

# **WEEKLY INTELLIGENCE REPORT**

July 21th 2025 - July 27th 2025

## SUMMARY: RELEVANT SIGNALS (includes all signals rated ≥ 3.0)

## Influenza A(H5N1)

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NEW EVENTS: (events rated > 2)

## No new events to report this week

## CONTINUED EVENTS: (events rated ≥ 2.4)

#### Influenza A(H5) in Cambodia

No. of Signals: 01 No. of weeks in report: 24 Avg. Rating: 3.0

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### Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza in South America

No. of Signals: 01 No. of weeks in report: 94 Avg. Rating: 2.5

• Brazil has reported two additional outbreaks of HPAI H5N1 in backyard birds and one outbreak in exhibition birds at a zoo in Rio de Janeiro

### Influenza A(H9N2) in China

No. of Signals: 02 No. of weeks in report: 71 Avg. Rating: 2.3 - 2.4

• China has reported two additional human cases of influenza A(H9N2), one from Guangdong Province and the other from Hubei Province, both cases reported previous exposure to poultry, experienced symptom onset in May-June 2025, and have since recovered

## **Lumpy Skin Disease in Europe**

No. of Signals: 02 No. of weeks in report: 06 Avg. Rating: 2.3 - 2.4

- France has reported additional outbreaks of LSD, bringing the total number of outbreaks to 47, all within Savoie and Haute-Savoie; one recent outbreak was reported in Les Saisies, Pays de Beaufort, the region where Beaufort cheese is produced
- Italy has reported a total of 37 outbreaks of LSD; 36 in Sardinia and 1 in Lombardy
- Both <u>Italy</u> and <u>France</u> have announced their intention to implement emergency vaccinations

#### Bluetongue virus in Europe

No. of Signals: 07 No. of weeks in report: 22 Avg. Rat

Avg. Rating: 1.8 - 2.4

- The <u>UK</u> has reported cases of BTV-3 in two cattle in Herefordshire, one sheep in Oxfordshire, and one sheep in Buckinghamshire; these are the first cases of BTV-3 in Great Britain during the 2025/2026 vector season
- Slovenia, Italy, Greece, and North Macedonia have reported cases of BTV-8 in sheep and cattle

## Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza in Europe

No. of Signals: 05 No. of weeks in report: 233 Avg. Rating: 2.0

- Spain has reported HPAI H5N1 in domestic poultry
- England, Ireland, and Portugal have reported HPAI H5N1 in wild birds
- A summary of the overall HPAI situation in Europe is available here

### **Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza in Asia**

No. of Signals: 02 No. of weeks in report: 198 Avg. Rating: 2.0

- Cambodia has reported HPAI H5N1 in backyard poultry in Tbong Khmum
- India has reported HPAI H5N1 in domestic poultry in Khudra

## Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza in North America

No. of Signals: 03 No. of weeks in report: 177

Avg. Rating: 1.4 - 2.0

- Canada has not reported any outbreaks of HPAI in domestic poultry over the past week
- The USDA has not reported any outbreaks of HPAI in domestic poultry over the past week
- As of July 28, 2025, the <u>USDA</u> has reported influenza A (H5N1) in 1077 dairy herds across 17 states; Wyoming(1), North Carolina(1), Ohio(1), Oklahoma(2), Kansas(4), Arizona(5), South Dakota(7), <u>Minnesota(9)</u>, New Mexico(9), Nevada(11), Iowa(13), Utah(13), Texas(29), <u>Michigan(31)</u>, <u>Colorado(64)</u>, Idaho(107), and California(770); the two recent outbreaks were reported from California, indicating ongoing circulation of the virus
- Wastewater surveillance dashboards for influenza can be found at the CDC and Stanford University's WastewaterSCAN



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