

# Avian Influenza in the Philippines

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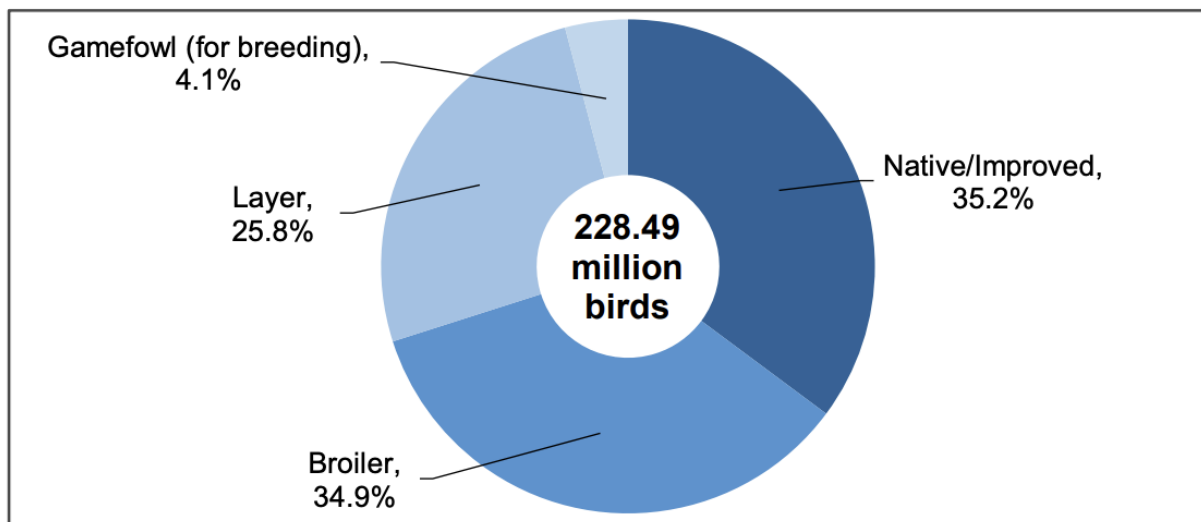
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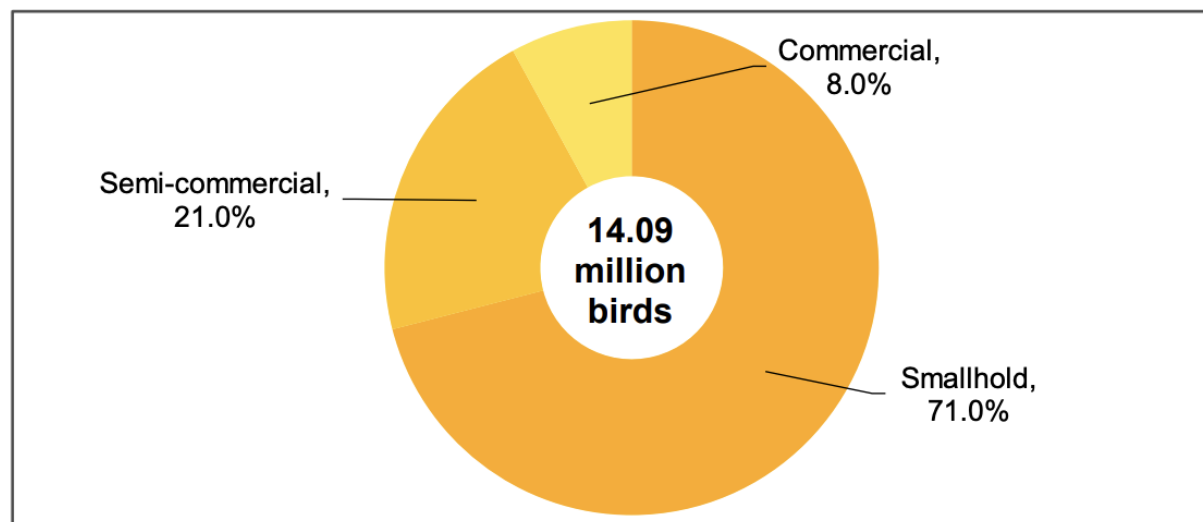
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**2017**

## Pampanga and Nueva Ecija with 481,197 chicken culled



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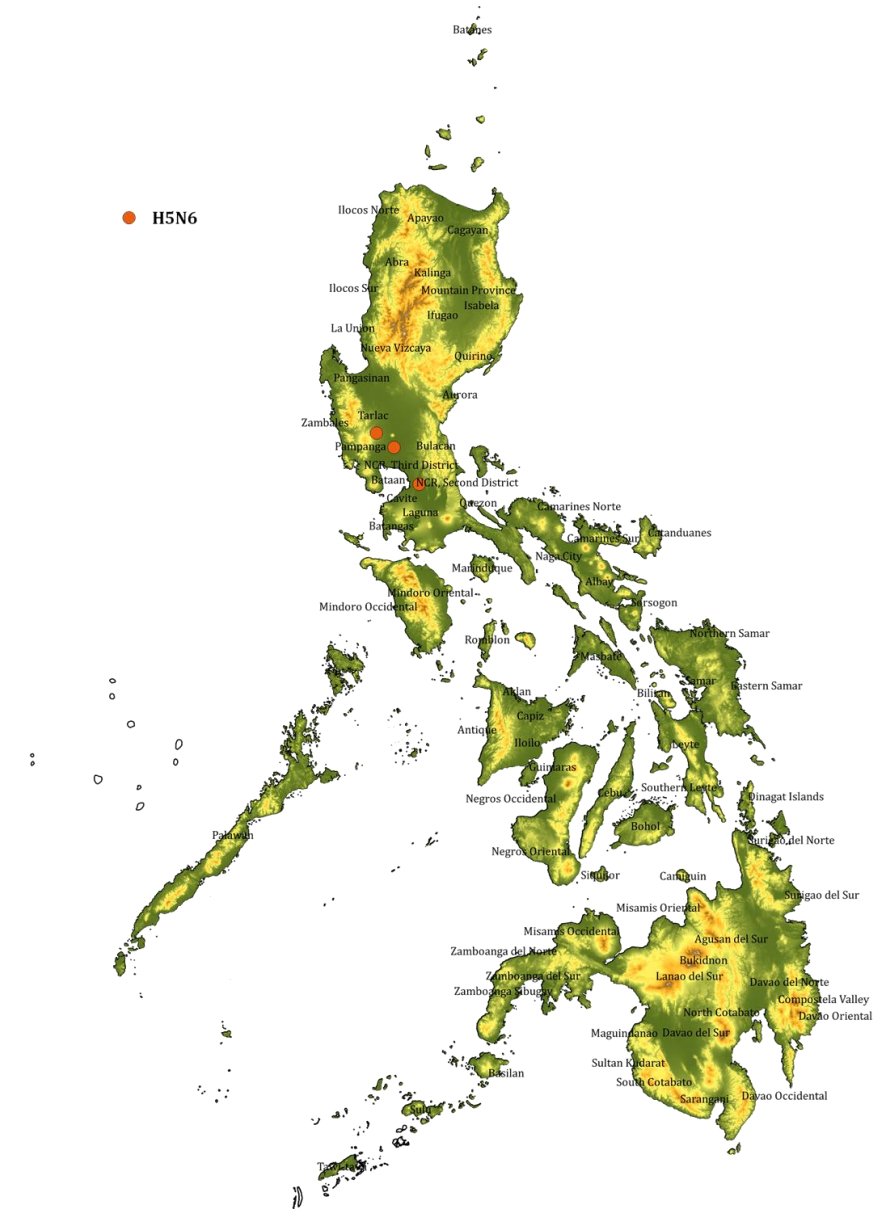
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## HPAI Detections in the Philippines

2020

Pampanga, Nueva Ecija and Rizal with **39,332 birds** (chicken layer, quail, and ducks) culled.



