



## CONTINUOUS PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

The CropLife SA Continuous Professional Development (CPD) programme is aimed at distribution agents of crop protection products.

The programme covers topics such as technical training, business related training, all aspects of safety, health and environment, responsible use of pesticides and overviews of responsible marketing and sales at retail level.

An accreditation card with a unique member number is issued once the agent has obtained the required number of CPD points.

CropLife SA encourages producers to insist on this accreditation before procuring crop protection products.

## VOORTGESETTE PROFESSIONELE OPLEIDING

Die CropLife SA Voortgesette Professionele Opleiding (VPO) program is gemik op agente wat gewasbeskerming-produkte versprei.

Die program dek onderwerpe soos tegniese opleiding, bedryfs-verwante opleiding, alle aspekte wat oor veiligheid, gesondheid en die omgewing handel, die verantwoordelike gebruik van plaagdoders en oorsigte van verantwoordelike bemarking en verkope op kleinhandelvlak.

'n Akkreditasiekaart met 'n unieke lidnommer word uitgereik sodra die agent die vereiste VPO punte behaal het.

CropLife SA moedig produsente aan om op hierdie akkreditasie aan te dring voordat gewas-beskerming-produkte aangekoop word.

## Why should you buy from a CropLife SA accredited agent?

- Agents must have completed the AgriSETA accredited Basic Crop Protection course in order to qualify.
- Agents must obtain a certain number of CPD points to retain their accreditation, therefore you know the agent you are buying from is continuously staying up to date with industry knowledge.
- Agents can only be accredited if they are employed by a CropLife member, which means the company and the agent adhere to the CropLife SA code of conduct.
- Accreditation is important for auditing purposes, such as GlobalGAP.

**Don't hesitate to contact CropLife SA for more information.**

## Hoekom behoort jy van 'n CropLife SA geakkrediteerde agent te koop?

- Agente moet die AgriSETA geakkrediteerde Basiese Gewasbeskerming kursus voltooi om te kwalifiseer.
- Agente moet 'n sekere aantal VPO punte verkry om hul akkreditasie te behou, derhalwe kan jy verseker wees dat jy van 'n agent koop wat deurlopend met bedryfskennis op hoogte bly.
- Agente kan slegs geakkrediteer wees indien hul werksaam by 'n CropLife SA lid is, wat beteken dat die maatskappy, sowel as die agent, by CropLife SA se gedragskode bly.
- Akkreditasie is belangrik vir ouditdoeleindes soos onder andere GlobalGAP.

**Moenie huiwer om CropLife SA vir meer inligting te kontak nie.**