About Us

ince our beginning over a half-century ago as the U.S. Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine, we in Forest Health Protection (FHP) have provided technical assistance on forest health-related matters, particularly those related to native and nonnative insects, pathogens, and plants.

We are part of the State and Private Forestry (S&PF) Deputy Area of the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Forest Service. Throughout the USDA Forest Service, our organization includes more than 250 specialists in the areas of entomology, plant pathology, pesticide use, survey and monitoring, technology development, and other forest health-related services. We cooperate with a network of forest health specialists from other Federal agencies, all 50 States, several U.S. Territories, universities, and other countries.

Our mission is to protect and improve the health of America's forests.

Our vision is to work with partners to bring together all stakeholders to protect and improve the health of the Nation's forested lands.

We are committed to finding innovative ways to rapidly respond to forest health threats and avoid unacceptable loss of forest resources.

What We Do

pathogens, and plants and provide professional and financial assistance for management of these disturbance agents on all forested lands, including National Forest System lands, State lands, lands managed by the Departments of Defense and the Interior, other Federal forests, and Tribal ownerships. Financial and technical assistance is also provided through State agencies to private forest landowners in all 50 States, the District of Columbia, and current or former U.S. Trust Territories.

We have the primary responsibility for monitoring forest pests and providing financial and technical assistance for reducing pest-caused damages. We provide unique technical expertise in this area.



We are committed to maintaining healthy, sustainable forests.









Our Services

- Forest Health Management: We direct and implement measures to prevent, retard, or suppress unwanted, native and nonnative insects, pathogens, and plants affecting trees and forests.
- Forest Health Monitoring: We monitor the forests of the United States to determine detrimental changes or improvements to forest health that occur over time and report annually concerning such monitoring.
- Technology Development: We develop and apply cutting-edge technologies, such as Geographic Information Systems, Insect and Pathogen Modeling, Aerial Photography, and Data Visualization.
- *Technical Assistance:* We provide technical information and advice on the various techniques available to maintain healthy forests.

• *Pesticide Use Management:* We provide technical information and advice in managing and coordinating the use of pesticides, report uses on National Forest System lands, and conduct human health and ecological risk assessments.

Partner Agencies and Stakeholders

State Foresters
State Departments of Agriculture
Department of the Interior
Department of Defense
USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
Environmental Protection Agency
Tribal governments
Private landowners
National Plant Board
Academic Institutions, domestic and international



Contact Us

or help in keeping forests healthy, or in evaluating problems with native and nonnative insects, pathogens, or plants, contact the office nearest you. See the following FHP addresses, phone numbers, and Web sites.

National Program

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Forest Health Technology Enterprise Team

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Region 2

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