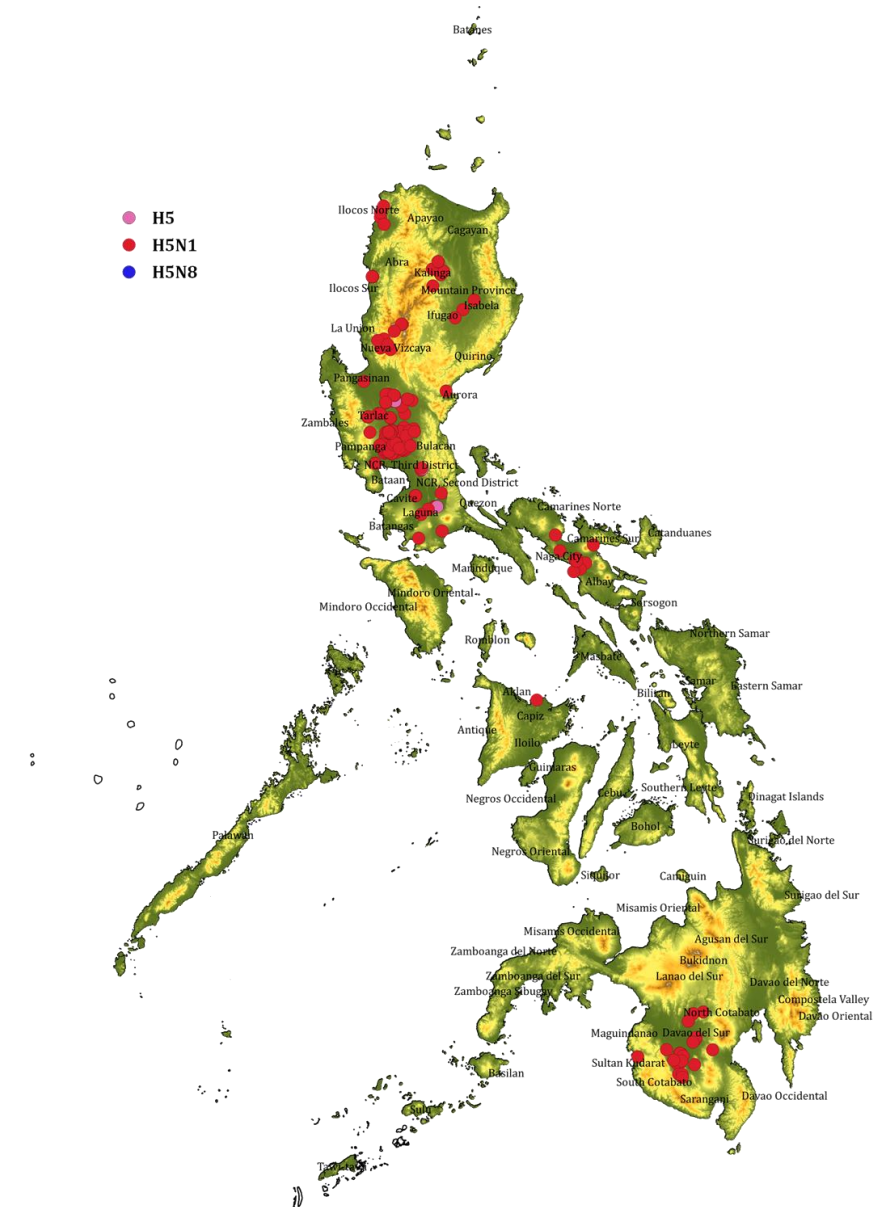
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## HPAI Detections in the Philippines

2022

- First reported outbreak of Avian Influenza Type A subtype **H5N1** in the Province of **Bulacan**.
- Provinces with HPAI confirmed cases in 2022:
  - Kalinga
  - Benguet
  - Ilocos Norte
  - Ilocos Sur
  - Pangasinan
  - Isabela
  - Aurora
  - Bataan
  - Bulacan
  - Nueva Ecija
  - Pampanga
  - Tarlac
  - Batangas
  - Laguna
  - Quezon
  - Rizal
  - Camarines Sur
  - Davao del Sur
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  - Maguindanao
- Detection of **H5N8** in a duck farm in the Province of **Pampanga**



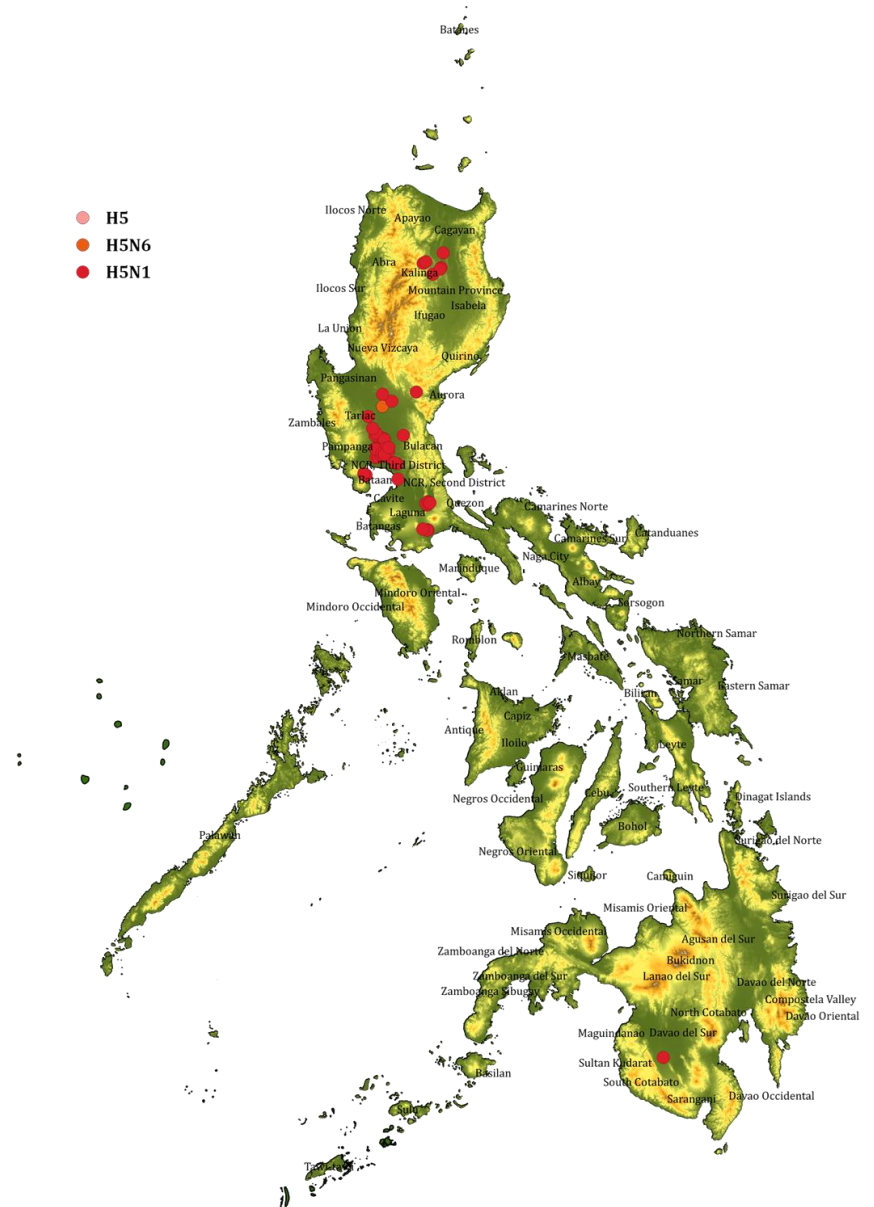
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## HPAI Detections in the Philippines

2023

- **H5N1** – affected a cumulative total of 24 Provinces, 10 remaining affected provinces by end of 2023;
- Provinces with HPAI confirmed cases in 2023:
  - Kalinga
  - Cagayan
  - Bataan
  - Bulacan
  - Nueva Ecija
  - Pampanga
  - Tarlac
  - Metro Manila (City of Manila)
  - Laguna
  - Quezon
  - Sultan Kudarat
- **H5N6** – Guimba, Nueva Ecija

