



Wild birds are the main source of Avian Influenza Virus (AIV)

AIV is shed in wild birds feces



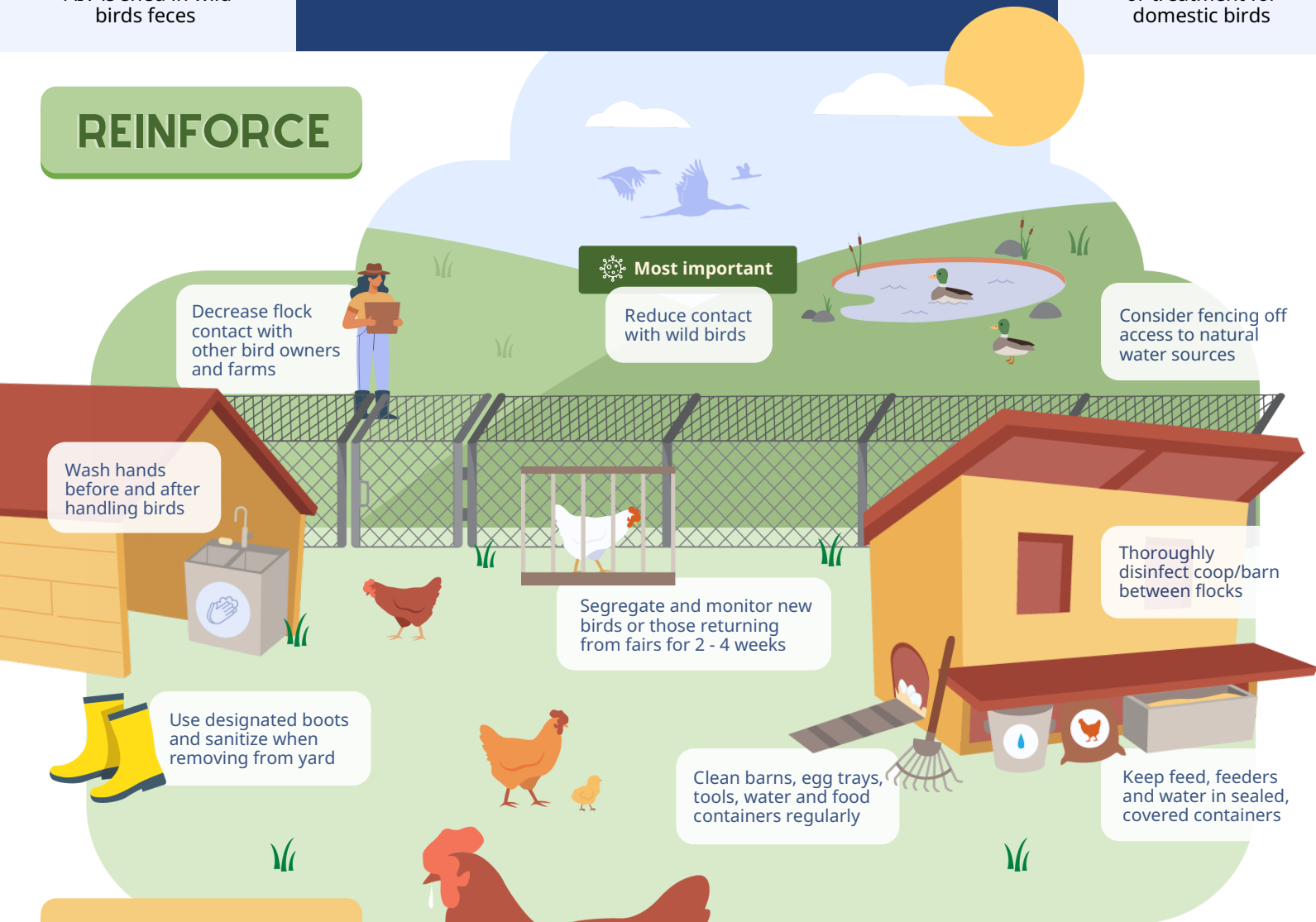
The virus can persist in the environment for a long time

There is no vaccination or treatment for domestic birds

PROTECT YOUR FLOCK

AVIAN INFLUENZA

REINFORCE



Decrease flock contact with other bird owners and farms

Most important

Reduce contact with wild birds

Consider fencing off access to natural water sources

Wash hands before and after handling birds

Thoroughly disinfect coop/barn between flocks

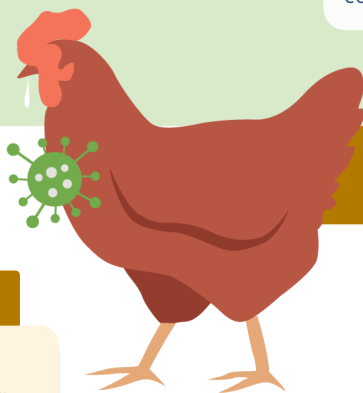
Segregate and monitor new birds or those returning from fairs for 2 - 4 weeks

Use designated boots and sanitize when removing from yard

Clean barns, egg trays, tools, water and food containers regularly

Keep feed, feeders and water in sealed, covered containers

RECOGNIZE



Other symptoms include:

Nasal discharge

Drop in egg production

Diarrhea

Lack of appetite

Decreased energy and movement

Swelling of head, neck, and eyes

Coughing, gasping, sneezing

Most important

Sudden, unexplained increase in flock mortality

Most important

● Contact your district CFIA Veterinarian

● Submit to Animal Health Centre

● Report dead wild birds to Wild Bird Mortality Line

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