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Pesticides and Agrochemical Exposure Hazards

Risks:

01

Skin and eye
irritation

02

Headaches,
dizziness,
or nausea

04

Long-term
illness from
repeated
exposure

03

Breathing
problems or
lung damage



How to Stay Safe:

Basic Protection



Wear protective clothing: full body covering, rubber boots, goggles, gloves, mask, when mixing or spraying



Wash hands and face after pesticide spraying



Change clothes after spraying and wash them separately



Avoid touching face during spraying



Follow the waiting period and safety interval

Safe Use & Storage



Read label instructions on all chemicals



Store in original containers, locked & shaded



Only trained adults handle pesticides



Keep children & pregnant women away from spraying areas



Puncture containers to prevent reuse

If you feel dizzy, have rashes, or cough after handling chemicals → see a doctor immediately