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STOP THE SPREAD OF FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE (FMD)

Protect Your Animals, Protect Your Wealth

What is FMD?

A very serious and fast-spreading viral disease in animals with split hooves like cattle, goats, sheep, and pigs.

Signs of FMD?



Painful sores and blisters in the mouth and hooves



Limping and salivation



Abortions in pregnant cattle



Death in calves

How Does FMD Spread?



Sick animals



**Contaminated
Meat/milk**



**Dirty tools,
shoes, vehicles**



Animal feed



**Shared equipment
or sheds**

Protect Your Animals - Act Now!

DO: ✓



Report any sick animals
IMMEDIATELY



Keep healthy and sick
animals apart



Clean and disinfect tools,
clothes and shoes



Only buy animals from
trusted sources



Boil kitchen waste before
feeding pigs

DO NOT: ✗



Move animals in or out of
infected areas



Mix your animals with those
from unknown sources



Feed raw animal products
to pigs



Share animal feed, tools, or
vehicles with others



Visit outbreak areas unless
necessary

What Farmers and Traders should Know



Record all animal
movements

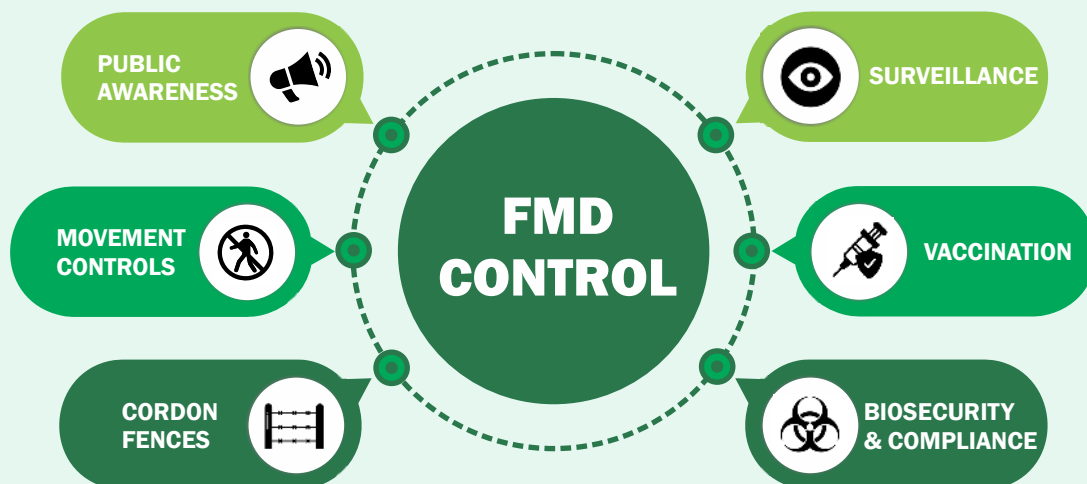


Follow veterinary
advice



Adhere to animal
movement restrictions

How to curb the spread?



See it? Suspect it? **REPORT IT!**

Contact your local veterinary office or animal health authority



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