

Maintenance Gardener (Subcategory Q)	
<p>This category allows you to apply or supervise the application of <u>general use</u>* pesticides, substances, methods, or devices that is incidental to your commercial maintenance gardening activities in:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outdoor ornamental and garden areas surrounding public structures, such as buildings, brick walls, fountains, fences, statues; • Outdoor ornamental and garden areas surrounding commercial parks, such as, offices, restaurants, warehouses, factories, stores, shopping centers, malls. • Parks, golf courses, cemeteries, but only on ornamental or turf plantings near buildings (clubhouses, pro shops, restrooms) that are distinct and separate from the plantings that constitute open space landscaping in a park, golf course or cemetery itself.
<p>*General Use versus Restricted Use Pesticides: Pesticides are classified into two groups, general use and restricted use. General use pesticides are available for purchase by anyone, provided they are applied according to label instructions on the individual's own property or with permission of the property owner. Restricted use pesticides are available only to certified applicators. Restricted use includes any materials that are hazardous to public health, farm workers, domestic animals, the environment, wildlife, or crops other than those being treated (CFR Title 40, Part 152.160-175).</p>	