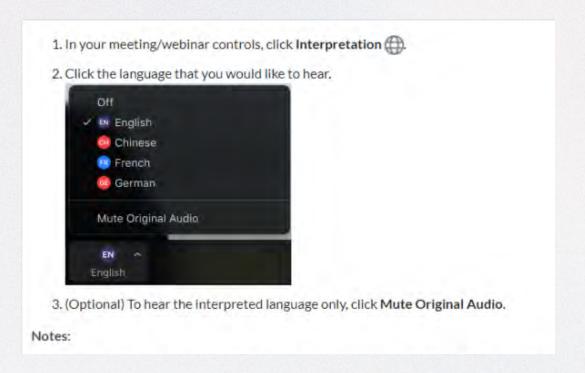
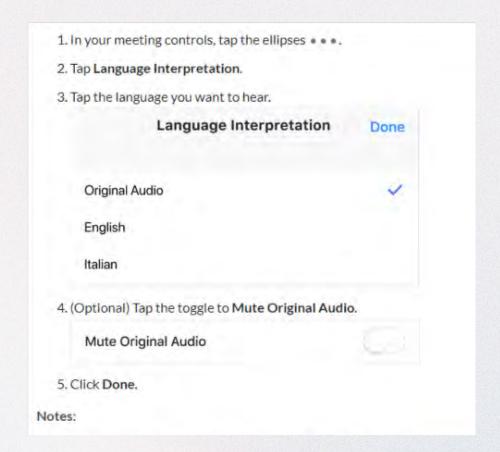
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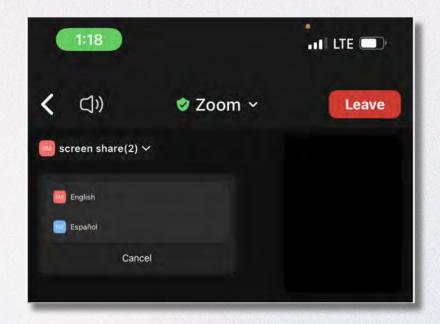
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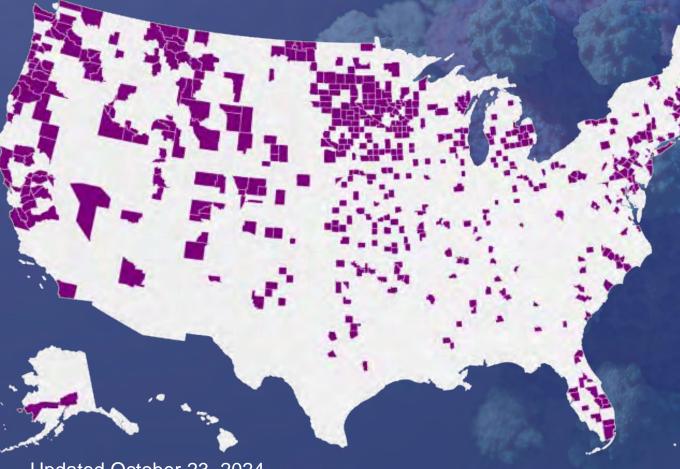
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- Discuss the current state of H5N1
- Review clinical guidelines for treating and preventing H5N1 and preventing seasonal influenza
- Identify culturally contextual resources and best practices that can be used to address H5N1 and seasonal influenza in farmworker patients



HPAI A(H5) VIRUSES IN BACKYARD AND COMMERCIAL POULTRY

Influenza A(H5) detected across 48 states with 1,182 reported outbreaks in poultry since January 2022.



