

2009 National FFA Floriculture Career Development Event

Identifying and Controlling Plant Disorders

Morning Event
Time Allotted: 10 minutes

Ag & Horticulture Building
Possible Score: 75 points

The purpose of this practicum is to measure the participant's knowledge related to plant disorders caused by nutritional or environmental issues.

Each participant will enter an area with a diseased plant on the table and a judge behind the table. After examining the plant they will give a diagnosis of the problem along with a brief description. They will then discuss the cause of the problem and state what the appropriate treatment should be. The participant will leave the area and the judge will complete the score card.

All materials necessary for this event will be available on site.

Ten minutes will be allowed for this practicum. The participant will have 7 minutes to resolve the dispute and the judge will have 3 minutes to complete the scorecard.

Personnel and Materials Required:

12 Judges
Monitor
Timer
Props for Event
Tables or counter top