

2018 Manual A Chapter 9 Emergency Response Quiz

1. **Which statement about emergency response planning is *true*?**
 - A. Your emergency response plan should reflect only the off-season inventory of pesticides stored at your facility.
 - B. As long as you have an emergency response plan at your facility, it is not necessary to designate an emergency response coordinator.
 - C. In the event of an emergency, the first person to contact would be your attorney.
 - D. It is important to keep with your emergency list an outline of the information that should be passed along during an emergency notification call.

2. **What is the backbone of any emergency response plan?**
 - A. Outlining the sequence of actions to take in a crisis.
 - B. Having a pesticide inventory readily available.
 - C. Knowing where copies of labels and material safety data sheets are kept.
 - D. Keeping an inventory of emergency equipment and supplies on site.

3. **Which is *not* a recommended action to take in the event of a fire involving pesticides?**
 - A. Construct dikes to contain contaminated runoff water.
 - B. Notify the fire department and inform the firefighters of the nature of the pesticides involved.
 - C. Contain small fires with fog, foam, or dry powder.
 - D. Use water jets to put out the pesticide fire.

4. **Which would *not* be an action to take in the case of a pesticide spill?**
 - A. Rope off the contaminated area, keeping people at least 30 feet from the spill.
 - B. Contain liquid spills by spreading absorbent materials such as fine sand, vermiculite, clay, or pet litter over the entire spill.
 - C. Use sawdust or sweeping compounds to control pesticides that are strong oxidizers.
 - D. Use absorbent pillows or tubes to dike around the spill area.

5. **Which statement is *true* about proper cleanup procedures for pesticide spills?**
 - A. Remove the top 1 inch of soil to decontaminate soil saturated with a pesticide.
 - B. Sweep up the absorbed chemical and place it in a steel or fiber drum lined with a heavy-duty plastic bag.
 - C. Use bleach and lime together to clean up spill areas.
 - D. Use charcoal briquets to reduce soil contamination and subsequent plant damage.

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1. A
2. D
3. C
4. B