



# Resources: IPM activities for kids in Spanish!

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**IPM facts sheets!** Spanish IPM fact sheets that include Argentine ants and cockroaches. Available from the Bio-Integral Resource Center (BIRC), P.O. Box 7414, Berkeley CA 94707, (510) 524-2567, FAX (510) 524-1758, E-mail <mailto:birc@iqc.org>, Web site <http://www.birc.org>

**Learn pest management!** The National Pest Management Associate has pest management materials available including the biology and management of bumblebees, carpenter ants, fruit flies, German cockroaches, head and body lice, and pavement ants, plus diseases transmitted by pests. Find it at <http://www.pestworld.org/spanish/>

**Brochures available!** The New York State Department of Health provides brochures on the management of mosquitoes, mice, West Nile virus plus tick and insect repellents. Find them at <http://www.health.state.ny.us/nysdoh/pest/pesticid.htm>

**Comic book about insects!** The Safer Pest Control Project provides a comic-style book entitled *La Invasion de los Insectos* that addresses cockroach IPM in public housing. Available from Safer Pest Control Project, 25 E. Washington St, Suite 1515, Chicago, IL 60602, (312) 641-5575, Fax (312) 641-5454, E-mail: [spcp@iname.com](mailto:spcp@iname.com), Web site <http://www.spcpweb.org/>

**IPM Book!** Texas Agricultural Extension Service provides Entomology Spanish language publications that includes sections entitled Cockroaches, How to Control Cockroaches at Home, Control of Rats And Mice, Fleas, Flea Control, House Infesting Ants, How to Control Ants at Home, Subterranean Termites, The Two Step Fire Ant Control, Ticks, and Tick Control. Available at <http://agpublications.tamu.edu/pubs/sentom/>

**Materials in many languages!** The University of Minnesota Extension Service provides Materials in Spanish that include "Cockroaches - Your Safe Home," (also in English, Laotian, Cambodian and Hmong) and "Molds - Your Safe Home" (English, Laotian, Cambodian, Hmong and Somali). Find it at: <http://www.extension.umn.edu/pesticides/IPM/pubstruct.htm>



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**Handle head lice!** The University of Nebraska Cooperative Extension provides a downloadable PDF resource entitled "Head Lice Resources You Can Trust," a family guide with practical, simple directions on head lice control available in Spanish and English. The site also includes an online "Removing Head Lice Safely" video in Spanish, Arabic or English. Find it at: <http://lancaster.unl.edu/enviro/HeadLice/Resources.htm>

**Informative pest management materials!** The US EPA has Pest management materials available in Spanish that include "Ten Tips to Protect Children from Pesticides and Lead Poisonings around the Home" (a tri-fold brochure), "Pesticides and Child Safety" (a 3-page tip sheet), "How to Protect Children from Environmental Threats" (brochure, IPM plus other issues, very attractive presentation and practical tips) and "Pesticides and Food: What Your Family Needs to Know." Request in print by phone to 703-305-7666 or Fax: 703 308-2962.

**The following resources do not specifically address IPM but are great for teaching and learning IPM principles:**

**Informational book about pesticides!** *Recognition and Management of Pesticide Poisonings*, 5th edition available in Spanish. This 236 page resource includes toxicology and signs and symptoms of poisoning and treatment for more than 1500 products. It also covers new pesticide products that have come on the market since 1989, includes a new chapter on disinfectants and reviews of clinical experiences with pesticide poisonings. Find it at <http://www.epa.gov/oppfead1/safety/spanish/healthcare/handbook/handbook.htm> in electronic format or request in print by phone to 703-305-7666 or Fax: 703 308-2962 from the US EPA.

**Public service announcements!** The US EPA, Region 2 has materials in Spanish that include a brochure plus public service announcements on illegal pesticides. Find it at: <http://www.epa.gov/region02/health/chalk.htm>