



State of California
Department of Food and Agriculture
Safe Animal Feed Education Program

Bio-security/Grounds

Preventive measures designed to reduce the risk of transmission of infectious diseases in crops and livestock and to ensure the safety from exposure to injurious biological agents.

Bio-security

Objective:

To limit the opportunity for biological contamination of the facility by minimizing the possibility of bio-hazardous material from entering the premises, in order to eliminate biological hazards.

Person Responsible:

All Employees

Procedure:

The entrance to the feed mill is secured and can be monitored at all times

All vehicles will go through a disinfectant process before entering feed mill premises. Vehicles will drive over a disinfectant pad long enough for all sections of the tires to be decontaminated. This will limit the material that is brought on site.

All visitors will be given plastic shoe covers to wear upon exiting their vehicle and all feed mill employees will have designated boots that remain onsite at all times.

Feed mill employees that leave the premises for deliveries will wear plastic boot covers if they remain in their feed mill designated shoes.

Hands must be washed upon arrival by all mill employees to ensure that there is no biological or chemical contamination from an outside source.

All critical areas of manufacturing are secured and can be monitored at all times.

Frequency:

In the event that there is a biological risk presented to facility then Bio-security standard operating procedure must be followed at all times in an effort to eliminate the contamination of product.



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Corrective Action:

If any employee does not comply with this procedure a corrective action will record that he/she will enter a re-training program for the importance of bio-security in feed production.

Related Documents:

Personnel Hygiene