Poultry Quarantine Protocol

A poultry quarantine protocol that explains how to separate new or sick birds before joining the flock. Keepers use it to lower disease risk when adding birds or returning birds from shows.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

1. Set up a separate pen away from the main flock
2. Assign dedicated tools and boots
3. Do chores for the quarantine birds last
4. Record arrival date and source
5. Watch daily for signs of illness
6. Keep wild birds and rodents out of the area
7. Talk to your veterinarian about testing
8. Release only after the period your veterinarian advises

YOUR NOTES

TIP Follow the quarantine length your veterinarian or state animal health office recommends, and always tend quarantined birds last.