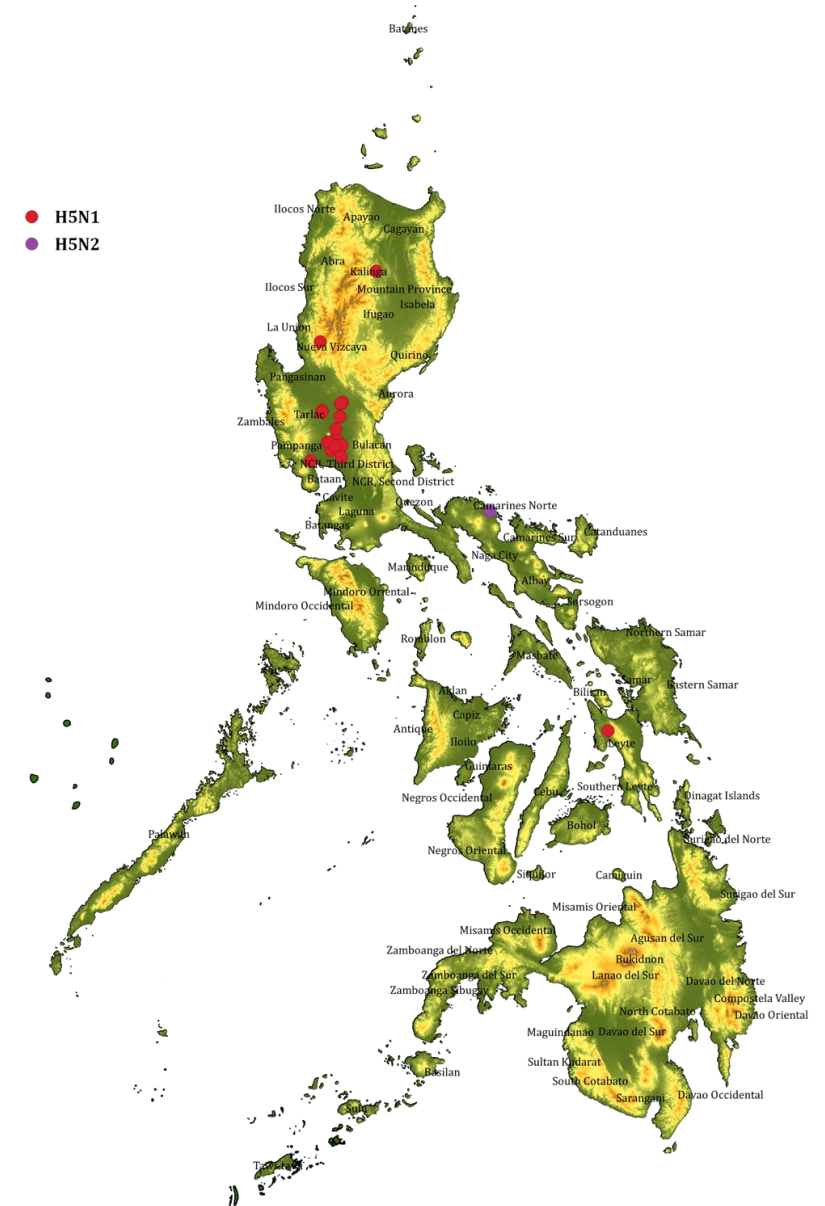


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# 2024

- H5N1
- H5N2



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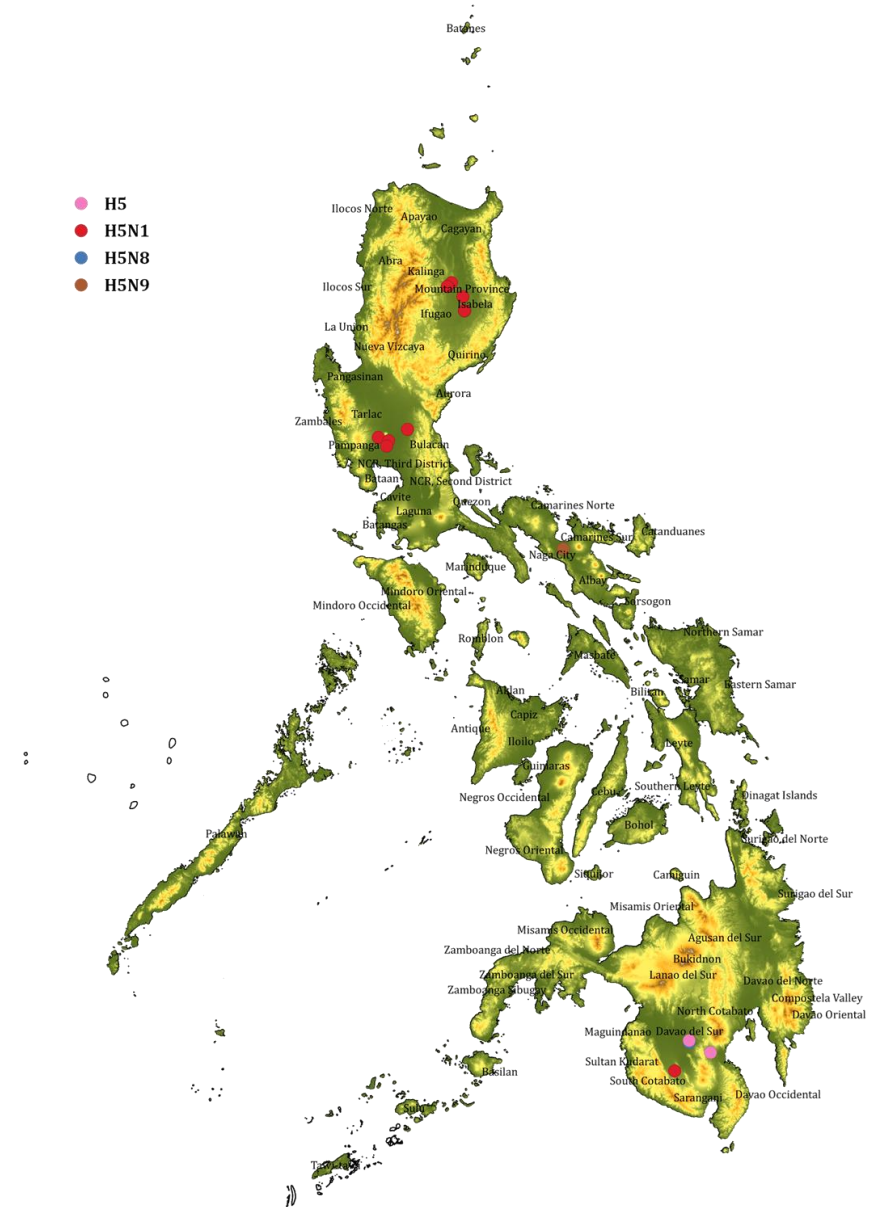
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# 2025

- \*Provinces that have previously recovered their AI-free Status*

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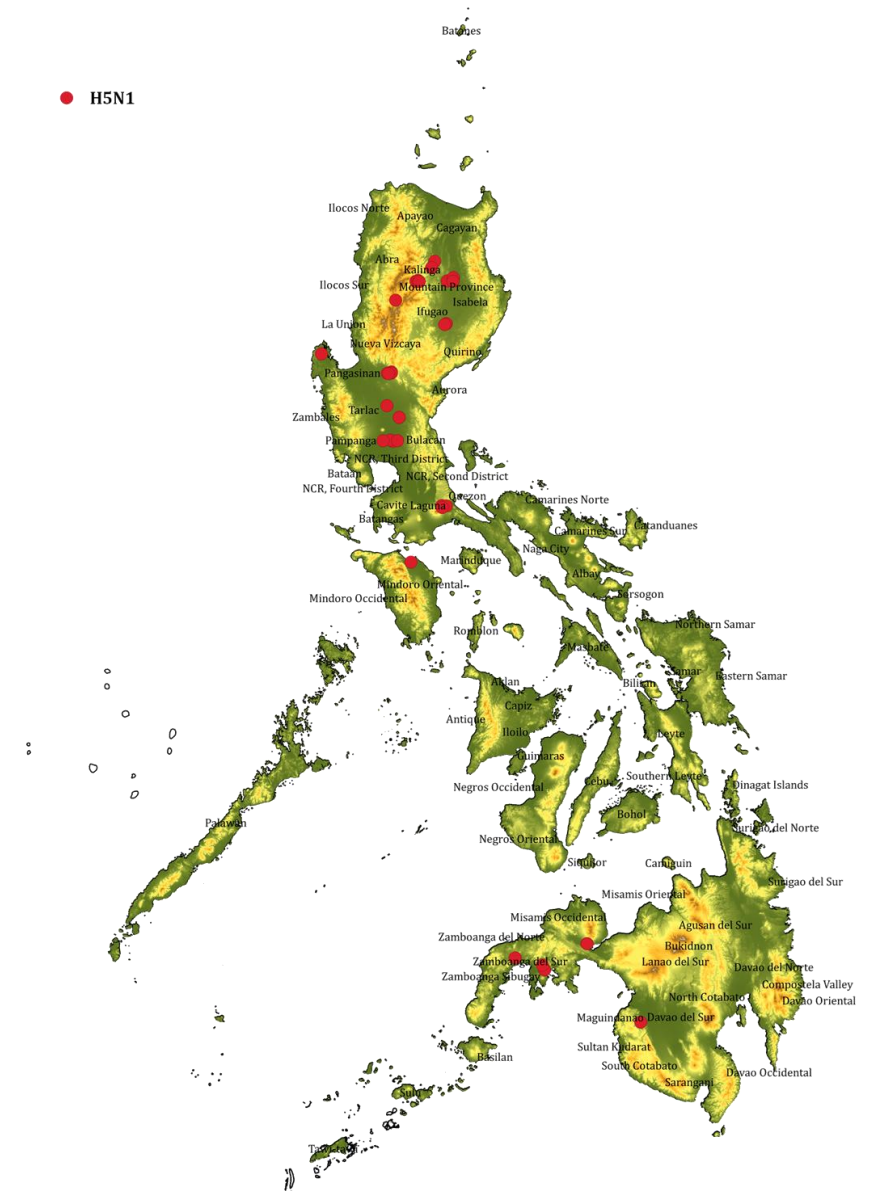
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## HPAI Detections in the Philippines