Total Flocks: 1,182 **Birds Affected:** 104.26

Commercial Flocks: 512

Backyard Flocks: 670

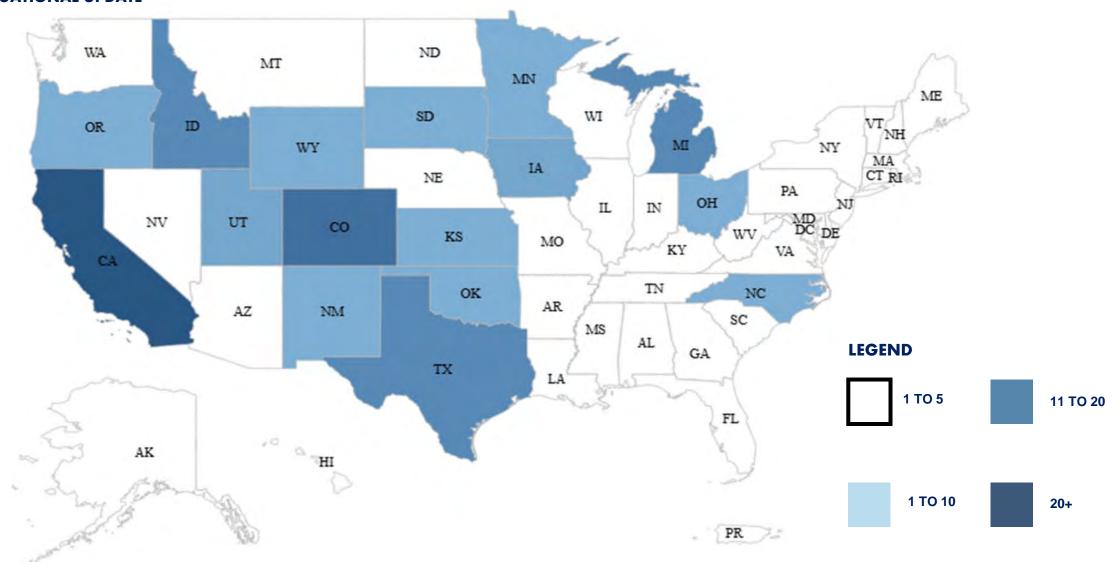
States Affected: 48

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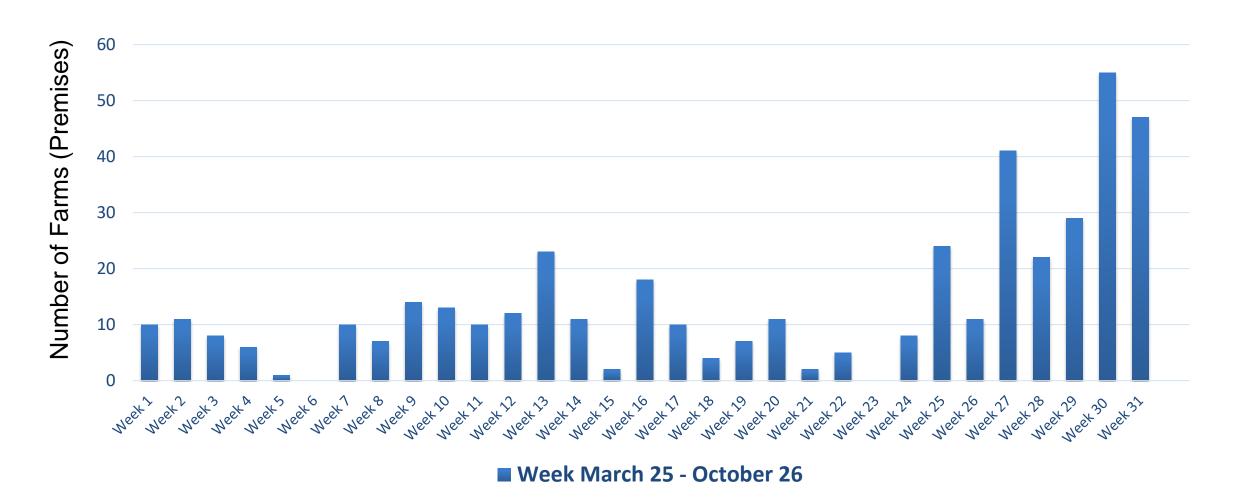
NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES BY STATE



SITUATIONAL UPDATE



CONFIRMED CASE PREMISES OF HPAI IN DOMESTIC LIVESTOCK BY WEEK



THE DISEASE IN DAIRY CATTLE

- Decreased feed intake
- Decreased milk production
- Thickened or clotted milk >90% of farms
- Tacky/loose feces
- Lethargy
- Dehydration
- Fever
- Morbidity <10% and mortality/culling <2%

