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The University of Arizona Cooperative Extension is interested in learning more about your skills and experiences. Jenny Weber, Program Director of the Extension Turfgrass Program, is reaching out to find out how you can help.

Jenny is looking for people to help with various aspects of pest management. If you have experience with structural, or home and garden pesticides; use organic or conventional products; manage pests in small landscapes; or participate in small garden projects, this could be a great fit for you.

The Pesticide Safety Education Program is a key component of this initiative. One of the main objectives is to assess the knowledge and skills of pest managers. The program has developed a series of surveys and questionnaires to gather this information. Two such questionnaires, the Applying Pesticides Questionnaire and the Math for Measuring, Mixing and Applying Pesticides Questionnaire, have been developed. These questionnaires are being distributed to Extension Turfgrass Program participants in Maricopa County.

The survey participants will be asked to complete these two surveys. They will also be asked to participate in on-camera interviews to discuss their pest management practices. The interviews will be used to create educational content for the program.

Please stop by and see what's new at the office. As always, thanks to everyone for their continued support.

- Jenny Weber, Program Director