

Minimum Biosecurity Requirements for Feed Mill and Feed Delivery Trucks

These biosecurity requirements must be followed if:

- The feed mill is within a Control Area for Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI) **AND/OR**
- The poultry farm receiving a feed delivery is within a Control Area

FEED MILL:

- The feed mill must have a wild bird and rodent control program which includes regularly cleaning spilled feed.

PERSONNEL:

- Feed truck drivers must not enter any poultry house and must remain outside for the connection to the feed bin.
- Feed truck drivers should not own or interact with birds of any kind, including backyard or pet birds.
- Drivers must disinfect footwear (e.g., Lysol) prior to entering the truck at the feed mill.
- Drivers must wear disposable boot covers or disinfect footwear prior to exiting the truck. If wearing disposable boot covers, remove before re-entering the truck. Whether wearing boot covers or not, always disinfect footwear prior to entering truck.
- Disposable boot covers must be discarded at the farm or feed mill prior to re-entering the vehicle.
- Hands must be sanitized when entering the truck at farms and feed mill.
- Interior of truck cabs (e.g., floorboards, pedals, steering wheel, gear shifts, door handle) must be disinfected before leaving the farm and at the feed mill.

FEED DELIVERY TRUCKS:

- Feed trucks must have a full truck wash with soap and water at least weekly with no organic debris remaining.
- The undercarriage of feed trucks must be cleaned with soap and water at least daily with no organic debris remaining.
- Trailer lids on feed delivery trucks must be kept closed except when loading or sweeping after unloading. This minimizes the potential of bird droppings falling into the feed or trailer.
- A **disinfectant*** log must be maintained for each truck (see example disinfectant log).
- *Truck and trailer undercarriage disinfection includes complete saturation and at least 2 complete tire rotations or 1 minute of disinfection pump "on" time, using an approved disinfectant effective against Avian Influenza prepared and handled according to product label directions.*
 - When exiting the feed mill, the undercarriage of trucks and trailers (including tires, wheel wells, mud flaps and cab entry steps) must be disinfected.
 - When entering poultry farms for feed delivery, the undercarriage of trucks and trailers (including tires, wheel wells, mud flaps and cab entry steps) must be disinfected.
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 - When entering the feed mill, the undercarriage of trucks and trailers (including tires, wheel wells, mud flaps and cab entry steps) must be disinfected.
- Minimize the delivery of split loads (i.e., delivery to multiple farms without returning to the feed mill).
- Permitted feed delivery to any infected premises requires a complete cleaning and disinfection of the truck and trailer prior to leaving the premises.

* **Disinfectants must be approved and effective against avian influenza**