When rats or mice are located on your property

Remove food sources

- Any food scraps
- Dropped fruit from fruit trees
- Access to vegie patch

- Left over pet food
- Pet droppings

- Secure garbage bin and compost bins

Remove shelter

- Ensure the garden is neat and tidy and not overgrown

- Repair any holes, cracks & crevices in sheds, walls and & garages

- Make sure any outdoor 'piles' are stacked above the ground and they are not learning against a vertical surface

Talk to your neighbours

Do they have the same problem?
Do they know what to do?

Baiting and trapping

Bait & traps available from Council and hardware stores
* Follow instructions carefully

Considerations

Children - Pets - Weather
Ensure pets and children can't access the poison and make sure the bait is protected from the elements

Placement of bait or trap

Rat runs - look for worn paths
Place near rodent droppings or likely nest sites
Fence lines are 'rodent highways'

Be patient

It may take 10 days or more to reduce the problems

If the problem persists?

If you still have a problem after 2 weeks, contact a professional pest controller