



Please note: These procedures may be revised as the situation continues to change.

With the increasing number of premises affected by HPAI, unaffected States should prepare for an infected premises in their State. States should be aware of these procedures, processes, and information upon an HPAI-positive confirmation from the National Veterinary Services Laboratories (NVSL). *Initial detections of HPAI in a State require NVSL confirmation.*

APPRAISAL AND INDEMNITY PROCEDURES

- ◆ For information on indemnity for the first detection in a State, please see [Indemnity Procedures](#).
- ◆ For information on indemnity payments, please see [Processing Indemnity Payments](#).
- ◆ Indemnity calculators are available from the HPAI Operations Section (HPAIOps@aphis.usda.gov)

COMMUNICATION

- ◆ Coordinate State-Federal-Industry Communication
- ◆ Coordinate with State Public Affairs, APHIS Legislative and Public Affairs, and APHIS Trade Staff

3D ACTIVITIES/ NVS SUPPORT

- ◆ To contact the NVS and/or request resources, please email NVS@aphis.usda.gov.
- ◆ Rapid depopulation and euthanasia is needed to control virus spread.
- ◆ Disposal procedures must be effective and appropriate.
- ◆ Cleaning and disinfection of all areas must be conducted.

ZONES AND PREMISES

- ◆ *HPAI Incident 2014-2015: [Ready Reference Guide—Overview of Zones](#)*

SURVEILLANCE

- ◆ Increase surveillance after first detection in State.
- ◆ *HPAI Outbreak 2014-2015: [Standard Operating Procedure for Surveillance Activities around HPAI Infected Backyard Flocks](#)*
- ◆ *HPAI Outbreak 2014-2015: [Surveillance Sampling Schemes for Commercial Premises in the Control Area](#)*

GUIDANCE FOR MOVEMENT CONTROL AND PERMITTING

- ◆ For an overview on movement control and guidance on moving into, within, and out of a Control Area, see [Movement Control](#).

- ◆ Continuity of business measures should be implemented for non-infected premises and non-contaminated products in the Control Area. For example, see the
 - [Secure Turkey Supply Plan](#).
 - [Secure Egg Supply Plan](#).

■ INCIDENT COORDINATION GROUP/AREA COMMAND CALLS

- ◆ ICG Call & Area Command Call
 - Tuesday & Thursday 11am-12pm
 - Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday 3pm-6pm

■ WORK TO CONTAIN AND CONTROL THE VIRUS

- ◆ Rapidly diagnose and report disease and clinically sick birds.
- ◆ Swiftly implement effective quarantines, movement controls, and Control Area biosecurity measures.
- ◆ Conduct epidemiological investigation and tracing.
- ◆ Execute increased active surveillance.

■ MORE INFORMATION

- ◆ FAD PReP with HPAI Information
 - <http://www.aphis.usda.gov/fadprep>
- ◆ [APHIS HPAI Website](#)
- ◆ [USDA HPAI Website](#)