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- Treat all clothing worn while handling or applying pesticides as contaminated!
- Handle all contaminated clothing with gloves.
- Wash clothing daily and separately from the family wash.
- Pre-rinse, presoak or pretreat with a stain remover.
- Use **HOT** water.
- Use the highest water level.
- Use the longest wash cycle.
- Use heavy-duty liquid detergent.
- Line dry.
- Wash clothing 2-3 times if heavily soiled or if pesticides are highly toxic, or consider discarding.
- After washing, run the machine through a complete cycle with detergent.

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