at Cornell College of Agriculture and Life Sciences

1:15pm to 4:30pm

BASIC ENTOMOLOGY FOR ORNAMENTAL PLANTS

with Hillary Jufer, Horticulture Program Manager with Cornell Cooperative Extension Westchester County

January 29th

9am to 12:15pm

TURFGRASS INSECTS

with Kyle Wickings, PhD, Associate Professor in the Department of Entomology Cornell College of Agriculture and Life Sciences

1:15pm to 4:30pm

WEEDS OF THE LANDSCAPE

with Randall Prostack, PhD, Extension Weed Specialist at the University of Massachusetts Amherst

January 31st

9am to 12:15pm

ORNAMENTAL PLANT PATHOLOGY

with Brian Eshenaur, Sr. Extension Associate for Ornamental Crops at the New York State Integrated Pest Management Program

1:15pm to 3:00pm

PESTICIDES AND WATER

with Sara Powell, LISS Sustainable & Resilient Communities Extension Professional from NY Sea Grant

3:00pm to 4:30pm

Optional study session.

February 1nd

10am to 1pm

CORE AND CATEGORY 3A EXAM IN CCE BUILDING.

Lunch will not be provided, no break during testing

Cost for course: \$615*

*Includes all required manuals.

*Lunch and refreshments also included

Cost for DEC exam: \$100**

**Exam can be paid at time of registration to CCE Westchester or bring a check or money order made payable to the Department of Environmental Conservation on the day of the exam.

REGISTRATION 2024 30-HOUR PESTICIDE CERTIFICATION COURSE + DEC EXAM

Please complete this form and mail payment to:
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Category for certification

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(<https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/ev/reg/8a3gy2d>)
and payment instructions will follow.

*Additional fees may apply for credit card use

Courses are popular and space is limited. First come, first served. Please contact Hillary Jufer at 914-285-4640 or westchester@cornell.edu regarding availability.

Must complete full course to qualify for the DEC exam in your category on premises.

Registration is not complete until payment is made. No refunds will be offered on this course.

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