2026

- As of **4 September 2026**, confirmed cases of Avian Influenza Subtype **H5N1** were reported in the provinces of:
  - Pampanga
  - Misamis Occidental
  - Mountain Province
  - Nueva Ecija
  - Isabela
  - Quezon
  - Kalinga
  - Zamboanga Sibugay
  - Oriental Mindoro
  - Pangasinan
  - Maguindanao del Sur



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# Disease situation

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Weekly Avian Influenza Data Dashboard are being uploaded through the BAI Website:

<https://www.bai.gov.ph/Report/Avian>

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bai.gov.ph/Reports/PreviewFile?id=771&num=17

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## Avian Influenza Status Update as of 04 September 2026

September 7, 2026

Avian Influenza Status Update

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### AVIAN INFLUENZA

Avian Influenza Status Update as of 4 September 2026

| Number of Remaining Affected Areas as of 4 September 2026 |                     | Areas that Recovered Freedom from Avian Influenza |                 |                              |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| REGION                                                    | PROVINCE            | REGION                                            | PROVINCE        |                              |
| 10                                                        | 14                  | IV-A                                              | Rizal           | DA MC No. 1, Series of 2023  |
| CITY/MUNICIPALITY                                         | BARANGAY            | I                                                 | Ilocos Sur      | DA MC No. 18, Series of 2023 |
| 67                                                        | 168                 | IV-A                                              | Batangas        | DA MC No. 23, Series of 2023 |
| Remaining Affected Areas                                  |                     | VI                                                | Capiz           | DA MC No. 27, Series of 2023 |
| REGION                                                    | PROVINCE/CITY       | III                                               | Aurora          | DA MC No. 39, Series of 2023 |
| CAR                                                       | Kalinga             | I                                                 | Ilocos Norte    | DA MC No. 45, Series of 2023 |
| CAR                                                       | Benguet             | XII                                               | Sultan Kudarat  | DA MC No. 11, Series of 2024 |
| III                                                       | Pampanga            | VIII                                              | Leyte           | DA MC No. 44, Series of 2024 |
| III                                                       | Nueva Ecija         | II                                                | Cagayan         | DA MC No. 46, Series of 2024 |
| III                                                       | Tarlac              | V                                                 | Camarines Norte | DA MC No. 06, Series of 2025 |
| IV-A                                                      | Laguna              | V                                                 | Camarines Sur   | DA MC No. 27, Series of 2025 |
| NCR                                                       | City of Manila      | III                                               | Bataan          | DA MC No. 31, Series of 2025 |
| II                                                        | Icabela             | III                                               | Bulacan         | DA MC No. 36, Series of 2025 |
| X                                                         | Misamis Occidental  | XI                                                | Davao Del Sur   | DA MC No. 16, Series of 2026 |
| CAR                                                       | Mountain Province   | XII                                               | South Cotabato  | DA MC No. 26, Series of 2026 |
| IV-A                                                      | Quezon              | XII                                               | Cotabato        | Da MC No. 32, Series of 2026 |
| IX                                                        | Zamboanga Sibugay   |                                                   |                 |                              |
| IV-B                                                      | Oriental Mindoro    |                                                   |                 |                              |
| I                                                         | Pangasinan          |                                                   |                 |                              |
| BARM                                                      | Maguindanao del Sur |                                                   |                 |                              |
|                                                           |                     | Total Recovered Areas                             | 16              |                              |

#### Areas with On-going Cases as of 4 September 2026

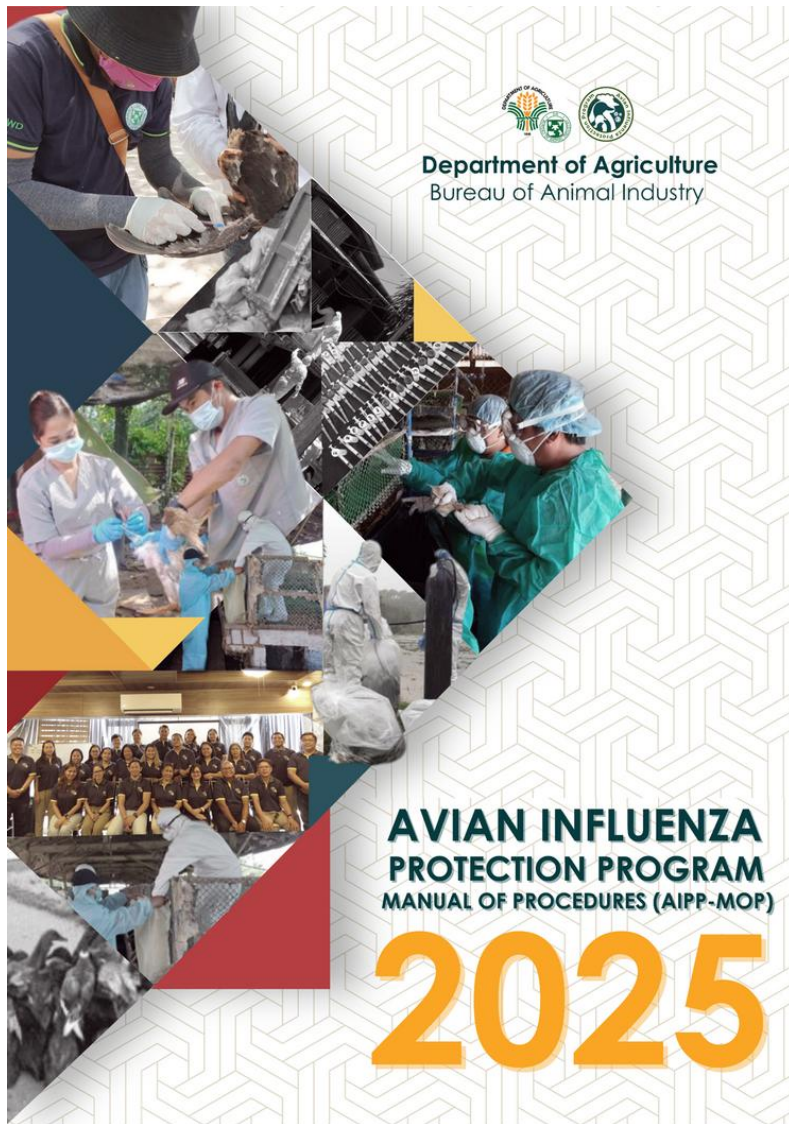
| REGION | PROVINCE   | CITY/MUNICIPALITY    | BARANGAY         |                          |                         |
|--------|------------|----------------------|------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| 2      | 2          | 3                    | 6                |                          |                         |
| REGION | PROVINCE   | CITY/MUNICIPALITY    | SPECIES AFFECTED | NO. OF FARMER/S AFFECTED | AVIAN INFLUENZA SUBTYPE |
| I      | Pangasinan | San Quintin, Bolinao | Chicken, Duck    | 27                       | HSN1                    |
| CAR    | Kalinga    | Tinglayan            | Chicken          | 1                        | HSN1                    |

