



Spill Control Checklist

Note: Applicators should ALWAYS consult pesticide label directions prior to application. Be aware of label specific spill control procedures.



- 1.) **CONTROL** the spill. Shut off the source, if possible. Make sure you are wearing PPE (skin covered, gloves, eye protection)



- 2.) **CONTAIN** the spill
 - a. If liquid, use kitty litter, spill pillows or sand to stop the spread. If water is near, stop the spread first in that direction.
 - b. If granular or wettable powder, cover spill with a plastic liner or use a light misting of water to prevent spread through the air.



- 3.) **CALL 911 IF** anyone is injured, the spill is too large for clean-up, spill has migrated offsite, or the spill threatens others.
 - a. If you call 911, ensure the area is blocked off, and notify your neighbors



- 4.) **CLEAN** the spill if it has been contained.
 - a. For pesticides, recover as much as possible for reuse and use adsorbents to recover the rest as waste. Dispose of according to state/federal regulations.
 - b. For other chemicals, use adsorbents and avoid use of paper towels as they can increased risk of vaporization. Dispose of according to state/federal regulations.
 - c. Afterwards, clean impervious surfaces using triple rinse technique with soap and water.

- 5.) **CONTACT** and report spill if necessary. To determine if spill must be reported, visit: https://www.dec.ny.gov/docs/remediation_hudson_pdf/1x1.pdf