Basic Biosecurity:

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Keep your birds safe and healthy at fairs, shows, and exhibitions

Know your state laws. What kinds of tests are needed before you take your birds to fair, shows, or sales? Get these done in plenty of time and keep records of all test results



Before you go

Check for signs of illness. If your birds are sick, or you think they might be sick, STAY HOME! Do your part to protect other birds



Disinfect all equipment and carrying containers thoroughly. Start off on the right foot by not introducing potential disease to other exhibitors



At the show

Bring copies of your testing paperwork. Make sure the fair, exhibition, or show is following all state laws and requiring the right tests before hosting



Do not handle any birds except your own. If you have to, make sure to wash your hands between each bird.



When you get home

Keep show birds under quarantine before introducing them back to the flock for at least 30 days



Clean and disinfect all equipment and carrying cases again



Keep a record of all bird movements to and from shows, exhibitions, or fairs for the life of the flock

