Free Biosecurity Resources Available Now

- Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea Virus (PEDv)—What is it?—Background on the PEDv disease
- Create a Clean Crossing: Help Control the Spread of PEDv—Information about the risks PEDv and other swine diseases bring to the pork industry.
- Transportation Biosecurity Protocols to Prevent the Spread of PEDv—Steps to take before, during and after hauling a load of hogs
- Biosecure Truck Wash Protocols for PED Control: Recommendations for Truck Wash Facilities—5 major steps to clean and disinfect a truck and trailer after transport of animals.

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PEDV IS POTENTIALLY DEVASTATING TO YOUR BUSINESS AND THE PORK INDUSTRY.

States across the country are taking preventive steps to protect the pork industry from Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea virus (PEDv). The disease continues to shrink herds and could mean higher prices at the grocery store.

Possible impacts of PEDv are:
- Loss of 3.5 to 4 million pigs nationwide
- 2 to 3 percent increase in pork prices

You play an important role in controlling the spread of Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea. Study and implement the biosecurity measures issued by the pork industry to ensure you are safeguarding your business, reputation and the pork population in Wisconsin.

Though vaccines are now available, they have not been proven in the marketplace so pork industry officials are counting on biosecurity to keep the virus out of herds nationwide. This means having visitors wear disposable plastic booties, washing hog trucks to knock off any of the virus, and inspecting new pigs carefully before they are brought inside.

These and many other valuable resources available at www.pork.org.

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