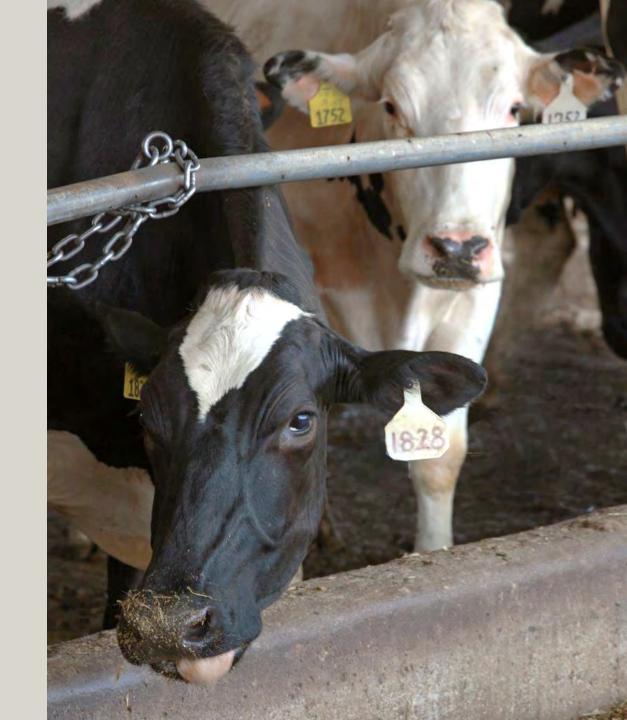
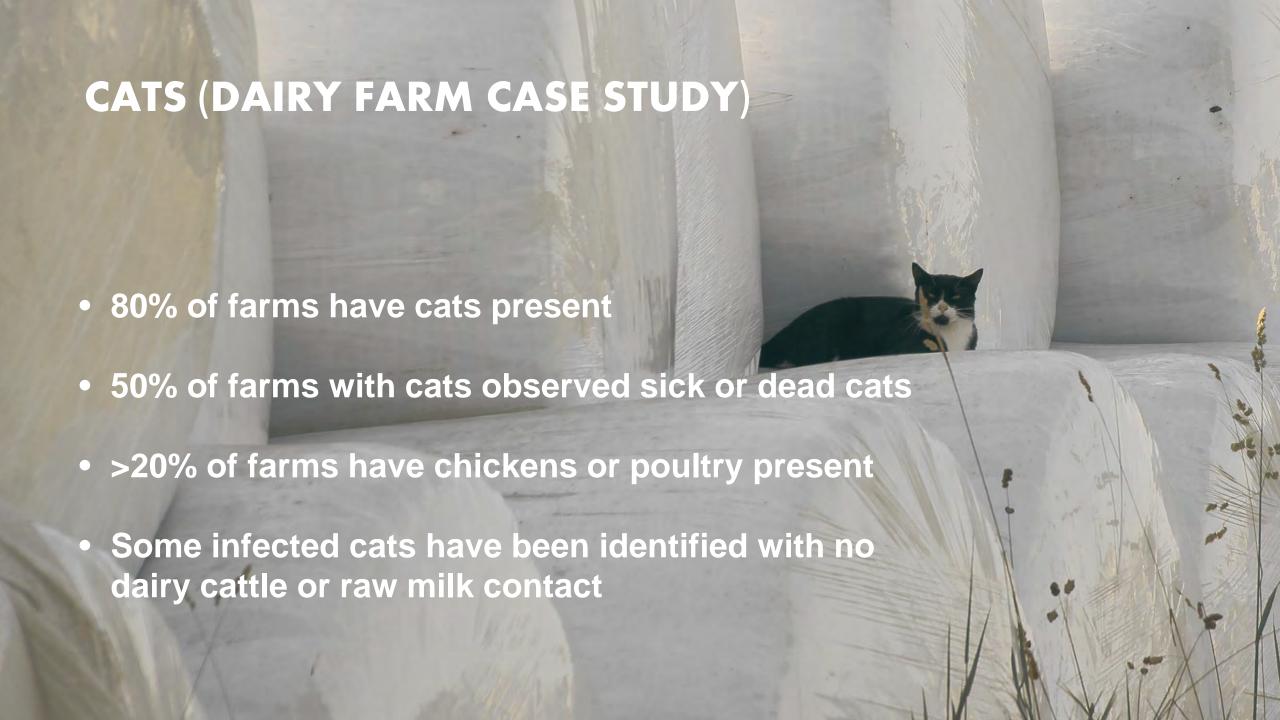


Figure 4. Potential transmission pathways supported by identified epidemiological links including animal and human movements and shared vehicles and equipment for the 15 dairy herds and 8 poultry flocks affected with HPAI H5N1 genotype B3.13 in Michigan.





