

WHY CONSIDER ANOTHER LICENSE

If you have considered adding additional services to your company, you might need another license. On Wednesday February 15, GPCA is co-ordinating a program to help you prepare for three “Specialized” categories: Public Health, Mosquito Control and Ornamental & Turf.

All three categories have two testing parts. First, the “General” which covers pesticide safety, equipment, regulations, labels etc. Secondly, the “Specialized” element for the particular category in which you want to test.

Many commercial facilities require that you provide a public health certification if you are going to treat their restaurant, food handling facility, etc. Also (here’s a change) if you do mosquito reduction, you will soon be required to take the Category 41 (Mosquito) exam. Those who are currently treating for mosquitoes with a Category 31 license have been grandfathered in—but there is an unknown date coming where grandfathering will no longer be acceptable.

And then there is the Ornamental & Turf category that has been somewhat foggy in its requirements. Likely you won’t need O & T if you are doing home pest control, but if you want to expand and do right-of-ways or other general landscape service for pest management, you will need this license.

Bottom line—if you want your company to be a full service business, you likely will need additional licenses now or in the future. This program will help you prepare to take the exam and get this license.

Trainers: Shay Runion, Heather Gordy (Arrow Exterminators), Charlie Pate (Central Life Sciences) & Rosmarie Kelly (Georgia Division of Public Health)

Ample parking is available at Orkin.

GPCA ADD A CATEGORY PROGRAM

FEBRUARY 15, 2011
Orkin Training Center
2552 Northeast Expressway
Atlanta

SCHEDULE

9:00—9:30	Registration
9:30—12:00	General Standards, Shay Runion
12:00—12:45	Lunch - Buffet (included)
12:45—1:00	Check in for selected afternoon program
1:00—3:00	Class A -Public Health (Category 31)
	Class B -Mosquito (Category 41)
	Class C -Ornamental & Turf (Category 24)

Mosquito Control Category 41 Training for Pest Management Professionals



There is a great opportunity for Pest Management Professionals to provide a valuable and profitable service to their customers with the addition of a Mosquito Management Program. With this training, you will learn why mosquito reduction is needed in residential and commercial areas. You will also find out what is involved in developing a mosquito reduction service including mosquito identification, location of habitats, diseases carried by mosquitoes and an integrated mosquito management program to control them. Discover what products and equipment are needed to provide this valuable service and finally, become informed on what is needed to pass the license exam required for you to begin providing this exceptionally profitable and worthwhile program for your customers.

Ornamental and Turf Pest Management Category 24 Training

Earning your Ornamental & Turf license has gotten a lot more complex in recent years. There are many areas of expertise that you need to know:

- Ornamental Plants
- Turf grasses
- Insects and Mites of Ornamental Pests
- Weeds of Turf grasses
- Weeds of Ornamental Plants
- Diseases of Turf grasses
- Diseases of Ornamental Plants
- Vertebrate Pests
- Pesticide calibration

If you want to offer your customers MORE, consider learning what you need to study to prepare to take this exam.



Public Health, Category 31 Training

If you have your Public Health license you have broadened your potential customer base. Many restaurants are now asking for this as well as an HPC license:

- Public Health Affects on Man
- General Insect Biology
- Public Health Pests



REGISTER TODAY

COST:

\$50 GPCA MEMBERS
Includes General Standards
one special Category
and buffet lunch

\$70 NONMEMBERS

If you only want to take the morning or one afternoon session with no lunch, the fee is \$30 members. Not available for nonmembers.

Please call the GPCA office at 770-417-1881 to register or fax your registration information to 770-417-1419.

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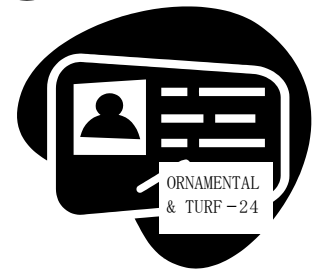
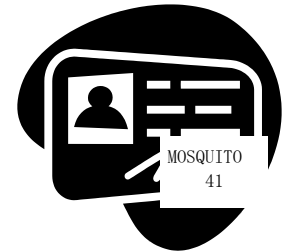
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