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Enhanced and cost-effective biosecurity in livestock production



PRACTICE ABSTRACT # 19

Guidelines focusing on biosecurity in poultry

The BIOSECURE project facilitates stakeholder engagement to support interactive knowledge exchange, behavioural change, and uptake of key exploitable results; collects existing biosecurity intelligence throughout the livestock production chain; quantifies the impact of biosecurity practices on infection prevention and economics; enhances biosecurity measures through quantitative and qualitative field studies and experiments; and assesses the socio-economic impact of biosecurity measures beyond the farm level.

Twenty-seven biosecurity guidelines for poultry were analysed within BIOSECURE and only one was available in several languages:

https://www.netpoulsafe.eu/biosecurity-database-our-knowledge-reservoir/

with illustrations, videos, podcasts, and e-learning modules. Moreover, 59% of the guides

are only in text format and only 22% are also accompanied by video support.

Almost all guidelines are published by sector organization and research institution and target farm worker, owner or manager, veterinarians (private or public), animal feed producing company workers, owners or managers, livestock transport company workers, owners or managers, and scientists.

Unfortunately, over 85% of these guides are written in only one language and their use in poultry farms where farmworkers speak different languages is difficult.



The BIOSECURE project aims to develop guides that overcome the language



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Episode Description

In this episode, we had the pleasure of speaking with **Dr. Francisca Velkers**, Assistant Professor at **Utrecht University**, and **Dr. T** ..**. Show more**

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barriers and facilitate the transmission of the message regarding biosecurity rules by developing guides with illustrations and links to videos and podcasts

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