

**TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
STRUCTURAL PEST CONTROL SERVICE
APPRENTICE/ TECHNICIAN
VERIFIABLE TRAINING RECORDS FORM
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This record must be kept in the business/noncommercial entity files for a period of two years after the last entry.

Name of Apprentice/Technician _____ Date of Hire* _____

Apprentice No. or License No. _____ Drivers License No. _____ Date Of Birth _____

Name of Business or Noncommercial Entity _____

TPCL No. _____ OR Certified Noncommercial Applicator License No. _____

Date of Training	Subject/Category of Training	Indicate Classroom (C) or On-the-Job Training (OJT)	Hours Completed	Competency Demonstrated	Trainer Name, Signature, and License No.

Printed Name of Evaluator (R.C.A.)

Signature of Evaluator (R.C.A.)

Responsible Certified Applicator
(R.C.A.) License No.

DEFINITIONS OF TERMS

*Date of Hire

-- Apprentice: Date began employment at pest control business to train for a technician license.

-- Technician: Date began employment at pest control business to perform pest control services.

Pest Control service is defined in the Structural Pest Control Service law and regulations as identifying infestations, making inspection reports, recommendations, estimates, or bids, whether oral or written, making contracts, submitting bids or performing services designed to prevent, control, or eliminate infestations.

Date of Training – Actual date training was provided. Includes classroom and on the job training.

Subject – Area of subject matter taught:

General Standards – For apprentice complete 2 hours of classroom training in each of following:

- A. Federal and state laws regulating structural pest control and pesticide application
- B. Recognition of pest and pest damage
- C. Pesticide labels and label comprehension
- D. Pesticide safety
- E. Environmental protection
- F. Application equipment and techniques
- G. Pesticide formulations and actions
- H. Emergency procedures and pesticide cleanup; and procedures for the immediate reporting of spills and misapplications
- I. Basic principles of mathematics, chemistry, toxicology and entomology
- J. Non-chemical pest control techniques, including biological, mechanical and integrated pest management

Hours Classroom – General Standards training requirement is 20 hours of verifiable classroom training and shall include at 2 hours in each of the aforementioned areas. Additionally, for each category apprentice is to work (8) hours of classroom training is required. The total minimum classroom-training requirement is 28 hours, which may include in-house and workshop verifiable training.

Hours of O.J.T. – Actual hours of on the job training by the applicant. Must be 40 hours per category seeking licensure.

Hours of Continuing Training For Technicians – Actual hours of continuing training for technicians. Must be 8 hours per renewal year, 2 of which can be On the Job Training.

Category – The category of training provided was General Standards, Pest Control, Termite Control, Lawn & Ornamental, Weed Control, Structural Fumigation, Commodity Fumigation, Wood Preservation.

Competency Demonstrated – Evaluation by the responsible certified applicator. Example: Pass/Fail or Percentile Scoring.

The business licensee or certified noncommercial applicator shall maintain the verifiable training records and certification for each apprentices/technician in the business file of at least two (2) years after last