120 Cumulative no. of Cities/Municipalities have reported AI



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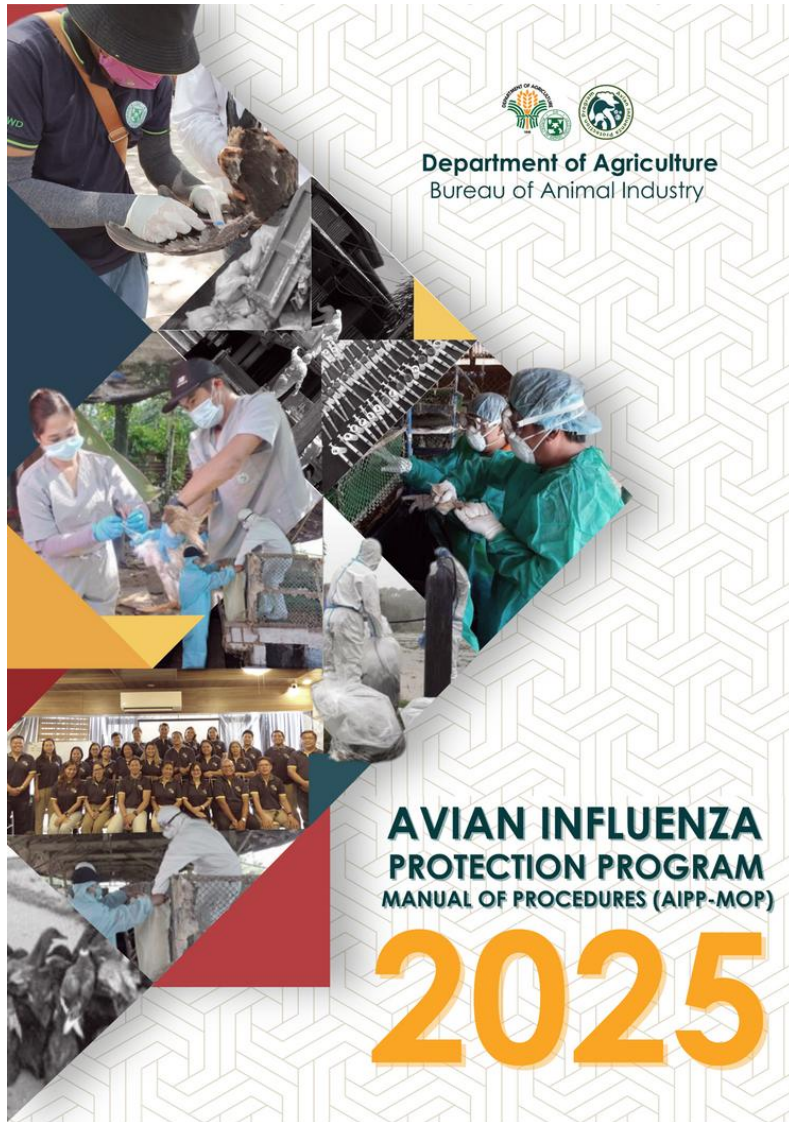
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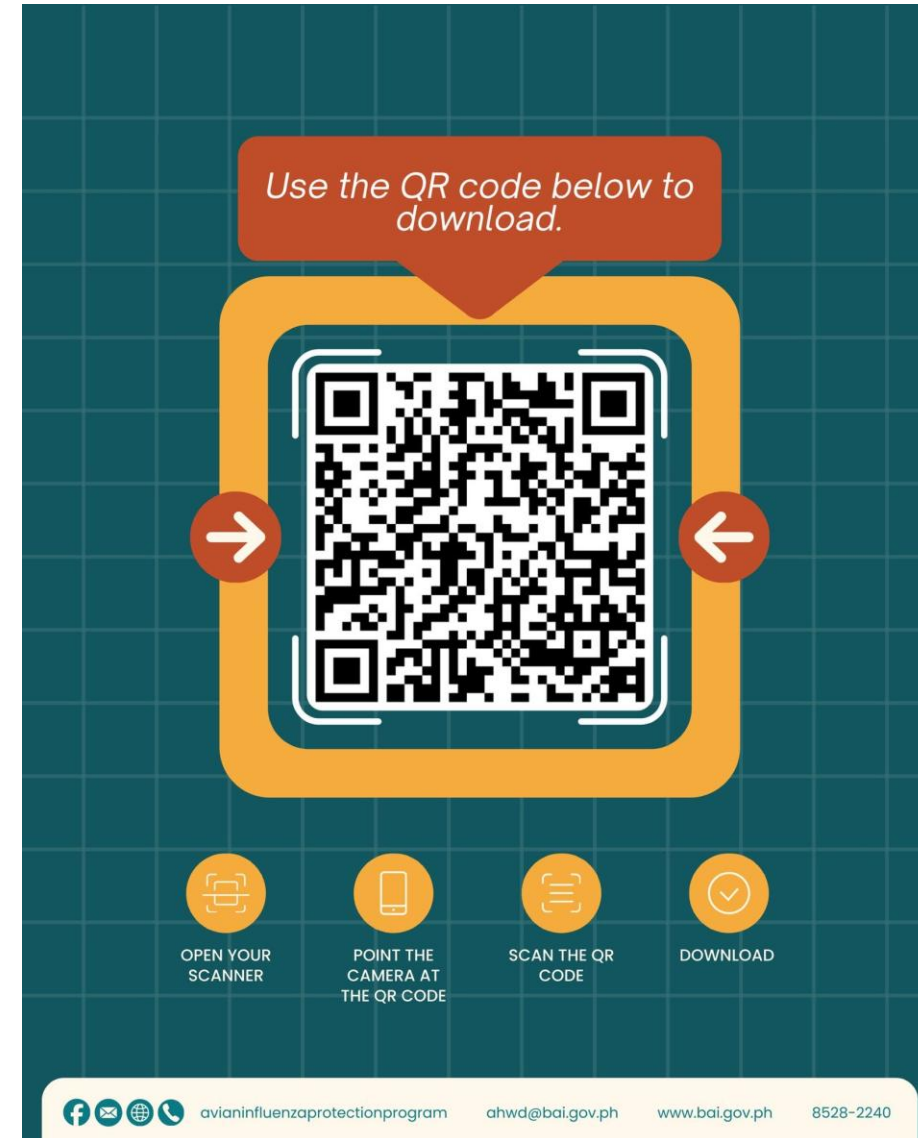
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## Anong ginagawa ng DA-BAI upang makontrol ang AI?

Ang DA-BAI ay nakikipag-ugnayan at nakikipagtulungan sa mga DA - Regional Field Office (DA-RFO) at Lokal na Pamahalaan ng mga apektadong syudad at munisipyo. Nagsasagawa ng depopulation, quarantine, surveillance at animal movement control sa mga lugar na nagpositibo sa AI Virus.

Para sa mga katanungan at iba pang impormasyon:

<https://bai.gov.ph>

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## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

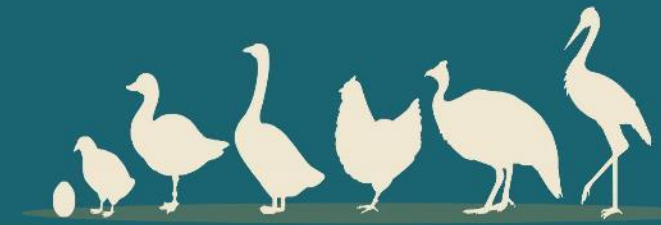


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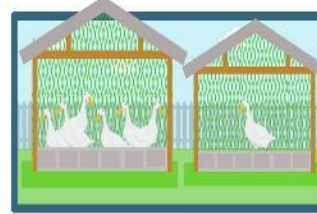
# Guidelines on AVIAN INFLUENZA BIOSECURITY



Obtain birds, feeds and other farm materials from reputable and trustworthy sources.



Ensure that you have observed the proper downtime or quarantine period for the new birds before releasing/mixing them with your old stocks.



Always clean and disinfect your farm and its surroundings, including equipment, tools and materials used (e.g. cages, trays, etc.)



Don't allow unauthorized persons (e.g. traders and visitors) and transport carriers inside, without following farm protocols.



Take a bath and change your clothes when entering the farm. Use a separate set of clothes. Take a bath once again after leaving your farm.



Bird and pest proof your farm; place a fence around your farm to prevent entry of stray animals.



Contact the Municipal Agricultural Office, City/Provincial Veterinary Office, or DA Regional Office near you if unusual illness and/or unexplainable sudden deaths of animals were observed



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## IEC (Brochures, leaflets and pamphlets)

**BIOSECURITY MEASURES FOR AVIAN INFLUENZA**

- SOURCE FROM TRUSTED SUPPLIERS**  
Obtain birds, feeds and other farm materials from reputable and trustworthy sources. Ensure that suppliers are accredited and comply with biosecurity and health standards.
- FOLLOW SHOWER IN/OUT PROTOCOLS**  
All visitors must observe shower in/out procedure and follow down-time requirements. There should be a separate set of clothes and foot-wear when entering the farm.
- QUARANTINE NEW BIRDS**  
Subject new birds to proper quarantine period before releasing/mixing them with the old stocks. Monitor them closely for any signs of illness during this period and ensure they are kept in a separate, designated area.
- STRENGTHEN FARM PROTECTION**  
Bird and pest proof the farm. Place a net on the poultry houses to prevent entry of free flying/roaming birds. Place a fence around the farm to prevent entry of stray animals.
- MAINTAIN CLEANLINESS AND DISINFECTION**  
Always clean and disinfect the farm and its surroundings, including equipment, tools and materials used (e.g. cages, trays, etc.).
- REPORT UNUSUAL CASES IMMEDIATELY**  
Contact the nearest Municipal Agriculture Office, City/Provincial Veterinary Office, DA Regional Office if unusual illness and/or unexplainable sudden deaths of animals were observed.
- RESTRICT FARM ACCESS**  
Unauthorized visitors and transport carriers should not be allowed inside the farm. Limit entry only to essential personnel and ensure proper authorization at all times.

