IPM PLANS

Roach Infestation – Workrooms, classrooms, teacher’s lounges, etc.

1. Inspect area – if infestation is found use non-chemical treatments:

a. Eliminate open food source – store in plastic with lids

b. Recycling container in good repair and emptied regularly

c. Eliminate water source

d. Eliminate clutter

2. Custodial Closets

a. Mop buckets emptied nightly

b. Hang mops up after each use

c. Repair water leaks – dry area completely

3. \* No infestation found – DO NOT APPLY INSECTICIDES

4. \*Infestation – Re-check area in 3 days, use pesticides if problem still exists

Rodent Infestation – Interior

1. Inspect area – if infestation found use non-chemical treatments such as:

a. Sanitation

b. Empty trash regularly

c. Eliminate clutter

d. Remove food and water sources – store food in plastic

2. Exterior

a. Remove food and water sources

b. Patch holes in building and other entry places

c. Replace missing or damaged door sweeps and weather stripping

d. Seal open piping – electrical and plumbing

e. Keep doors shut

f. Keep grass cut low – trees and shrubs trimmed away from building

g. Keep dumpster plugged and closed at all times

h. Keep trash picked up

3. \*No infestation – Do not use rodenticides

4. \*Infestation found – Re-check in 3 days if problem still exists, use bait stations.

Termites – Call IPM Coordinator, email or enter a work order immediately

Ants

1. Inspect area – Infestation found use non-chemical measures

a. Spray soapy water on trails to disperse

b. Vacuum ants

c. Remove food source

d. Seal cracks if needed

2. Re-check in 3 days if problem still exists use a crack & crevice gel

Fleas

1. Disinfect, vacuum and shampoo carpet. Remove stuffed animals

Bees, Wasps, Yellow Jackets

1. Outside – remove nests immediately

2. Keep dumpsters away from building

3. Keep lids shut on dumpsters

4. Keep all soda can picked up

Infestation found post 48 hour notice before treatment

Wildlife – Raccoons, skunks, opossums, snakes, foxes, etc.

1. Call IPM Coordinator, Aaron Hood – Office 325-453-4555, Cell 325-473-8811.

Please do not call a contractor directly.

Thresholds

**Spiders** – 1 – Brown recluse or black widow

**Flies** – 3 classroom, 2 clinic, 2 kitchen

**Crickets** – 5-10 classroom, 3-5 kitchen

**Roaches** – 2 classroom, 2 clinic, 1 kitchen

**Termites** – Any swarmers or tubes inside or outside

**Ants** – (carpenter or fire ants) 10 or more classroom, 3 kitchen, 5 storage and maintenance areas

**Bees/Wasps/Yellow Jackets** – 2 classroom, 3 maintenance areas. Outdoors none unless children are threatened

**Wildlife** – raccoons, skunks, opossums, snakes, foxes etc. Will remove ASAP

**Lice** – Medical condition/not pest control, notify nurse

Decision Making Guidelines

1. Monitoring

2. Visual inspection

3. Trapping

4. Thresholds