



Dairy for life

# Reducing the Risk of Travel

Biosecurity Reference Card



**Check before  
you travel:**

**At the end of  
your visit:**



**No contact with  
farm animals for 7  
days prior to travel**

If you have been on a farm or in contact with farm animals 7 days before travel, check whether a stand down period is required.



**Familiarise yourself  
with known issues /  
considerations**

Ask your host what the biosecurity requirements are. Use the OIE website to check the biosecurity considerations for the country or region.



**Minimise exposure  
to animals while  
travelling**

Don't have contact with animals or enter operational facilities unless it's absolutely required.



**Minimise the need  
to bring equipment**

Arrange to use equipment / instruments provided in country if possible.



**Wash your hands**

Wash and sanitise your hands regularly.



**Clean equipment**

Thoroughly clean and dry any equipment or gifts / souvenirs you are returning with.



**Leave site-provided  
footwear / coveralls**

If footwear and / or coveralls are provided, leave these at the facility.



**Disinfect your  
own footwear**

Remove any organic matter from your footwear, wash and dry the soles, and if possible, soak them in disinfectant.



**Hot wash clothing**

Hot wash or dry-clean clothing.

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