Bioprotection Plan: Poultry Unit (Agriculture)

Prior to arrival:

- Review of special acquisition request:
 - When acquisition of animals, outside of the normal unit vendors, is required for research protocols. The testing/vaccination procedures, isolation, and acclimation requirements for these animals would be determined during a pre-arrival meeting of key stakeholders for that unit:
 - Researcher(s)
 - Manager(s)
 - Veterinarian(s) the attending veterinarian and/or their delegate(s)
- BOAH entry requirements:
 - Poultry moving into Indiana (BOAH website):
 - Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI):
 - One of the following documents must accompany poultry or hatching eggs moving into IN:
 - An official certificate of veterinary inspection (CVI) completed by a licensed and accredited veterinarian within the thirty (30) days immediately prior to the animal entering IN.
 - If the poultry or hatching eggs are from a flock participating in the National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP), they can move with the appropriate NPIP inspection/testing/participation certificate or records.
 - Vendors (as per NPIP website for Indiana; updated 3/16/2023):
 - VS Form 9-3 required for all shipment into state.
 - Or substitute certificate signed by Official State Agency or livestock sanitary official of State or origin.
 - Testing:
 - Prior to entering Indiana, poultry and hatching eggs must meet one of the following requirements:
 - The flock or hatchery of origin is participating in the National Poultry Improvement Plan for the eradication of pullorum-typhoid and Mycoplasma gallisepticum in turkeys.
 - Each of the birds has tested negative for pullorum-typhoid within the thirty (30) days immediately prior to entering Indiana. Turkeys must also test negative for *Mycoplasma gallisepticum* within the thirty (30) days immediately prior to entering Indiana.

Upon arrival:

- Birds are received and reared in an all-in/all-out fashion, so each room serves as quarantine.
- Upon receipt: birds are visually observed for health and well-being.
- First week of life: closely monitored for their ability to find feed and water.

Preventative Maintenance Plan:

- Daily: Observations
- Annual: See unit vaccination/treatment schedule located in the SOP

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Purdue (list unit) Excluded Agents:

- Salmonella pullorum
- Salmonella gallinarum
- Mycoplasma gallisepticum
- Mycoplasma synoviae
- Mycoplasma melegridis (Turkeys only)
- Avian influenza