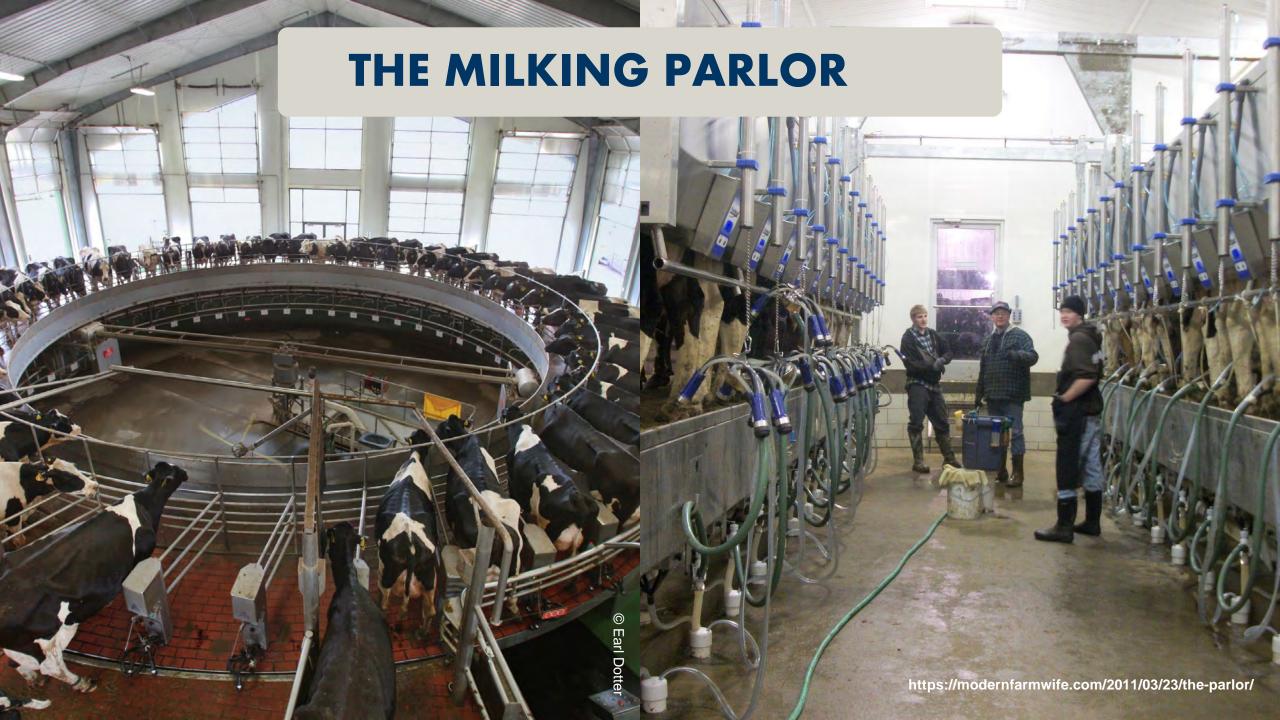






JOB TASKS OF DAIRY WORK

- Milking cows
- Moving cows
- Treating cows
- Scraping cow pens
- Feeding/caring for calves
- Operating skid loaders to transport cow feed
- Feeding cattle



HPAI A (H5N1) IN HUMANS



 47 human cases of H5 reported in the United States since 2022

 21 human cases of H5 following exposure to poultry since April 2022

 25 human cases following exposure to dairy cows since April 2024

1 human case with no animal exposure

No reported cases of human to human spread

vember 11, 2024

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

The Centers for Disease Control (CDC) has updated recommendations for worker protection and use of personal protective equipment

Recommendations may be challenging to implement in many settings

CDC has asked state health departments to make PPE available to workers on dairy farms, poultry farms, milk processing and poultry and beef slaughter industries.



