

Integrated Pest Management Plan

When completed, this template meets the Healthy Schools Act requirement for an integrated pest management (IPM) plan. An IPM plan is required if a child care center uses pesticides¹

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Center IPM Coordinator

IPM Coordinator's Phone Number

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IPM statement

It is the goal of Abiding Savior _____ to implement IPM by focusing on long-term prevention or suppression of pests through accurate pest identification, by frequent monitoring for pest presence, by applying appropriate action levels, and by making the habitat less conducive to pests using sanitation and mechanical and physical controls. Pesticides that are effective will be used in a manner that minimizes risks to people, property, and the environment, and only after other options have been shown ineffective.

Our pest management objectives are to: *(Example: Focus on long-term pest prevention)*

Protect the children in our care from health risks posed by both pests and pesticides.

IPM team

In addition to the IPM Coordinator, other individuals who are involved in purchasing, making IPM decisions, applying pesticides, and complying with the Healthy Schools Act requirements, include:

Name and/or Title	Role in IPM program
Chris Branstetter	IPM Coordinator - director of maintenance
Mary Wolfenbarger & Tricia Stroube	Preschool Director/Business Manager - decision making for the preschool/campus
Merchants Building	cleaning and sanitizing classrooms, restrooms, and flooring (after hours daily Monday - Friday) Also responsible for trash removal daily Monday - Friday
Skyline Pest Control	to prevent and eliminate pests such as spiders, lice, fleas, and cockroaches (after hours monthly)
Vector Control Orange County/The Bee Man	to prevent and eliminate mosquitos (every 60 days and as needed); as needed

Pest management contracting

- Pest management services are contracted to a licensed pest control business.
Pest Control Business name(s): Skyline Pest Control and Vector Control Orange County and The Bee Man
- Prior to entering into a contract, the school district has confirmed that the pest control business understands the training requirement and other requirements of the Healthy Schools Act.

Pest identification, monitoring and inspection

Pest Identification is done by: Skyline

(Example: College/University staff, Pest Control Business, etc.)

Monitoring and inspecting for pests and conditions that lead to pest problems are done regularly by Administrative staff, Merchants staff, Skyline and results are communicated to the IPM Coordinator.

(Example: District staff title, e.g. Maintenance staff)

Specific information about monitoring and inspecting for pests, such as locations, times, or techniques include:

(Example: Sticky monitoring boards are placed in the kitchen and are checked weekly by custodial staff.)

Visual inspections are conducted daily in commonly used areas and monthly in all areas. The pest company, Skyline, conducts monthly inspections and treats monthly as needed for the prevention/elimination of pests.

Pests and non-chemical management practices

This child care center has identified the following pests and routinely uses the following non-chemical practices to prevent pests from reaching the action level:

Pest	Remove food	Fix leaks	Seal cracks	Install barriers	Physical removal	Traps	Manage irrigation	Other
spiders	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Daily sweeping; remove standing water; dusting
ants	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Daily sweeping; remove standing water
water beetles	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Daily sweeping, remove standing water
mosquitos	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Daily sweeping, remove standing water, keep doors closed
bees	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Keeping lids on outdoor classroom; remove trees that attract bees
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Chemical pest management practices

If non-chemical methods are ineffective, the school district will consider pesticides only after careful monitoring indicates that they are needed according to pre-established action levels and will use pesticides that pose the least possible hazard and are effective in a manner that minimizes risks to people, property and the environment.

This child care center expects the following pesticides (pesticide products and active ingredients) to be applied during the year. (This list includes pesticides that will be applied by school district staff or licensed pest control businesses.):

essentria ic3 insecticide concentrate - rosemary oil, peppermint oil, geraniol, oil of wintergreen, white mineral oil, vanillin, polyglycyl oleate
 natular xrt mosquito larvicide - spinosad (A and D)
 730 HP Disinfectant Cleaner - propylene glycol n-propyl ether, dodecylbenzene-sulfonic acid; alcohols c6-c12 ethoxylated, hydrogen peroxide, phosphoric acid, water

Healthy Schools Act

- This child care center complies with the notification, posting, recordkeeping, and all other requirements of the Healthy Schools Act.(Education Code Sections 17608 - 17613, 48980.3; Food & Agricultural Code Sections 13180 - 13188)

Training

Every year child care center employees who make pesticide applications receive the following training prior to pesticide

- Pesticide specific safety training (Title 3 California Code of Regulations 6724) use:
- School IPM training course approved by the Department of Pesticide Regulation (Education Code Section 16714; Food & Agricultural Code Section 13186.5).

Submittal of pesticide use reports

- Reports of all pesticides applied by child care center staff during the calendar year, except pesticides exempt¹ from HSA recordkeeping, are submitted to the Department of Pesticide Regulation at least annually, by January 30 of the following year, using the form provided at www.cdpr.ca.gov/schoolipm. (Education Code Section 16711)

Notification

This child care center has made this IPM plan publicly available by the following methods (check at least

- This IPM plan can be found online at the following web address: www.abidingsavior.com/preschool/parents-portal
- This IPM plan is sent out to all parents, guardians and staff annually.

Review

- This IPM plan will be reviewed (and revised, if needed) at least annually to ensure that the information provided is still true and correct.

Date of next review: January 30, 2024

I acknowledge that I have reviewed this school district's IPM Plan and it is true and correct.

Signature: 

Date: January 30, 2023

¹ These pesticides are exempt from all Healthy Schools Act requirements, except the training requirement: 1) products used in self-contained baits or traps, 2) gels or pastes used as crack and crevice treatments, 3) antimicrobials, and 4) pesticides exempt from U.S. EPA registration. (Education Code Section 17610.5)

Annual Notification Form

Dear Parent or Guardian,

The Healthy Schools Act requires all California school districts to notify parents and guardians of pesticides they expect to apply during the year. We expect to use the following pesticides in your school this year:

Also listed are antimicrobials that staff may use in the classroom for cleaning, disinfecting, sanitizing

Name of Pesticide (Common Name)	Active Ingredient(s)
essentria ic3	rosemary oil, geraniol, peppermint oil, oil of wintergreen, white mineral oil, vanillin, polyglyerl oleate
natular xrt	Spinosad A and D
730 HP Disinfectant Cleaner	propylene glycol n propyl ether, dodecylbenzene sulfonic acid alcohols c6-c12 ethoxylated, hydrogen peroxide, phosphoric acid,water
Clorox Pro Clorox Anywhere Disinfectant Sanitizer	antimicrobial
Dawn Ultra Dishwashing Liquid	antimicrobial
Clorox Disinfecting Wipes	antimicrobial
pup puretergent	antimicrobial
purell foodservice surface sanitizer	antimicrobial
softsoap antibacterial liquid soap	antimicrobial
windex cleaner	antimicrobial
comet	antimicrobial
bona	antimicrobial
germ x hand sanitizer	antimicrobial

You can find more information regarding these pesticides and pesticide use reduction at the Department of Pesticide Regulation's Web site at www.cdpr.ca.gov.

You may view a copy of the district's integrated pest management plan in the schoolsite office. It is located online at:

www.abidingsavior.com/preschool/parents-portal

If you have any questions, please contact:

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