

## **NPTC LEVEL 2 AWARD IN THE SAFE USE OF PESTICIDES**

### **MODULE PA6 – HAND HELD APPLICATORS**



This course prepares operators of hand held applicators for NPTC assessment as required by law.

Please note: PA1 is a pre-requisite for this course

#### **Course Duration:**

A one day course for a maximum of 6 trainees

#### **Objective:**

Candidates will be able to:

1. Prepare a hand held pesticide applicator for work, calibrate it and operate it to ensure correct application rate without risk to themselves, other people and the environment
2. Use the information detailed on product labels to determine the approved uses for the product and its potential hazards to human safety, non-target areas and the environment in general
3. Carry out daily and routine maintenance on a hand held pesticide applicator
4. Carry out the correct procedure for cleaning personal protective equipment and application equipment which may have been contaminated with pesticide

There are a number of methods of calibration which the candidates may use provided that it produces the correct end result.

#### **Equipment Required:**

Full PPE