

Poultry Disease Planning Tool

When disaster strikes the time to prepare has passed

The Poultry Disease Planning tool allows Minnesota producers and responders to take part in making a disease response process go smoothly and reduce the impact of an outbreak. The website allows producers to make an individual profile, record/organize information about their premises, learn what to expect, and how to prepare and be involved in the disease response process.

1. Alert & Self Quarantine

Learn the essential operations to prevent infection and keep it from leaving if birds do become infected

2. Testing

Access submission forms, laboratory information, and sampling instructions

3. Appraisal & Indemnity

Speed up the process by knowing needed information and what forms will have to be completed

4. Depopulation

Learn about available depopulation methods and preparation actions

5. Disposal

Learn about different disposal methods, preparation actions and what supplies and materials will be needed

6. Virus Elimination

Learn the essential steps of cleaning and disinfecting

Registration

A producer creates an account using an e-mail address and personal password. The poultry producer will then be guided to enter information about his/her poultry operation.

- Farm location
- Equipment onsite
- Poultry ownership
- Processing plant
- Authorized testing agent
- Veterinarian
- Daily service contacts

Unique Functionalities

Request/Verify MN or National Premises ID

- Verification of farm GPS coordinates
- Built-in easy submission form

Property Map

- Identify key farm components on aerial view of farm
- Record poultry

Disposal Tool

- Input number of birds and average weight
- Calculates materials, and space needed for disposal options

Information Use

Information will be used to populate documents within the tool (e.g. submission form, contact sheet, *1st Contact Questionnaire*). During an outbreak approved MN Board of Animal Health officials will need to access the *1st Contact Questionnaire*. Having this form completed and available in advance will decrease the amount of time needed to collect information before depopulation can take place.

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