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# Insect repellent (permethrin) clothing needs to be APVMA registered

Clothing marketed as 'insect repelling' that is treated or impregnated with a chemical, including permethrin, requires APVMA registration.

Hats



Shirts



Pants



Socks



Insect repellent clothing that *does not* require APVMA registration includes hats with nets or corks, hair nets, and elastic bands worn around shirt cuffs.

Read more at [apvma.gov.au/node/39251](https://apvma.gov.au/node/39251)