

CURRENT RESPONSE:

Level 2 under WA's State Hazard Plan

Bird flu tests undertaken:

This week: **34**

Since 19 June: **186**

Positive bird flu cases:

This week: **0**

Since 19 June: **10**

- State Government agencies are continuing surveillance operations; this has included Lancelin and Edwards Islands.
- At this stage, all detections in Western Australia have been in migratory seabirds.
- There have been no additional positive cases this week.
- All dolphins that were tested following a stranding in Albany this week have returned negative results.
- WA Health continues to monitor the situation, with risk to humans low.
- Properly prepared chicken meat and eggs are safe to eat.
- An information session on waste management has been held with local governments.
- DPIRD met with the Veterinary Practice Board to continue engagement with the veterinary sector and identify support needs.
- Divisional Commands in the north of Western Australia are on standby.
- Sampling and Personal Protective Equipment continues to be distributed to key locations to enable rapid response.

WHAT YOU CAN DO

If you see dead or sick birds or marine mammals showing signs of bird flu, you should:



AVOID

contact and keep your distance.



RECORD

the date, time, location and take photos.



REPORT

it to the 24-hour Emergency Animal Disease Hotline on

1800 675 888