

Welcome to Module 10, Compliance and Enforcement.

Fumigant Site Monitoring

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- Instrument monitoring within the application block will occur only when
 - Sensory irritation has occurred and the label requires the wearing of a full face respirator. At this time monitoring using instruments will occur and will determine if further protective actions are required
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Fumigant Buffer Zone Monitoring

- If the fumigant buffer zone does not come in contact with land that is out of the owner/operator's control and the subsequent notification area around the buffer zone does not come in contact with an occupied structure, then no fumigant site monitoring is necessary
- Instead of monitoring the edges of the buffer zone, the applicator has the option to notify the neighboring property owners.

- Monitoring within the buffer zone perimeter
 - Not all fumigants will have buffer zone requirements in 2011. Those that do will have monitoring requirements listed on the label.
 - In 2011, the majority of monitoring will be with the use of sensory irritation. If irritation is noted, then the emergency response plan indicated in the Fumigant Management Plan (FMP) must be implemented
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Type of required information to be shared all of which must be placed in the fumigant management plan:

General location of application block

Fumigant(s) applied, active ingredient, trade names, EPA registration numbers

Contact information for the applicator and the property owner/operator

Name and phone number of person doing notification List of residences, businesses, and neighboring property owners informed

Time period in which the fumigation is planned to take place Early signs and symptoms of fumigant exposure, what to do, and who to call if you believe you've been exposed How and where to find additional information about fumigants

Module Seven Review Questions

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1. If the soil fumigant requires a full face respirator to begin fumigating, monitoring using instruments will be required during the entire fumigation process.

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True	
○ False	

Correct	Choice
Х	True
	False

2. All fumigants will have buffer zone requirements in 2011.

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○ True			
False			

Correct	Choice
	True
Х	False

3. Farm workers or other personnel can help with monitoring.

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	False

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	True
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