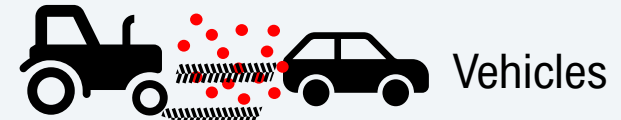


AVIAN INFLUENZA: PREVENTION OF SPREAD TO HOME (BACKYARD) BIRDS

Virus



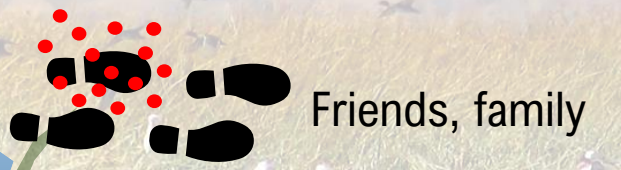
Vehicles



Animals



Equipment, Supplies, Tools



Friends, family



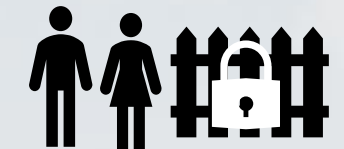
Airborne (rare)



Visitors, Repair personnel, ...



BEFORE ANY CONTACT WITH HOME BIRDS:



Restrict visitors to your birds & limit your exposure to areas where birds are sold or exhibited.



Only clean vehicles at the bird location. Disinfect wheels upon entry.



Prevent flock access to surface water (pond, lake) & limit your exposure to these areas.



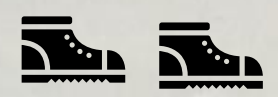
Clean & disinfect all equipment after each use and wash or sanitize hands frequently.



No contact with ducks, wild birds, or other poultry. Keep wild bird feeder away from flock.



Isolate new flock additions for a minimum of 30 days.



Use dedicated or disposable footwear, & a disinfecting foot bath when entering your bird occupied area(s).



Limit all other animal access to the coop and run.



Pick-up eggs daily, dispose of any dead birds immediately, and maintain a clean & dry coop / run area.

Influenza sources

Modes of entry

Modes of Prevention