AVIAN INFLUENZA PREVENTION ZONE

REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL POULTRY AND CAPTIVE BIRD KEEPERS



- Inspect outdoor areas, removing wild bird contaminants like faeces, feathers and wild bird carcases.
- Fence off or put netting over areas of standing water or ponds.
- Provide feed and water undercover, so wild birds can't access it.
- Make your premises unattractive to wild birds. Use bird scarers, foils or streamers.
- **✓** Keep ducks and geese separate from other poultry.
- Store bedding under cover to reduce the risk of contamination.
- Clean and disinfect footwear before and after tending to your birds. If you own more than 50 birds, place foot dips containing Government approved disinfectant at all entry and exit points.
- Clean and disinfect hard surfaces regularly.
- Clean and disinfect equipment and vehicles to avoid disease spread between premises.
- Minimise the movement of people, vehicles and equipment to and from bird areas and keep records of movements.
- ✓ Keep records of poultry, captive bird and egg movements.
- Maintain buildings that house birds to prevent water ingress
- Ensure pest control is effective.



