

# Biosecurity Protocol

Biosecurity has become a major concern to the agriculture industry and it is important to us. Our current protocol exceeds industry standards and is intended to reduce the risk of exposure and transmittance of diseases to agribusiness facilities.

**Trillium Mutual Insurance's Risk Technicians are dedicated to maintaining all biosecurity protocol and will adhere to any specific protocol that your operation may have.**

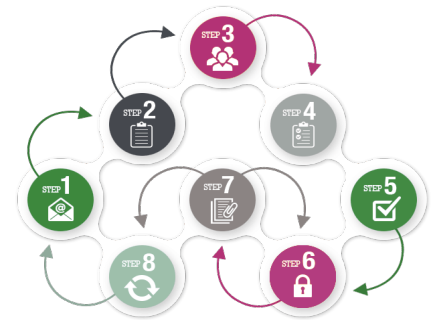
## 01 Guidelines

- We will have no contact with livestock while on site
- Technicians will not inspect more than one farm risk unless they are **three days out of species**
- Risk Technicians travelling outside of the country and coming into contact with a farm/livestock will not inspect any Canadian farms for a period of **one week** upon return



## 02 Procedures

- All inspections are **arranged by appointment**
- Technicians will not visit any other facilities that house livestock on the day of their visit to your facilities unless agreed upon by you
- The insured and broker will be aware of all biosecurity protocol before the risk inspection takes place
- The Risk Technician will **NOT visit any farm** where there is a known disease and will **NOT enter any buildings** without permission



**In order to further reduce the risk and transfer of pathogens during each risk inspection, our Risk Technicians follow the additional steps highlighted below:**

## 03 Trillium Vehicles will:

- Be parked in an area of the insured's choosing
- Be parked away from driveways, farm equipment and feed & manure
- Be clean of any manure and/or organic matter, before the risk inspection takes place
- Be cleaned after each visit and before their next inspection



## 04 Trillium Risk Technicians will:

- Arrive personally clean with clean clothing, outerwear, boots and personal protective equipment (PPE)
- **Accept any and all reasonable directives** from the insured to prevent the spread of disease; disposable items provided are to be left onsite to be disposed of by the insured
- Bring various pieces of PPE & technical equipment including: thermal cameras, tablets, coveralls, measuring devices, screwdrivers, electrical testing devices etc.; **(all equipment is cleaned & sanitized before arrival)**
- Seal all footwear and clothing in a clean container in their vehicle post inspection; container will be disinfected between each inspection
- **Not wear contaminated clothing into their vehicles** and all footwear will be washed in a 1% Virkon solution and sealed in the clean container until the next inspection

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If you are interested in having a Risk Technician out to your farm or have questions about the risk inspection process please contact **your broker** or our office at **1-800-265-3020**.

