

Greater Plantains (Plantago major)/ Broad – Leaved plantain

This is a very common weed which occurs in compacted areas. The leaves are broadly ovate, stalked and lined with five or more longitudinal nerves. It produces long, greenish-gray flower heads from May until September. This plant produces masses of seeds that can re-infect the lawn in later years. Isolated plants can be removed by hand weeding with a small fork when grass and weeds are actively growing.



CONTROL: the active ingredients 2,4-D, MCPA with dicamba or Mecoprop-P will all control this weed easily.

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