ANIMAL HEALTH INFORMATION

Biosecurity for Vehicles

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Vehicles can carry disease vectors from one location to the next. Vehicles spread disease by transporting manure, flies and dust. Prevent the spread of disease by following these steps:

- Park away from animal areas whenever possible.
- Vehicle Tires and Wheel Wells must be clean and free of visible manure on the tires and wheel wells.
- Exterior Bed of Vehicle/Trailer must be clean and dry; cleaned and disinfected after each use.
- Interior of Vehicle should be easily cleanable and must be kept clean.
- Operator of Vehicle, in contact with animals, should wear protective coveralls and boots. At no time should you enter your vehicle in dirty coveralls or boots. If using disposable gear, a new set must be worn at each new location. If using cloth coveralls and rubber boots, a clean pair of coveralls should be worn at each location and rubber boots should be cleaned and disinfected after each use.
- Vehicle Equipment and/or any items used for animal vaccination, tagging, handling, to carry equipment on site, clipboards, etc, and farm implements, should all be cleaned and disinfected before movement to a different animal facility.









Disinfectant does not work on a dirty surface. Items to be disinfected must be cleaned first with hot soapy water then disinfected.