

Be alert for emergency animal diseases



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BSL: your partner in animal disease diagnostics and surveillance

Queensland's Biosecurity Sciences Laboratory (BSL) in Coopers Plains provides world-class testing and diagnostics to monitor and protect Queensland's agricultural and fisheries industries and natural environment from animal pests and diseases.

BSL plays a critical role in **emergency animal disease (EAD) management**, from initial detection to ongoing testing that informs a response and proving our freedom from an EAD.



If you suspect an EAD, phone the **Emergency Animal Disease Hotline** on **1800 675 888**, Department of Agriculture and Fisheries call centre on **13 25 23** or **BSL** on **(07) 3708 8762**.

Did you know?

BSL accepts samples and conducts fully subsidised testing from any animal that presents a significant biosecurity risk to animal or human health. The cost of transportation of submissions to BSL is the responsibility of the submitter.

See our detailed example of a **specimen advice sheet**.



In addition to **diagnosing and monitoring** priority animal diseases, BSL provides testing for animal health, accreditation and export purposes. Service charges apply in these circumstances.

Read the **users guide** for detailed information on **BSL services**.



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