

5 Day General Pest Control Course – Belfast **20-24 February 2012**

This intensive, five day, **non-residential** course aims to introduce the basic principles of public health pest control and extend the knowledge of those already working within the industry.

New and inexperienced operatives will benefit, as well as those indirectly involved with pest control through, for example, liaison with a contractor.

At the end of the course, delegates sit the RSPH/BPCA (Level 2) Award in Pest Management

Subjects covered include:

- Legislation relevant to those involved in public health pest control
- Storage and transport of pesticides
- Biology, behaviour and control of rats & mice
- Control of other vertebrate pests including birds, rabbits, foxes, squirrels, moles and feral cats
- Public health insect pest biology and control including cockroaches, ants, wasps, flies, biting insects, stored product insects etc
- Pesticide application equipment
- Personal protective equipment
- Choice and use of insecticide and rodenticide formulations
- New developments in active ingredients, formulations and application techniques

Please Note: A £100 + VAT non-refundable deposit is required when booking this course

Cost Members £700 + VAT
Non-members £900 + VAT

The fee includes all tuition, lunch, tea/coffee breaks, course reference material, exam fee and access to the BPCA Online Learning for 6 weeks prior to the course.

PROMPT CPD points TBC.

Cancellation

Cancellations can only be accepted on receipt of written instruction and are effective from the date received by the BPCA. Charges will be applied as per the table below:

Working days prior to course	General Pest Control Course	All other courses
More than 10 working days	No charge except £100 + VAT deposit	No charge
5-10 working days	50% of course fee excluding £100 + VAT deposit	50% of course fee
Less than 5 working days	100% of course fee	100% of course fee