# PROTECT OUR ANIMALS

WITH ON-FARM BIOSECURITY

By remaining on high alert and continuing to embrace strong disease prevention measures as part of your day-to-day practices, you can minimize the risk of introducing Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI) to your farm. All farm employees have an important role to play to protect the health of hens and pullets.

# Keep HPAI off the farm by following these practices:

### **IN THE BARN**



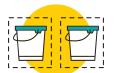
# ANYONE ENTERING A BARN MUST

- Change boots or wear disposable booties
- Use hand sanitizer and hand washing stations
- Wear facility-dedicated clothing or protective gear (e.g. disposable coveralls)



### **KEEP WILD BIRDS AWAY**

- Use bird prevention devices
- Minimize standing water
- · Seal and screen all openings
- Cover feed and clean feed spills quickly



# NO SHARING OF EQUIPMENT OR MATERIALS

- Designate supplies for one barn
- Do not move items between barns
- No shared-service trucks



# FOLLOW LINES OF SEPARATION

- Separate the restricted and unrestricted zones
- Do not move between the zones without proper biosecurity
- Do not move between barns

### ON THE FARM



# THOROUGHLY CLEAN & DISINFECT

- Equipment
- Vehicles
- Tools



# LIMIT UNNECESSARY VISITS

- Keep to essential personnel only
- Ensure all visitors sign the Visitor Log and follow biosecurity measures
- Create drop-off locations



### NO EMPLOYEES WORKING ON MULTIPLE FARMS

- Keep workers at one location
- No one working on other poultry or livestock operations



# PREVENT TRANSFER OF DISEASE ON MULTI-SPECIES FARMS

- Establish zones and do not cross into restricted areas without changing outer clothing and footwear
- · Do not share equipment



# REDUCE OTHER RISKS OF CONTAMINATION

- Limit movement of animals between farms
- Prevent pests, rodents and other animals that can carry disease
- Ensure all staff and family are trained on the farm-specific Biosecurity Plan

Upholding strong biosecurity protocols and following the requirements of the national Start Clean-Stay Clean® program is our strongest defense from HPAI. Contact your egg board for more information.