



# Chemuse (AQF3)

Duration: 1 Day of Face-Face Training

## Course overview

This course has been developed to address the needs of council parks staff, as well as the broader horticulture industry. The content draws from the Code of Practice "Safe Use of Pesticides including Herbicides in Non-Agricultural Workplaces". Upon completion, participants will be accredited to the standard required by the Pesticides Act 1999.

The course involves both theory and practical assessment, where participants are able to practice their new skills.

This training is aligned to two nationally accredited units of competency:

- **AHCCHM307 Prepare and apply chemicals to control pest, weeds and diseases**
- **AHCCHM304 Transport and store chemicals**

## This course is ideal for

- Workers who are required to store, use and transport pesticides
- Supervisors of these workers
- People working in nurseries: council parks & gardens, bush regenerators, arboriculture, LandCare.

This course does not have an agricultural focus and does not cover hazardous substances such as cleaning or pool chemicals. Please ask about our 'Hazardous Substances' course.

## Pre-requisites

Participants must be able to read pesticide labels and complete simple documents.

## Topics included

- Recognising and assessing the need for chemical use
- Complying with safety, chemical labels and SDS requirements
- Using an application/spray plan
- Correctly maintaining and using PPE
- Calibrating application equipment
- Following emergency procedures for chemical spillage
- Safe transport of chemicals and suitable storage locations

## Learning outcomes

Participants will be able to:

- Prepare chemical mixes and sprays in accordance with legislation
- Calibrate equipment and apply chemicals
- Clean-up equipment used
- Transport and store chemicals correctly
- Record storage details of chemicals

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