

**Web Sites for Animal and Zoonotic Disease Information
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The Nebraska Department of Agriculture
<http://www.agr.ne.gov/>

The Nebraska Emergency Management Agency
<http://www.nema.ne.gov/>

Dr. Gary Rupp and other staff members of the University of Nebraska, Great Plains Veterinary Education Center, Clay Center, and others host the Farm and Ranch Biosecurity interactive program
<http://www.farmandranchbiosecurity.com/>

The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)
<http://www.usda.gov/wps/portal/usdahome>

The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS), Veterinary Services (VS)
http://www.aphis.usda.gov/animal_health/

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The National Center for Animal Health Emergency Management (Parts are password protected)
http://www.aphis.usda.gov/animal_health/emergency_management/

USDA Farm Service Agency - Emergency Farm Loan Programs disaster assistance. Note it lists quarantine as one of the areas where emergency loans can be used
<http://www.fsa.usda.gov/FSA/webapp?area=home&subject=fmlp&topic=efl>

USDA Farm Service Agency - Disaster Assistance Programs / Examples would be drought such as occurred in NE in 2006.
<http://www.fsa.usda.gov/FSA/webapp?area=home&subject=diap&topic=landing>

USDA Farm Service Agency – Farm Loan Programs/Funding
<http://www.fsa.usda.gov/FSA/webapp?area=home&subject=fmlp&topic=fun>

World Organization for Animal Health – OIE
http://www.oie.int/eng/en_index.htm

CDC's Current H5N1 Avian Influenza Situation
<http://www.cdc.gov/flu/avian/outbreaks/current.htm>

United Kingdom – Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (DEFRA) –
News on Animal Disease Outbreaks
Has provided information on recent Foot and Mouth Disease, Avian Influenza Disease
and Bluetongue outbreaks in the UK
<http://www.defra.gov.uk/news/2008/index.htm>

FMD 2007 UK Review Report
<http://www.defra.gov.uk/animalh/diseases/fmd/pdf/anderson-090203.pdf>

Pandemic Flu information – Bird and animal issues
<http://www.pandemicflu.gov/issues/index.html>

United States Animal Health Association
<http://www.usaha.org/>

The Grey Book on foreign animal diseases, Committee on Foreign and Emerging
Diseases of the United States Animal Health Association (USAHA)
http://www.vet.uga.edu/vpp/gray_book02/index.php

National Biosecurity Resource Center for Animal Health Emergencies hosted by Purdue
University Homeland Security Institute
Including info on a Veterinary Homeland Security Graduate Certificate Program offered
at Purdue University via distance learning
<http://www.biosecuritycenter.org/>

The University of Nebraska Great Plains Veterinary Education Center
<http://gpvec.unl.edu/>

Iowa State University, Center for Food Security and Public Health
<http://www.cfsph.iastate.edu/>

Animal Disease Emergencies: Local Preparedness and Response

Is your county ready? A toolkit of materials to help counties prepare for an animal disease emergency is now available. Materials include a local response plan template, table top and functional exercises, educational presentations and handouts.

Disease information - Just In Time Training, biosecurity, fact sheets, presentations with speaker notes, signs, local response plan template

http://www.cfsph.iastate.edu/Animal_Response/default.htm

and

<http://www.cfsph.iastate.edu/DiseaseInfo/factsheets.htm>

The American Veterinary Medical Association (AVMA)

<http://www.avma.org>

AVMA Disaster Preparedness

<http://www.avma.org/disaster/default.asp>

American Veterinary Medical Association. Emergency Preparedness and Response Guidelines. Revised April 2009.

http://www.avma.org/disaster/emerg_prep_resp_guide.pdf

FEMA Emergency Management Institute, Independent Study Program / Incident Command System Courses

<http://training.fema.gov/IS/crslist.asp>

National Bio and Agro-Defense Facility (NBAF)

National Bio and Agro-Defense Facility to replace the USDA Foreign Animal Disease Laboratory on Plum Island, New York to be located in Manhattan, Kansas

http://www.dhs.gov/files/labs/editorial_0762.shtm

and

<http://www.nbafinkansas.org/>

Texas A&M University

A Veterinary Practitioner's Guide to Foreign Animal Disease Recognition

Links to disease Fact Sheets, PowerPoint presentations, and an image library of disease detail

<http://www.cvm.tamu.edu/fadr/>

Carcass Disposal: A Comprehensive Review, Food Safety and Security at Kansas State University

H1N1 Planning Activities from USDA/APHIS

The website is currently divided into three sections:

1. In the News (includes updates from the USDA Secretary)
2. Guidelines and Reports (Guidelines for Novel H1N1 2009 Virus in Swine and the National Surveillance Plan for Swine Influenza)
3. Outreach Materials (Frequently Asked Questions).

http://www.aphis.usda.gov/newsroom/hot_issues/h1n1/