Wash hands with soap and water, then put on PPE in this order:

- 1. Fluid-resistant coveralls
- 2. Waterproof apron, if needed for job task
- NIOSH Approved® Respirator (e.g., N95® filtering facepiece respirator or elastomeric half mask respirator)
- 4. Properly-fitted unvented *or* indirectly vented safety goggles or face shield
- 5. Head cover or hair cover
- 6. Gloves
- 7. Boots

Scan to learn how to put on and take off a respirator







AGRICULTURAL WORKER FAMILIES COME MOSTLY FROM MEXICO AND CENTRAL AMERICA (GUATEMALA, HONDURAS, NICARAGUA)







Vulnerabilities: Immigration status, language barriers, cultural adjustments, separation from family, housing, health insurance, risky jobs, lack of training.



- Animal Handling
- Machinery and Equipment
- Workers' Rights and Responsibilities
- Chemical Safety and Confined Spaces











CHALLENGES

- Regulatory impacts on the industry
- Understanding transmission dynamics
- Cleaning milking equipment?
- Role of wildlife in maintenance and spread
- Correct personal protective equipment?
- Producer and worker education
- Discouraging raw milk consumption
- Varied State regulations



FUTURE ACTIVITIES THROUGH



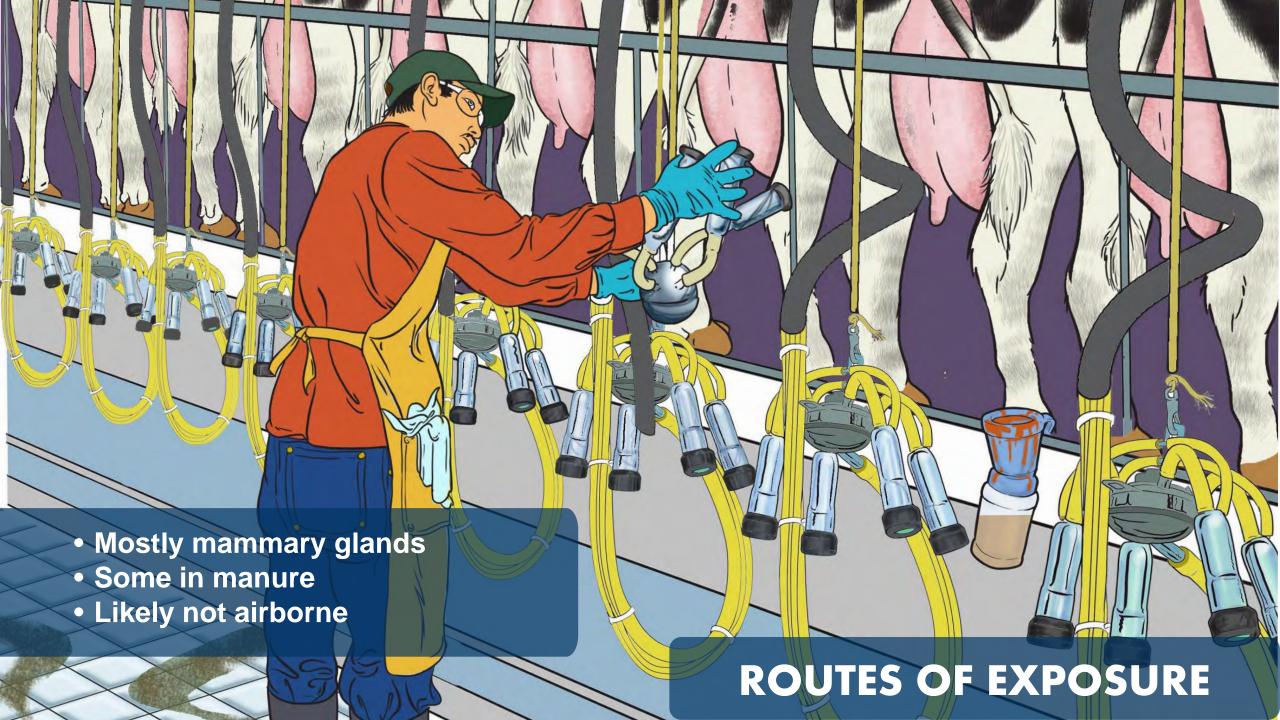
- Survey of MN and WI dairy producers on perceived risks and support
- Develop outreach and educational materials in conjunction with Extension
- Support producers interested in Seguridad worker training program



