

CHEMICAL STORAGE AREA SAFETY CHECKLIST

Safe storage of chemicals on the farm is critical to you, your family, workers, visitors, and livestock. Maintaining a proper chemical storage room or building reduces the risk of accidental exposure.

Incidents with chemicals can be serious and life-threatening, so it is important to review your storage area for possible hazards and correct any issues.

Potential Hazard	Yes	Needs Correction	Date Corrected or Notes
Are chemicals stored in a room or building which can be secured from children, visitors and livestock?			
Do chemical containers have the original labels?			
Are chemicals stored in their original containers and never in food or drink containers?			
Is smoking prohibited in and around buildings where chemicals are stored and when they are being handled?			
Is the storage area well ventilated and lighted?			
Are respirators, rubber gloves, aprons, chemical goggles, coveralls and other chemical protective gear available?			
Is the Poison Helpline number (1-800-222-1222) posted in a visible place?			

Name of person completing safety check: Date completed:
