

# Agricultural Field Toilet Inspection Program (AFTIP)

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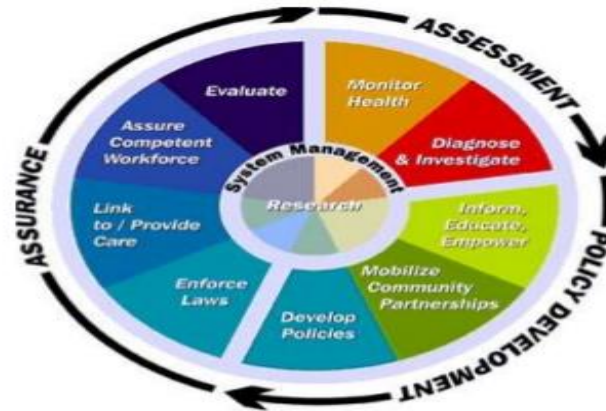
## Project Goal

Enhance the AFTIP by:

1. Coordinating with operators
  2. Improve schedule process
  3. Increase number of field toilet inspections
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# AFTIP

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1. Conduct Assessment of Schedule Process

2. Update Application Form

3. Plan and coordinate schedule process

4. Evaluate and monitor if an on-line submittal process will be effective with operators

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INFORMATION REGARDING FIELD WORKER TOILET FACILITIES

AGRICULTURAL FIELD TOILET INSPECTION PROGRAM

Purpose:  
The Agricultural Field Toilet Inspection Program (AFTIP) has two purposes:  

- To prevent contamination of food crops by field workers because of unsanitary field toilets, and
- To keep workers healthy by making sure they have enough safe drinking water.

AFTIP applies to all owners of field toilets that are provided for use by workers in Monterey County agricultural fields. AFTIP requires that sanitary field toilet and hand washing facilities, and fresh drinking water, are easily available to food crop workers, and requires the permitting, inspection and enforcement of codes and regulations concerning field toilets, hand-washing facilities and drinking water stations.

Background  
Food crops that are contaminated in the field can cause the people who eat them to become ill. The Monterey County Health Department has documented reports that people may have contracted Shigella, Salmonella and E. coli illnesses after eating vegetables grown in Monterey County.

Contamination of food crops in the field can happen when:  

- a worker touches food crops with unwashed hands, or
- field crops are contaminated by animal droppings or feces in the soil, or
- feces that are deposited in the soil then carry the contaminants to the field crops.

These kinds of contamination can be avoided by making sure that field toilets are sanitary and convenient to use, and that there is plenty of clean water for washing hands.

It is also important, and required by the California Code of Regulations, Section 80077, to provide safe drinking water to field workers for their health and comfort while working.

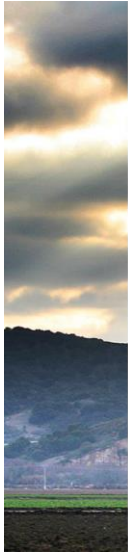
The field toilet owner, or leader of such field toilet, must tell each employee responsible time during the day to use them. The field toilet owner, or leader of such field toilet, must also make sure that employees properly use the field toilets, hand-washing facilities and drinking water stations, and must require each employee the responsibility of following good health practices to avoid contamination of food crop and to reduce the danger of communicable diseases, agricultural microbial residues, and herbicide contamination.

Document Description  
**Regulatory Code Title Inspection Checklist & Reporting** Information on the Agricultural Field Toilet Inspection Program with excerpts from California Health and Safety Code California Code of Regulations.  
**Application Form** Agricultural Field Toilet Inspection Program Application  
**Field Toilet Permit** Permit for Field Toilets  
**Letter from California Department of Health** Letter from California Department of Health regarding the Field Toilet Permit.  
**Drinking Water Station** Drinking Water Station for Agricultural Field Toilet  
**Hand Washing Station** Hand Washing Station for Agricultural Field Toilet

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Calendar: OCTOBER 2017

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AGRICULTURAL FIELD TOILET INSPECTION PROGRAM  
APPLICATION

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Supervisor/Forman Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Storage Yards  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Liquid Waste Disposal  
 Name of permitted liquid waste hauler: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Health permit number(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Frequency of liquid waste disposal: \_\_\_\_\_ Account # of disposal company: \_\_\_\_\_

Solid Waste Disposal  
 Yard disposal  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Maintain waste disposal and maintenance records on site for review during annual inspections.

Total Number of toilets: \_\_\_\_\_

1 – 19 toilets ..... \$ 100.00 Each Yr  
 20 – 50 toilets ..... \$ 2,736.00 Yr ear  
 50+ toilets ..... \$ 3,420.00 Yr ear

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**Process Objectives:**

1. Improve internal process of scheduling appointments.
2. Alleviate operators with the inconvenience of communicating with several people.
3. Increase number of inspections completed.

# Conclusion



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Build an effective communication between operators and our Department.

-Improve how our Department coordinates field toilet inspections.

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I expect to improve each year as we continue to enhance the program and move forward with providing greater services online.