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**UNDERSTANDING AVIAN INFLUENZA**  
Avian Influenza (AI), commonly known as Bird Flu, is a highly contagious viral disease that affects birds.

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**EXCLUSION & HYGIENE**  
Unauthorized visitors and transport carriers should not be allowed inside the farm. Shower and change clothes when entering the farm.

**AIPP MANUAL OF PROCEDURE**  
For more information on guidelines and protocols, scan the QR code to access the e-copy of the Avian Influenza Manual of Procedure.

**BIOSECURITY MEASURES**  
Guidelines for Prevention and Control of Avian Influenza (AI) or Bird Flu

**REPORTING**  
Report any unusual animal illnesses or sudden deaths to your nearest Municipal Agriculture, Veterinary, or DA Regional Office.

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**AIPP MANUAL OF PROCEDURE**

**MGA DAPAT TANDAAN UPANG MAKIWAAS SA AVIAN INFLUENZA (AI) O BIRDFLU**  
(Para sa mga magulang ng pet birds, Unang Pwera, Cattle, Swine, Pigs, Poultry, Agnate, at Ibang)

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**ANO ANG AVIAN INFLUENZA (AI)?**  
Ang AI ay sakit na sanhi ng virus na nakakaapekto sa mga ibon gaya ng manok, ilik, gansa, paba, bengala, at iba pa.

**ANU-ANO ANG MGA PALATANDAAN NG SAKIT NA AI?**  
Pananamay at kawalan ng gana.

**LIGTAS BA ANG KUMAIN NG KARNE AT ITLOG?**  
Oo, ligtas ang kumain ng karne at itlog ng ibon na sakit sa AI.

**AI WORD HUNT**  
Bureau of Animal Industry  
Animal Health and Welfare Division

**AVIAN INFLUENZA (FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS)**

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# Prevention and control measures

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## AI Information Caravan 2025

### North Luzon

- Pampanga | April 23, 2025 - Lohas Hotel, Angeles City

### South Luzon

- Quezon | May 21, 2025 - Queen Margarette Hotel, Lucena City

### Visayas

- Cebu | June 25, 2025 – Cebu City
- Iloilo | July 23, 2025 – Iloilo City

### Mindanao

- Davao del Sur | September 16-18, 2025 - Davao City
- South Cotabato | October 27-29, 2025 - General Santos City



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## AI Information Caravan 2026

|                |                                       |
|----------------|---------------------------------------|
| March 2026     | Cagayan De Oro City, Misamis Oriental |
| May 2026       | Tacloban City, Leyte                  |
| June 2026      | Legazpi City, Albay                   |
| July 2026      | Cauayan City, Isabela                 |
| August 2026    | San Fernando, La Union                |
| September 2026 | Zamboanga City, Zamboanga del Sur     |



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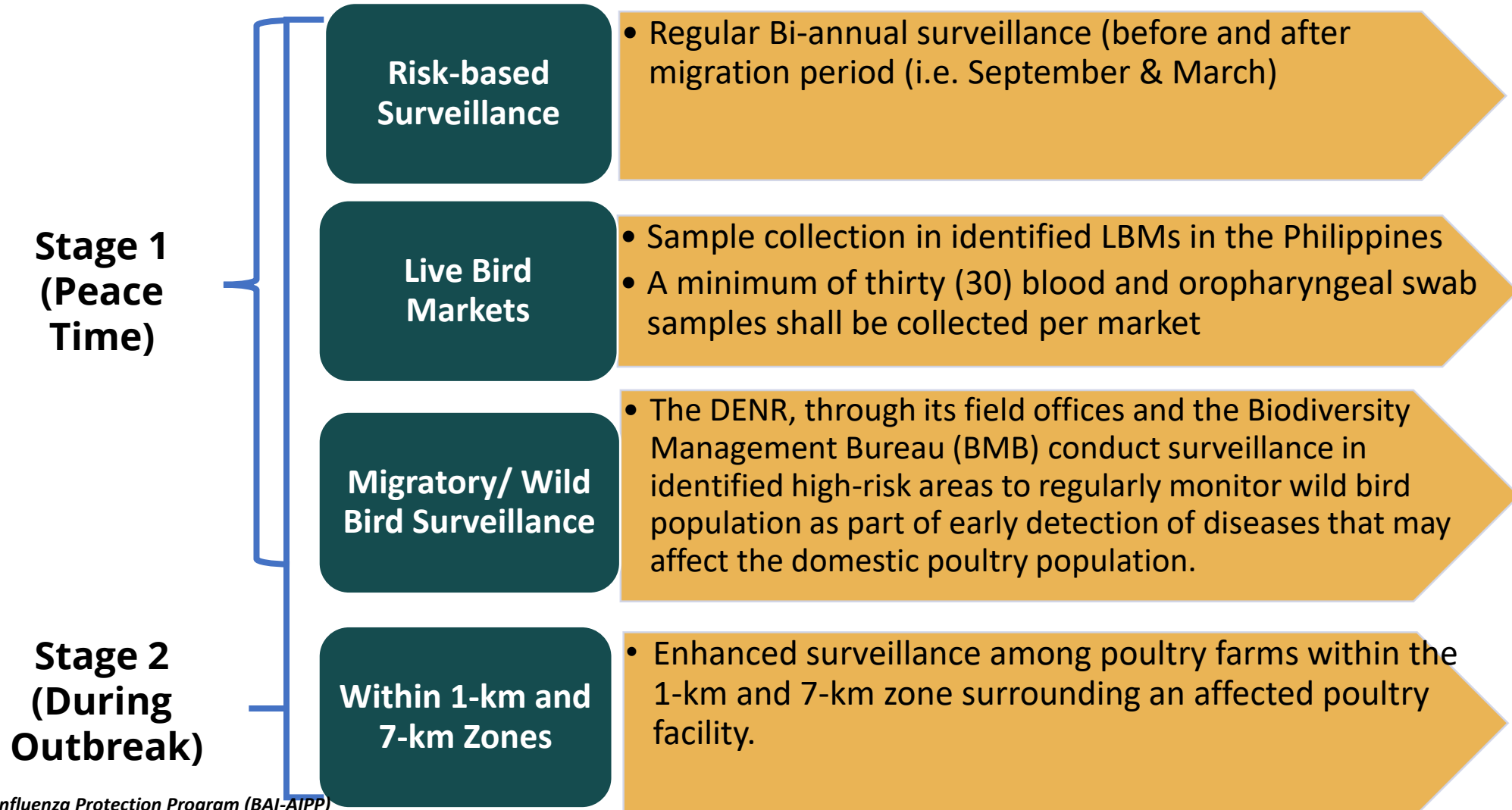
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## Disease Monitoring and Surveillance



