Integrated pest management plan

Four questions to answer before any pesticide is used on your site.

Site _____ Date _____

1 What is the problem, and where is it?

The weed, pest or disease, where it is and roughly how much.

2 Why does it need controlling?

Tick all that apply.

- ☐ Safety, such as trips, slips or sightlines
- ☐ Damage to surfaces, drains or structures
- ☐ Appearance
- ☐ Security, such as fence lines or cameras
- ☐ A legal duty or notice
- ☐ Other: _____

3 What else could work?

Tick what you have considered, then say why it will not do the job on its own.

- ☐ Hand weeding or digging out
- ☐ Brushing or hot water
- ☐ Cutting, mowing or strimming
- ☐ Mulch, repairs or design changes

4 How will pesticide use be kept to a minimum?

Tick all that apply.

- ☐ Spot or targeted treatment only
- ☐ Signs where people use the area
- ☐ Kept away from water and drains
- ☐ Results checked, and the plan reviewed

An integrated pest management plan based on the client's or landowner's needs has been completed, and the outcome justified the use of pesticides.

Name _____ Position _____ Signature _____ Date _____

Follows the integrated pest management principles in the government's Pesticides National Action Plan 2025. Always read the label: the label takes precedence.