

What We Do At DPR

The California Department of Pesticide Regulation (DPR) protects public health and the environment by fostering sustainable pest management and regulating pesticides.

Pest management plays an integral role in the stability of California's healthy food supply, supports growers and agricultural sustainability, and protects the health of our urban and rural communities and our environment.



Sustainable pest management is a holistic, whole-system approach to managing pests that builds on the concept of IPM with broader consideration of human health and social equity, environmental protections, and economic vitality.

For more information about the California Department of Pesticide Regulation, visit the website at <https://www.cdpr.ca.gov/dprabout.htm>.