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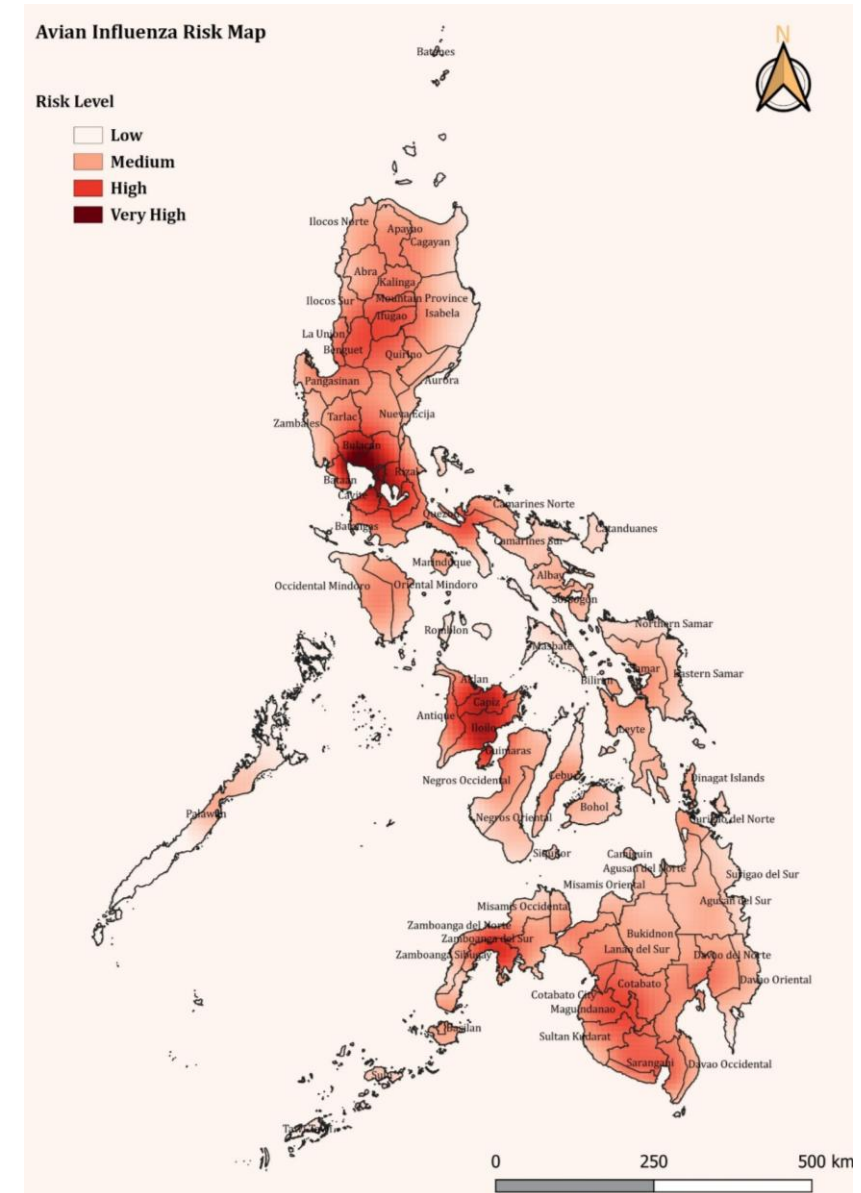
## *Risk-based surveillance*

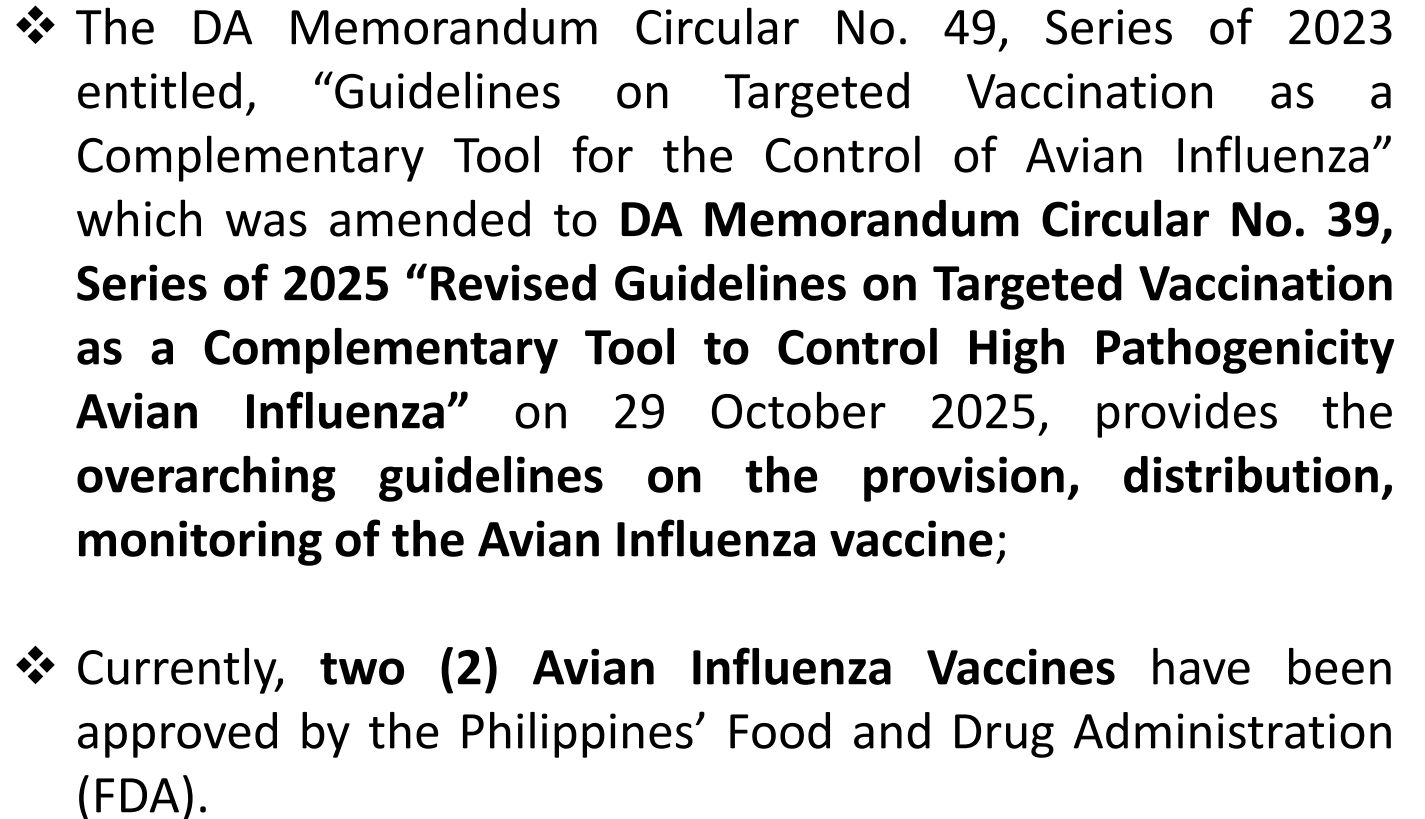
Conduct of regular surveillance in the different provinces in the Philippines before and after the bird migration period (i.e. September and March).

- Presence of migratory birds or resident wild birds;
- Presence of duck grazing areas;
- Density of local duck population;
- Density of commercial poultry population;
- Presence of farms with poor biosecurity;
- Presence of farms with multiple species reared;
- Presence of live bird markets/unregulated trading of poultry commodities;
- Proximity to rice field/paddies frequented by migratory birds or resident wild birds;
- Proximity to rivers and other bodies of water;
- Presence of local veterinary quarantine checkpoints

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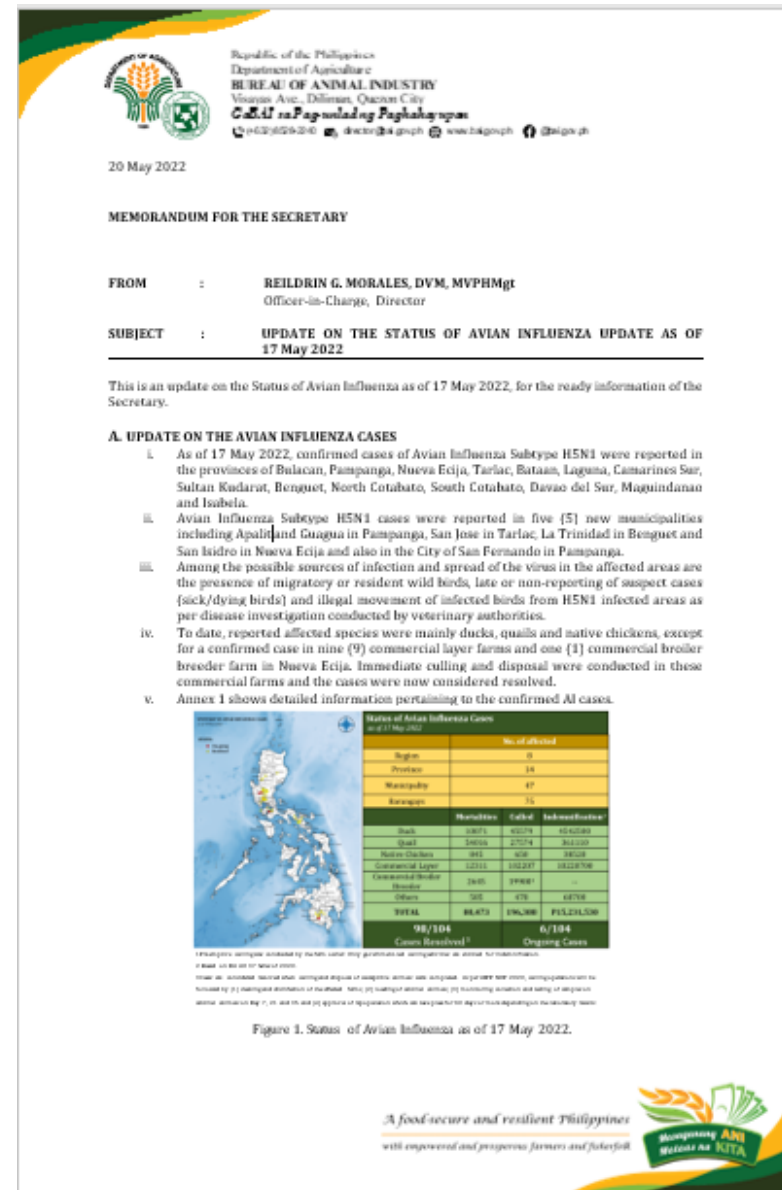


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## Other actions taken in response to AI outbreaks

- Submission of report/notification to the WOAHP World Animal Health Information System (WAHIS);
- Avian Influenza status update are being sent regularly to DOH Epidemiology Bureau so that coordinated action can be undertaken to avoid the risk of transmission to humans.
- Regular AI status updates were also being sent to DA RFOs, LGUs, National Meat Inspection Services (NMIS), Poultry Groups and other related agencies.



