

## **Foot And Mouth Disease Update**

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## **Resources for information about Foot and Mouth Disease**

USDA, APHIS, Veterinary Service  
Emergency Programs  
4700 River Road, Unit 41  
Riverdale, MD 20737-1231  
Telephone: (301) 784-8073  
Fax: (301) 734-7817

The APHIS Emergency Operations Center  
Telephone: (800) 940-6524  
e-mail: [emoc@aphis.usda.gov](mailto:emoc@aphis.usda.gov)

Wisconsin DATCP  
Animal Health Division  
2811 Agriculture Drive  
P.O. Box 8911  
Madison, WI 53708-8911  
Telephone: (608) 224-4872  
Fax: (608) 224-4871

"National Emergency Response to a Highly Contagious Animal Disease."  
<http://www.usda.gov/>

More USDA information is available on the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) site at  
<http://www.aphis.usda.gov/oa/fmd/index.html>

For a fact sheet describing the disease:  
<http://www.aphis.usda.gov/oa/pubs/fsfmd301.html>

Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection has posted several useful documents:

Tips for Travelers  
<http://datcp.state.wi.us/static/ah/fmdguidelines.pdf>

Wisconsin's Plan if Foot-and-Mouth Disease Were to Strike  
<http://datcp.state.wi.us/static/ah/footmouth/plan.asp>

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Keeping Foot-and-Mouth Out of Wisconsin

<http://datcp.state.wi.us/static/ah/footmouth/prevention.asp>

Biosecurity advice for farmers

<http://datcp.state.wi.us/static/ah/footmouth/farmertips.asp>

Biosecurity recommendations for visitors to farms

<http://datcp.state.wi.us/static/ah/footmouth/businessstips.asp>

The Animal Sciences Department at UW-Madison CALS has updated its biosecurity protocols.

To see what they advise, go to

<http://www.wisc.edu/animalsci/facilities/biosecurity.pdf> and click on "biosecurity guidelines."