National Poultry Improvement Plan
Biennial Conference Summary
WSDA and Avian Health Program Updates

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Outline
- National Poultry Improvement Plan Biennial Conference
- WA National Veterinary Stockpile Exercise and Plan
- Avian Field Exercise Personal Protective Equipment Kitco
- Pacific Flyway Wild Waterfowl Avian Influenza Surveillance
- Poultry Disease Planning Tool Commercial Poultry
- Electronic VS 9-3 Form for WA
- Birds of Washington Calendar
- Washington State Veterinarian and Assistant State Veterinarian

National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) Structure
- Federal, State, Industry cooperative plan
- USDA/State MOU with each Official State Agency
- Provisions 9 CFR Parts 56, 145, 146, and 147
- General Conference Committee (GCC)
- Technical Committee
- 50 Official State Agencies (49 States, 1 US Territory)
- 100 Authorized Laboratories
- Participation Agreement between each OSA and participant

Code of Federal Regulations
NPIP 43rd Biennial Conference
- 30 proposals, 16 passed

Program Standards
- 11 proposals, 7 passed
  - Biosecurity Principles for Commercial Poultry
  - Primary Breeder AI Clean Compartmentalization

Molecular Examination Procedures
- 17 tests approved for use in NPIP

NPIP Code of Federal Regulations
RRT-PCR matrix assay approved for primary breeder company authorized labs
CFR 145.14 Testing (d) For avian influenza
- RRT-PCR can only at primary breeder company authorized labs
- Must be conducted using the National Veterinary Services Laboratories (NVSL) official protocol for RRT-PCR
- RRT-PCR testing can only be performed on their own breeding flocks and only used for routine surveillance
- The Authorized Laboratory must have a quality system that is accredited as ISO/IEC 17025 or equivalent
- Positive results from the RRT-PCR must be further tested by Federal Reference Laboratories using appropriate tests for confirmation

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Program Standard
Standard E – Biosecurity Principles
1. Biosecurity responsibility
2. Training, annual, site specific
3. Line of Separation (LOS)
4. Perimeter Buffer Area (PBA)
5. Personnel
6. Wild Birds, Rodents and Insects
7. Equipment and Vehicles - cleaning, disinfection, or restriction of sharing
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Program Standard
Standard E – Biosecurity Principles

8. Mortality Disposal
9. Manure and Litter Management
10. Replacement Poultry
11. Water Supplies
12. Feed and Replacement Litter
13. Reporting of Elevated Morbidity and Mortality
14. Auditing - at least once every two years

NPIP Size Requirements

NPIP Size Requirements to participate in 9-CFR Part 146 Commercial Poultry H5/H7 Avian Influenza Monitored Program:

• Commercial Table-Egg Layers—75,000 birds on premises
• Meat-Type Chickens (broilers)—Slaughter 200,000 birds/week
• Meat-Type Turkeys—Slaughter 2 million birds/year
• Waterfowl and Commercial Upland Game Birds—Slaughter 50,000 birds/year
• Raised for Release Operations—25,000 birds raised/year

Small flock owners that do not meet the above size requirements are still eligible for 100% indemnity.

**HPAI Interim Rule**

• Raise fewer than 100,000 broilers annually
• Raise fewer than 30,000 turkeys annually

NOTE: For the HPAI Interim Rule (Conditions for Payment of Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza Indemnity Claims) published February 9, 2016, certain farm contracts will be exempted from the requirement to submit a biosecurity statement if their facilities fall under one of the following:

• Commercial Table-Egg Layers—less than 75,000 birds on premises
• Meat-Type Chickens (broilers)—Raise fewer than 100,000 broilers annually
• Meat-Type Turkeys—Raise fewer than 30,000 turkeys annually
• Waterfowl and Commercial Upland Game Birds—Slaughter less than 50,000 birds/year
• Raised for Release Operations—less than 25,000 birds raised/year

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Program Standard
Subpart F – Primary Breeder AI Clean Compartmentalization

- Primary breeders supply of global breeding stock of poultry
- Compartmentalization defines animal subpopulations free from disease based on AI testing, biosecurity and epidemiological practices
- Compartmentalization will allow fair movement of breeding stock (fair trade) for secure global food production

Subpart F – Primary Breeder
- U.S. AI Clean Compartment
- U.S. H5/H7 AI Clean Compartment

http://www.poultryimprovement.org/documents/SubpartF-Compartmentalization.pdf

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Subpart D—Molecular Examination Procedures

Diagnostic test kits approved for use in the NPIP
1. Rapid Chek Select TM Salmonella Test Kit, Romer Labs, Newark, DE
2. ADIAFOOD Rapid Pathogen Detection System for Salmonella spp., AES Chemunex Canada
3. DuPont Qualicon BAX Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR)-based assay for Salmonella 1 and 2 DuPont Qualicon, Wilmington, DE
4. Applied Biosystems TaqMan Salmonella Enteritidis Real-Time PCR assay for the detection of Salmonella Enteritidis, Life Technologies Corporation, Foster City, CA
5. IDEXX MG/MS RT-PCR
6. MicsSEQ Salmonella Species Detection Kit, Life Technologies Corporation, Austin, TX

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United States Animal Health Association
Committee on Transmissible Diseases of Poultry and Other Avian Species

Resolutions Passed

- Approval of RRT-PCR matrix assay for influenza A in NPIP authorized primary breeder company laboratories
- Laboratory Approval for Regulatory Diseases
- Upland Gamebird Secure Poultry Supply Plan
Washington State National Veterinary Stockpile Tabletop Exercise and Plan 2016

NVS Tabletop Exercise, Olympia WA, March 8th, 2016

- NVS mission: veterinary countermeasures, animal vaccines, antivirals, or therapeutic products, supplies, equipment, for damaging animal disease outbreaks

- Tabletop Exercise
  - Requesting NVS Assistance
  - Logistics Warehouse/Storage Facility Operation
  - Alternative State Warehouse/Storage Facilities
  - NVS 3D Response Support Services
  - Inventory Management System

Avian Field Exercise
Personal Protective Equipment
Kifco Avi-FoamGuard

USDA goal is to commence depopulation within 24 hours of HPAI confirmation
1. HPAI Overview and Update
2. CDC/OSHA PPE requirements to protect poultry workers
3. Healthcare monitoring of poultry workers exposed to HPAI
4. Other disease risks for poultry workers (dust, Campylobacter, Salmonella)
5. PPE donning and doffing
6. Emergency poultry depopulation, Kifco Avi-Foam Guard and PPE for operators

Avian Influenza Surveillance
Wild Waterfowl

Pacific Flyway 7/01/2016 to 11/08/2016

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Data courtesy of Dr. Thomas Gidlewski and Meredith Grady USDA APHIS WS National Wildlife Research Center

Poultry Disease Planning Tool
Commercial Poultry

Web-based tool allows producers to create a HPAI plan
1. Self Quarantine and Alert
2. Testing
3. Appraisal
4. Depopulation
5. Disposal
6. Virus Elimination

https://poultrydiseaseplanning.com/

Electronic VS 9-3 Form for WA

Birds of Washington
2017 WSDA Calendar
includes tips for keeping your birds healthy
Summary and Conclusions

- Risk for avian influenza necessitates continued preparedness planning
- NPIP provides a Federal, State, Industry cooperative plan with indemnity
- Exercises on the National Veterinary Stockpile, PPE, Kifco and avian field training provide a mechanism to review emergency preparedness
- Poultry Disease Planning Tool provides a mechanism for commercial poultry producers to develop a web-based HPAI plan