



Visitor/Staff Risk Assessment

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Activity	Low Risk	Moderate Risk	High Risk
Other farm visits per day	One farm, little to no animal contact	Occasionally visits more than one farm/day with minimal animal contact	Visits many farms or livestock facilities. Much animal contact
Ownership of similar animals	Does not own similar species at home	Similar species at home, but different production type	Owns and/or cares for similar species and production type at home
Contact with potentially ill or infectious animals	Minimal or no contact with potentially ill or infectious animals	Contact with healthy animals but avoids contact with potentially infectious animals	May own or be exposed to many animals of unknown or poor health status
Use of protective clothing	Wears sanitised shoes or boots. One pair of protective clothes per site	Wears sanitised boots and clean clothes. If clothes are clean then will not be changed	Does not change into clean boots or clothes when moving from one farm to another
Leaves or borrows supplies, equipment	Supplies and equipment kept away from animals or feed areas	Supplies and equipment in areas of minimal animal or feed contact	Supplies and equipment may be left in animal or feed areas
Work in animal contact areas	Does not work in areas with highly susceptible animals	Minimal exposure to high risk animals and only with protective clothing	Works with highly susceptible animals. Few precautions taken
Biosecurity knowledge	Understands and promotes biosecurity practices	Exposed to biosecurity principles but is not an advocate	Little appreciation for biosecurity principles and does not view it as important to industry
Foreign travel	Does not travel outside Australia or New Zealand	Limited travel outside Australia or New Zealand with minimal or no animal contact	Travels to foreign countries with animal contact in those countries
Overseas visitors	Prohibits foreign contact with feed or animals	Overseas visitors allowed in animal or feed areas following adequate quarantine	Visitors are permitted in animal or feed areas without screening or quarantine

If you see anything unusual on your property call the Emergency Animal Disease Watch Hotline on **1800 675 888** or the Exotic Plant Pest Hotline on **1800 084 881**