

## All Kids Academy Head Start, Inc.

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## ANNUAL LETTER OF NOTIFICATION 2024 - 2025

Dear Staff/Parent/Guardian,

The <u>Healthy Schools Act</u> requires all California schools to notify staff and parents/guardians of students with an annual written notification of anticipated pesticide use on school sites. For a complete list of pesticides that could possibly be used at your center during the upcoming school year, please reference the attached <u>Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Plan</u>. The <u>IPM Plan</u> is attached to this notice and posted to AKA Head Start's website at <u>www.akaheadstart.org</u>. It is also available to view in the office at the center where you work or your child attends. Additional information regarding these pesticides and pesticide use reduction can be found at the <u>California Department of Pesticide Regulation's</u> website: <a href="http://www.cdpr.ca.gov">http://www.cdpr.ca.gov</a>.

AKA Head Start will provide a 72-hour notice prior to a pesticide application at the center. If the recommended pesticide product of choice is not listed in the <u>IPM Plan</u>, the notice will be in writing.

A warning sign will be posted at the entrance to the school at least 24 hours before a pesticide is applied. Further information regarding each pesticide application will be available upon request in the center's office, on AKA's website as noted above, and on the agency's Intranet.

If you have any questions, please contact your Center Director. You may also contact me through our Administrative Office at (619) 270-7009.

Sincerely,

Doreen Mulz

Assistant Executive Director/IPM Coordinator