

Hand Held Applicator: Hydraulic Nozzle

Duration: 1 Day Time: 9.00 am to 4.00 pm

Venue: Orkney College **Dates:** TBC

Cost: £100.00

NB. Course participants who will be doing contract spraying work must hold a certificate of competence issued by the NPTC. PA1 theory can be sat at Orkney College on line, PA1 practical, PA2 & 6 are externally examined. Individual times will be arranged with participants.

The one day course is a must for anyone involved in operating and maintaining hydraulic nozzle type knapsack sprayers. Participants should have attended 'Safe Use of Pesticides'.

Personal Protective Clothing (PPE) must be worn by candidates for training and testing:

Type 5 or 6 disposable coverall suit, 0.5 ml thick nitrile gloves, face shield, wellington boots

Course content:

The course will include the following topics:

- Introduction
- General safety
- Preparing the sprayer and checking components
- Calibrating the hand held sprayer
- Operating the hand held sprayer in a variety of operating circumstances
- Decontamination of sprayer and protective clothing
- Out of season maintenance and storage
- Review