

FMD webinars

AGRICULTURE VICTORIA

Preparing for and responding to an outbreak

Victorian livestock producers and service providers are invited to join one of our upcoming webinars to hear from Agriculture Victoria veterinary specialists, including Victoria's Chief Vet Graeme Cook, about how we are preparing for and will respond to a foot-and-mouth disease (FMD) outbreak.

Good biosecurity is paramount for protecting our economy, environment and community from the negative impacts of pests and diseases.

There are several risk factors that are contributing to an increased threat of a biosecurity incursion in Australia.

All levels of government, livestock producers, industry organisations and other supply chain participants including livestock agents, transporters and contractors all share responsibilities in minimising biosecurity risks and impacts to the industry.

PRESENTERS

Dr Graeme Cooke - Chief Veterinary Officer, Biosecurity Victoria

Dr Megan Scott - Principal Veterinary Officer, Emergency Animal Disease

Dr Jeff Cave - Senior Veterinary Officer, Animal Health and Welfare

TOPICS to be discussed:

- What is FMD and how has the risk profile to Australia changed?
- How is industry and government preparing for a possible outbreak?
- What to expect on Day 1 of an outbreak and what is a livestock standstill?
- What actions and farm biosecurity measures can you do now?



DETAILS

Date:	Monday 1 August 2022
Time:	7.00– 8.00 pm
Register:	Register for the Zoom webinar by clicking here or scan the QR code 

Date:	Thursday 4 August 2022
Time:	7.00– 8.00 pm
Register:	Register for the Zoom webinar by clicking here or scan the QR code 

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