

# PAT Core Training

February 21 – 22, 2018 \* Billings, MT

**Location:**

Red Lion Hotel  
1223 Mallowney Ln  
Billings, MT  
(406) 248-7151

**Fee: \$100****Registration:**

*Register by February  
15<sup>th</sup> as space is limited!*

**[Online Registration](#)**

For more information  
contact:

[Amy Bowser](#)  
(406) 994-5178

- 9:00 am **Welcome**
- 9:05 am **Goals of a Local PAT Coordinator**  
Dr. Cecil Tharp, MSU Pesticide Education Specialist
- 9:35 am **What is a Pesticide and Mode of Action**  
Shelley Mills, Valley County MSU Extension Ag Agent
- 10:05 am **The Montana Private Applicator License**  
Dr. Cecil Tharp, MSU Pesticide Education Specialist
- 11:05 am **Break**
- 11:20 am **Reading & Understanding the Pesticide Product Label**  
Kari Lewis, Glacier County MSU Extension Ag Agent
- 12:20 pm **Catered Lunch**
- 1:00 pm **Understanding Formulations & Tank Mixing**  
Mat Walter, Musselshell / Golden Valley County Ag Agent
- 2:00 pm **Integrated Pest Management**  
Tyler Lane, Chouteau County MSU Extension Ag Agent
- 3:00 pm **Break**
- 3:15 pm **Understanding Pesticide Safety & Toxicity**  
Dr. Cecil Tharp, MSU Pesticide Education Specialist
- 4:15 pm **Personal Protective Equipment & Using Kits**  
Amy Bowser, MSU Pesticide Education Technician
- 5:00 pm **Adjourned for Evening**



**MONTANA**  
STATE UNIVERSITY

**EXTENSION**

# PAT Core Training – Day 2

February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2018

**Location:**

Red Lion Hotel  
1223 Mallowney Ln  
Billings, MT  
(406) 248-7151

**Fee: \$100****Registration:**

Register by February  
15<sup>th</sup> as space is limited!

**[Online Registration](#)**

For more information  
contact:

[Amy Bowser](#)  
(406) 994-5178

- 8:30 am **Understanding Pesticides and the Environment**  
Shelley Mills, Valley County MSU Extension Ag Agent
- 9:30 am **Herbicide Contaminated Soil**  
Video: Brent Sarchet, Lewis & Clark County MSU Extension Agent
- 9:55 am **Break**
- 10:10 am **Introduction to Spray Equipment**  
Dave Brink, Mineral County MSU Extension Ag Agent
- 10:40 am **Calibrating Spray Equipment using Shortcut Methods**  
Dr. Cecil Tharp, MSU Pesticide Education Specialist
- 11:40 am **Determining Solution & Product to Add to Tank**  
Dave Brink, Mineral County MSU Extension Ag Agent
- 12:10 pm **Catered Lunch**
- 12:50 pm **MDA's Role in Montana**  
Diana DeYoung, MDA District Officer
- 1:10 pm **Teaching Private Applicators Pesticide Law**  
Diana DeYoung, MDA District Officer
- 2:10 pm **Break**
- 2:25 pm **Understanding Worker Protection Standards**  
Theresa Schrum, MDA District Officer
- 3:25 pm **Delivering the Private Applicator Exam & Facilitating Licensing**  
Amy Bowser, MSU Pesticide Education Technician
- 4:00 pm **Fill out Surveys and Adjourned unless Testing Out (Day 3)**

***If taking government pesticide exams:*** Agents should receive study materials from Diana DeYoung (406-228-9510) prior to the event. Agents may test out at the MDA Billings Office (315 South 24th St West, Suite #3) at 9:00 am, February 23rd.



**MONTANA**  
STATE UNIVERSITY

**EXTENSION**