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KNOW THE SIGNS

RECOGNIZE SIGNS OF VIRULENT NEWCASTLE DISEASE (VND) IN YOUR FLOCK

- Sick birds can be inactive and dull
- They tend to separate from the flock
- Coughing
- Sneezing
- Nasal discharge
- Green, watery diarrhea
- Reduction in egg production
- Twisting of the head and neck
- Paralysis
- Circling
- Muscle tremors
- Depression
- Swelling or bruising of the comb, wattle, or around the eyes and neck.
- Sudden Death

CDFA encourages responsible bird ownership. Please consult with a veterinarian on a regular basis regarding the health of your birds.

To report sick birds or an unusual number of dead birds call us at **866-922-2473.** For more information about Virulent Newcastle Disease or the regional quarantine, please visit us at **cdfa.ca.gov/go/VND**

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