



US Swine Health Improvement Plan

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US Swine Health Improvement Plan (US SHIP) Biosecurity Enrollment Survey

Participants are to complete the online biosecurity survey at the time of enrollment for each state in which they have participating premises located. The survey responses are to be specific and limited to the participating premises located within each respective state.

Completion of the biosecurity survey is required for certification.

The US SHIP participant will need to refer to their US SHIP enrollment information and know how many premises (by production site type) are located within each state.

The Biosecurity Enrollment Survey aims to capture some very basic information concerning biosecurity practices. Information gathered from this survey aims to provide a quantitative assessment of the current standards of practice across a broad spectrum of US pork industry participants. Results will serve to help to provide insight towards consideration of additional US SHIP biosecurity-related program standards in the future. Results will be summarized in aggregate / anonymized form only.

Responses received will be reviewed and confirmed by the US SHIP Official State Agency.

This PDF (paper) version of the Biosecurity Enrollment Survey has been provided to aid in the review and preparation of survey questions prior to entry into the online survey. Paper versions of this survey will not be accepted.

Enter Responses via Online Link or scan the QR Code below:

https://iastate.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_6A5XQgynILXuLsO





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General Survey Instructions

This biosecurity survey is to be completed by the US SHIP Program Participant (Swine Owner) or the US SHIP Program Participant's designee that has a direct working knowledge of the participating premises.

Participants are to complete the online biosecurity survey at the time of enrollment **for each state** in which they have **participating premises located**. Thus, if a participant has enrolled premises in three states, participants will need to complete a survey for each of the 3 states. The survey responses are to be specific and limited to the participating premises located within each respective state.

State Information

1. Please write the STATE for which you are filling out this survey for: _____

Note: If you have sites located in more than one state, please fill out one survey for each state for the corresponding sites.

US SHIP Participant Information

1. Fill in US SHIP Participant and Point of Contact (*Used by US SHIP Official State Agency in Confirming Receipt Of Survey Results*)

Swine Owner (US SHIP Participant / Entity): _____

Address of Swine Owner (US SHIP Participant / Entity): _____

Phone # of Swine Owner (US SHIP Participant / Entity): _____

Email of Swine Owner (US SHIP Participant / Entity): _____

Name of person to be the initial preferred point of contact: _____

Best Contact Email: _____

Best Contact Phone Number: _____



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Site Type Information

Please enter the total number of sites types enrolled in US SHIP for the State provided in Question 1 (p.2) above.

_____ **BOAR STUD:** *Production site with mature boars that distribute semen to other production sites.*

_____ **BREEDING HERD:** *Production site with breeding females and house $\geq 1,000$ breeder or feeder swine. (e.g., breed-to-wean, breeding/gestation or farrowing only, with or without on-site gilt isolation/grow-out).*

_____ **GROWING PIG:** *Production site with $\geq 1,000$ feeder swine (nursery, grower, or finisher).*

_____ **FARROW-TO-FEEDER/FINISH:** *Production site with breeding females, grow feeder swine for purposes other than breeding stock replacement for this particular farm site, and house $\geq 1,000$ breeder or feeder swine.*

_____ **SMALL HOLDING:** *Production sites with ≥ 100 and $< 1,000$ breeder or feeder swine.*

_____ **NON-COMMERCIAL:** *Production sites with < 100 pigs.*

_____ **PACKING PLANT:** *A facility that slaughters pigs.*



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Questionnaire

For **each site type** with a response >0 above (p. 4), please answer the following questions.

1. Enter percentage of {Insert Site Type} site(s) that have completed the Secure Pork Supply Plans (SPS). (Enter percentage as a whole number, 0 to 100) _____
Note: A SPS plan is considered complete when the SPS documents are readily available for review by the competent authority.
2. Enter percentage of {Insert Site Type} site(s) where animals have access to the outdoors. (Enter percentage as a whole number, 0 to 100) _____
3. Enter percentage of {Insert Site Type} site(s) that have perimeter fences. (Enter percentage as a whole number, 0 to 100) _____
4. Enter percentage of {Insert Site Type} site(s) that use the following as their primary means of dead disposal? (Enter percentage as a whole number, 0 to 100. Total should be equal to 100).
_____ Rendering
_____ Non-Rendering Option (On-Site or Regional Composting, Burial, or Incineration)
_____ Routinely use a combination of Rendering and Non-Rendering Options
_____ 100 Total
5. Enter percentage of {Insert Site Type} site(s) whose requirements for people to enter the farm most closely resemble one of the following: (Enter percentage as a whole number, 0 to 100. Total should be equal to 100).
_____ No specific requirements for primary caretakers or visitors to change into clean or site-specific clothes and footwear.
_____ Only visitors to the farm site are required to change into clean or site-specific clothes and footwear, with or without a requirement to shower-in.
_____ Everyone changes into clean or site-specific clothes and footwear, but are not required to shower-in.
_____ Everyone showers-in and change into clean or site-specific clothes and footwear.
_____ 100 Total



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6. For your {Insert Site Type} site(s), visitors sign a log-in book prior to entering the site.

All of the time	Most of the time	About half of the time	Rarely	Never	Don't know
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

7. Regarding feed ingredients and risk management, during the last 12 months, how often have you used the following ingredients in feed rations for {Insert Site Type} site(s)?

	All of the time	Most of the time	About half of the time	Rarely	Never	Don't know
a. Plasma	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. Meat & Bone Meal	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. Feed mitigants to reduce disease transmission risk	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
d. Uncooked food scraps	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
e. Regulated (cooked) garbage	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

8. During the last 12 months, how often have your feed supplier(s) held imported feed ingredients to reduce disease transmission risk to {Insert Site Type} site(s)?

All of the time	Most of the time	About half of the time	Rarely	Never	Don't know
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

For Boar Stud, Breeding Herd, Farrow-to-Feeder/Finish, Small Holding, and Non-Commercial Sites:

9. When transporting animals from {Insert Site Type} site(s) to terminal points of concentration (i.e., buying station, cull market, or slaughter facility).

	All of the time	Most of the time	About half of the time	Rarely	Never	Don't know
Trailers being used to pick-up animals from {Insert Site Type} site(s) have been washed and disinfected since last returning from a point of concentration.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



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For Growing Pig Sites Only:

9. When transporting top (graded) loads from GROWING PIG site(s) to terminal points of concentration (i.e., slaughter facility, buying station, cull market, etc.):

Note: Top (graded) loads are defined as loads where remaining pigs are left on the site (premises) for a period longer than the next 7 days.

	All of the time	Most of the time	About half of the time	Rarely	Never	Don't know
Trailers being used to pick-up animals from GROWING PIG site(s) have been washed and disinfected since last returning from a point of concentration.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

10. When transporting run out loads from GROWING PIG site(s) to terminal points of concentration (i.e., slaughter facility, buying station, cull market, etc.):

Note: Run out loads are defined as loads where all the remaining pigs left on site (premises) will be moved to a terminal point of concentration within 7 days.

	All of the time	Most of the time	About half of the time	Rarely	Never	Don't know
Trailers being used to pick-up animals from GROWING PIG site(s) have been washed and disinfected since last returning from a point of concentration.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>