

Landscaping – Handling Pesticides, Herbicides and Other Chemicals Infographic



DOS & DON'TS WHILE HANDLING PESTICIDES

DOS	DON'TS
 Use gloves when measuring and mixing pesticides.	 Do not use damaged or leaking sprays
 Make sure you always use suitable PPE	 Do not spray against the wind
 Make sure no child/animal is close by while using pesticides	 Avoid blowing the spray nozzles with the mouth
 Clean your hands and your body before eating, drinking or smoking	 Do not use pesticide containers to store food or drinks

- Read and follow instructions on the label
- Mix the pesticide as recommended
- Use suitable equipment
- Shower immediately after use
- Clean and store equipment, clothing and PPE properly
- Record the usage in the log book
- Know the first aid measures and procedures

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