WHO IS AT RISK

- Diary producers and workers
- Workers on poultry farms
- Slaughterhouse workers
- Veterinarians
- Workers caring for sick animals
- Community Health Workers
- Farm events/fairs
- Consumers of raw milk





H5N1 BIRD FLU SPREADS FROM COWS TO PEOPLE IN SEVERAL WAYS

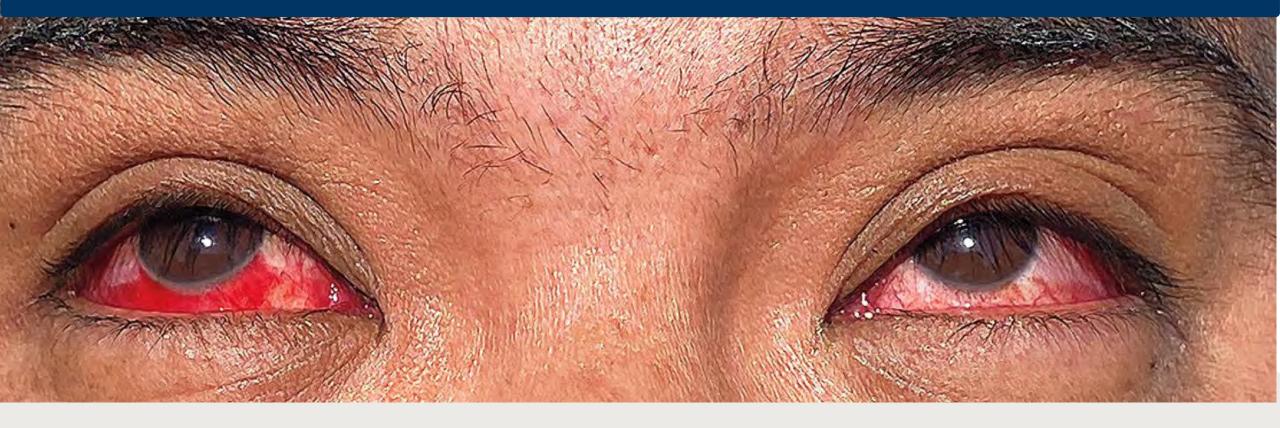


If you touch something contaminated with live virus and then touch your eyes, nose, or mouth





H5N1 SYMPTOMS



Asymptomatic

■ Flu Symptoms

- Fever
- Runny Nose
- Chills
- Fatigue
- Joint Aches

•Red eyes/Conjunctivitis

RECOGNIZING H5N1

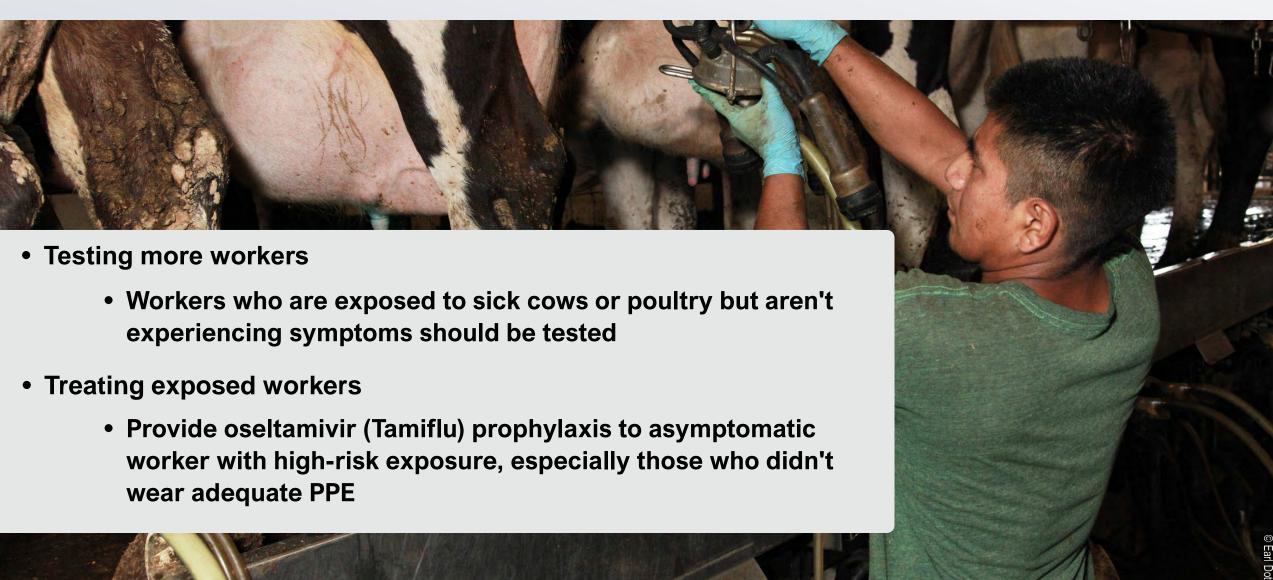
- Patient History
 - Work
 - Environment

