Who Needs a Category 4 (pesticide seed treatment) License?

1. If you treat your own seed with a general use (over-the- counter non- restricted) pesticide and you plant it, you **DO NOT** need a pesticide license.

2. If you use a Restricted Use Pesticide (RUP) to treat your own seed and you plant it, you need a **Category 4 applicator license**.*

3. If you use a RUP to treat seed for someone other than yourself, you need both a **Category 4 applicator license AND a Pesticide Business License**.*

4. If you distribute treated seed from your treatment site to the farmer for planting, you need both a **Category 4 applicator license AND a Pesticide Business License**.

5. If you **ONLY** distribute treated seed to other retailers, you **DO NOT** need a pesticide license.

* There is a two year requirement to keep records of a seed treatment application using RUPs.