• At risk populations

- Confirmatory Lab Testing
 - State departments of health



NEW CDC RECOMMENDATIONS TO PREVENT H5N1 IN WORKERS AND REDUCE SPREAD



EOH Screening Questions for the Primary Care Setting

Preguntas para sondear en los lugares de atención a la salud

1 OCCUPATION OCUPACIÓN

Describe what you do for work.

Describa lo que hace en su trabajo.





2 ACTIVITIES AND CAUSES ACTIVITIDADES Y CAUSA

Are there any physical activities that you do — at work or away from work — that you feel are harmful to you? Hay alguna actividad física-en el trabajo o en otro lugar-que crea usted es dañina para usted?

3 SUBSTANCES/PHYSICAL HAZARDS AND CAUSES SUBSTANCIAS/PELIGROS FÍSICOS Y CAUSA

Are you exposed to chemicals, fumes, dusts, noise, and/or high heat at your work or away from work? Do you think these are harming you?

¿Está usted expuesto a químicos, gases, polvo, ruido y/o altas temperaturas en su trabajo o en otro lugar? ¿Piensa usted que estas cosas lo pueden dañar?



H5N1 AVIAN FLU

- Farmworkers in dairy and poultry are at a higher risk of avian flu
- The general public is not at risk
- We are not giving a vaccine for H5N1
- We want people to vaccinate for the seasonal flu so there is no opportunity for mixing viral material





SEASONAL INFLUENZA

- Influenza A incidence picked up during late 2024
- Influenza B also arrived earlier in the flu season than usual
- Influenza vaccines (fluvax) now available
- Seasonal Influenza vaccine can be given with other vaccines such as RSV and COVID-19

PREVENTION



- Personal Protective Equipment
 - Hands
 - Face

Hand hygiene

Do NOT drink raw milk

Vaccine could be activated



SUMMARY

- We are going to have emerging and re-emerging viruses
- Know who is most risk
- Ask your patient what they do for work
- Prevention still important
- Get updates and partner with your local and state health departments

Resources

Protect yourself against H5N1 bird flu

For those of us who work with cows on dairy farms, bird flu can make us sick!



For more information about bird flu, search for Call for Health +1 (800) 377-9968 or through WhatsApp at +1 (737) 414-5121















feces (poop), milk, and other body fluids.

If you are infected signs and symptoms may include • Falinov

. Runny or stuffy nose . Eye redness (conjunctivitis • Fever (>100°F/37.8° C) or chills

If you have difficulty breathing, CALL 911

If you seek care for your symptoms, tell your doctor that you work on a dairy form.

To protect yourself, remember:

USE personal protective equipment (PPE), it should be put on and taken off in clean areas. Face shields or masks
 Safety glasses or poggles
 Overalls/gown

WASH your hands with soap and water or use hand sanitizer to reduce risk of infection AVOID touching your face, eyes, mouth, phone, food, or other commonly used objects until you ashed your hands after touching saliva (spit), feces (poop), milk, and other body fluids of intil you have washed your hands.

AVOID drinking raw or unpasteurized milk as it can lead to infection. Do not take milk home. For questions and support, contact your community health center or health department.

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Dairy Workers Are at Risk for H5N1 Bird Flu



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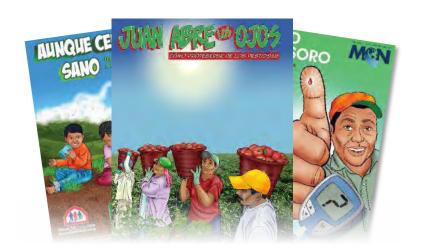
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