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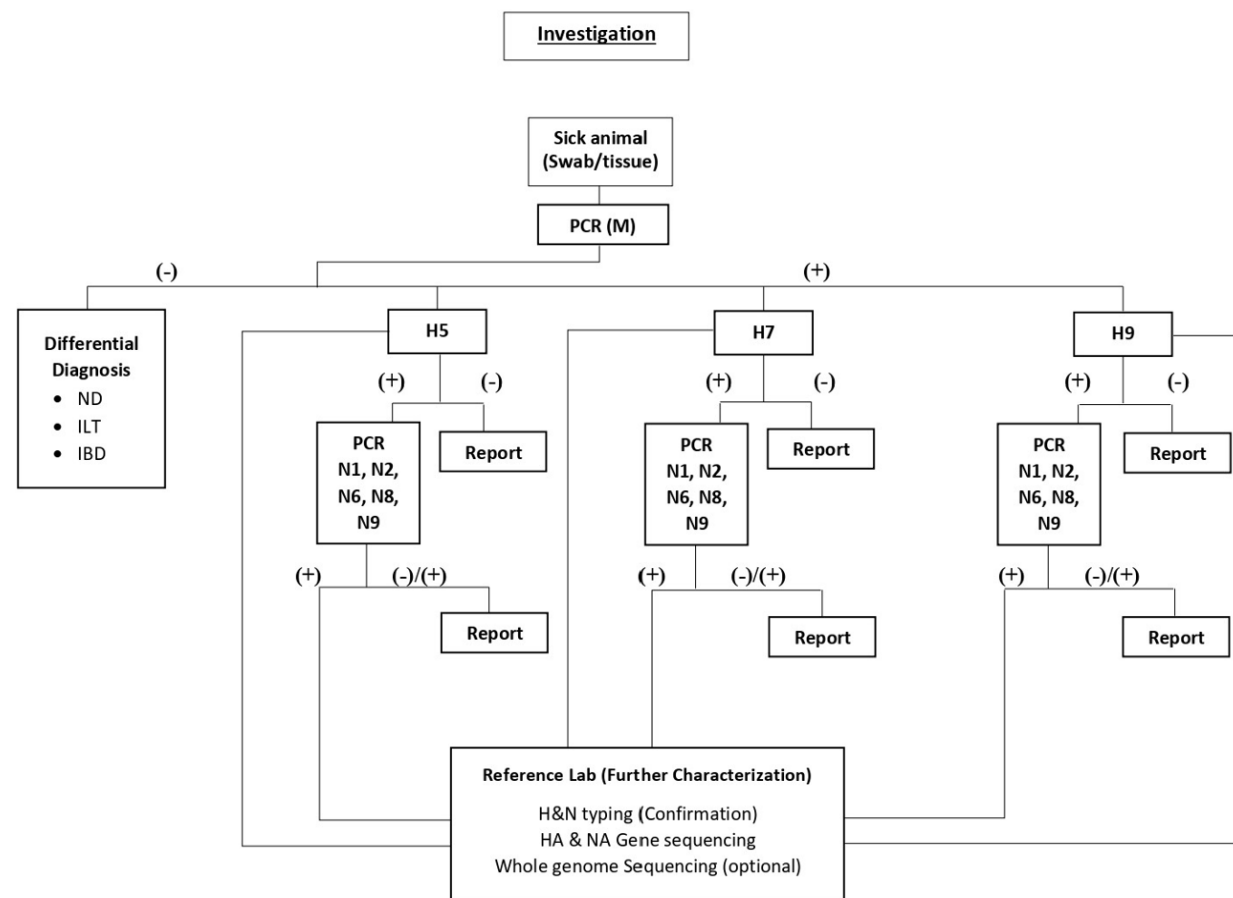
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  - **BACTERIOLOGY & MYCOLOGY LABORATORY**
  - **VIROLOGY LABORATORY**
  - **AVIAN INFLUENZA LABORATORY**
  - **FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE LABORATORY**
  - **RABIES LABORATORY**





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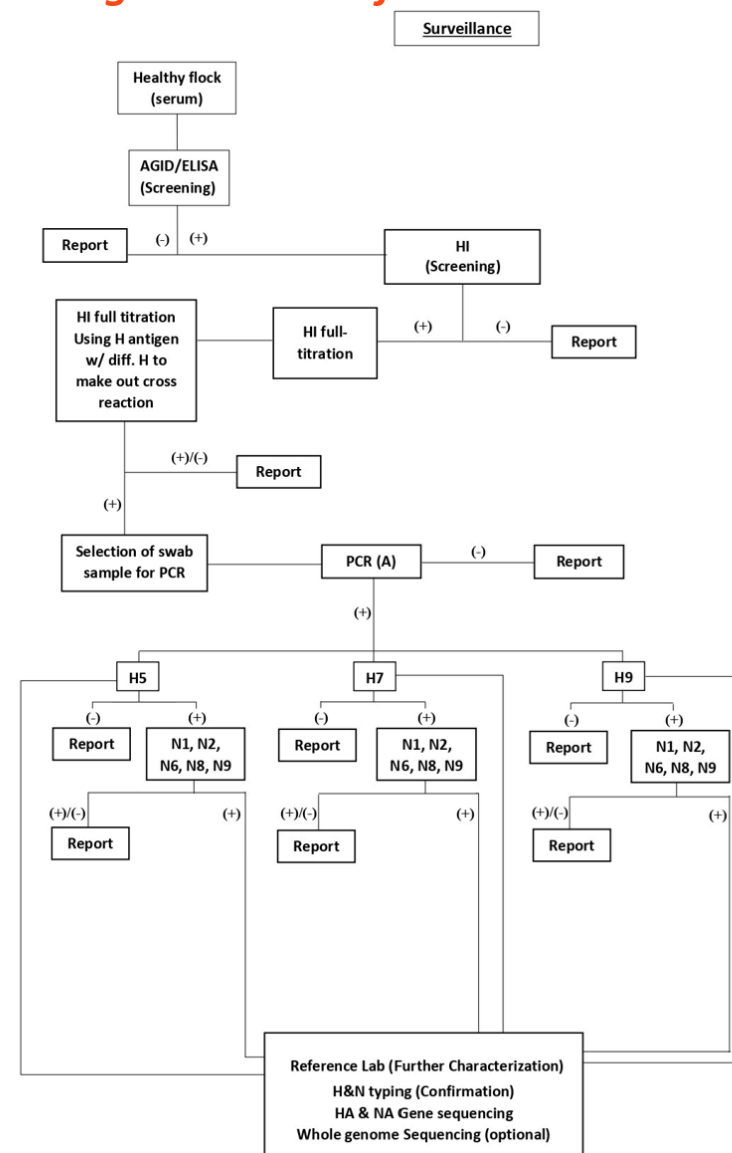
| Test                                                                                          | Specimen     | Detects                                                                                                            |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Enzyme-linked Immunosorbent Assay (ELISA)                                                     | serum        | antibody                                                                                                           |
| Agar Gel Immunodiffusion test (AGID)                                                          | serum        | antibody                                                                                                           |
| Hemagglutination Inhibition (HI) test                                                         | serum        | antibody                                                                                                           |
| Real Time Polymerase Chain Reaction (qRT-PCR): Matrix (AIV A), H5, H7, H9, N1, N2, N6, N8, N9 | swab, tissue | antigen (Southeast Asian H5 subtypes, H7 subtypes viruses (Australian), H9, N1, N2 N6, N8, N9 (China H7N9 strain)) |





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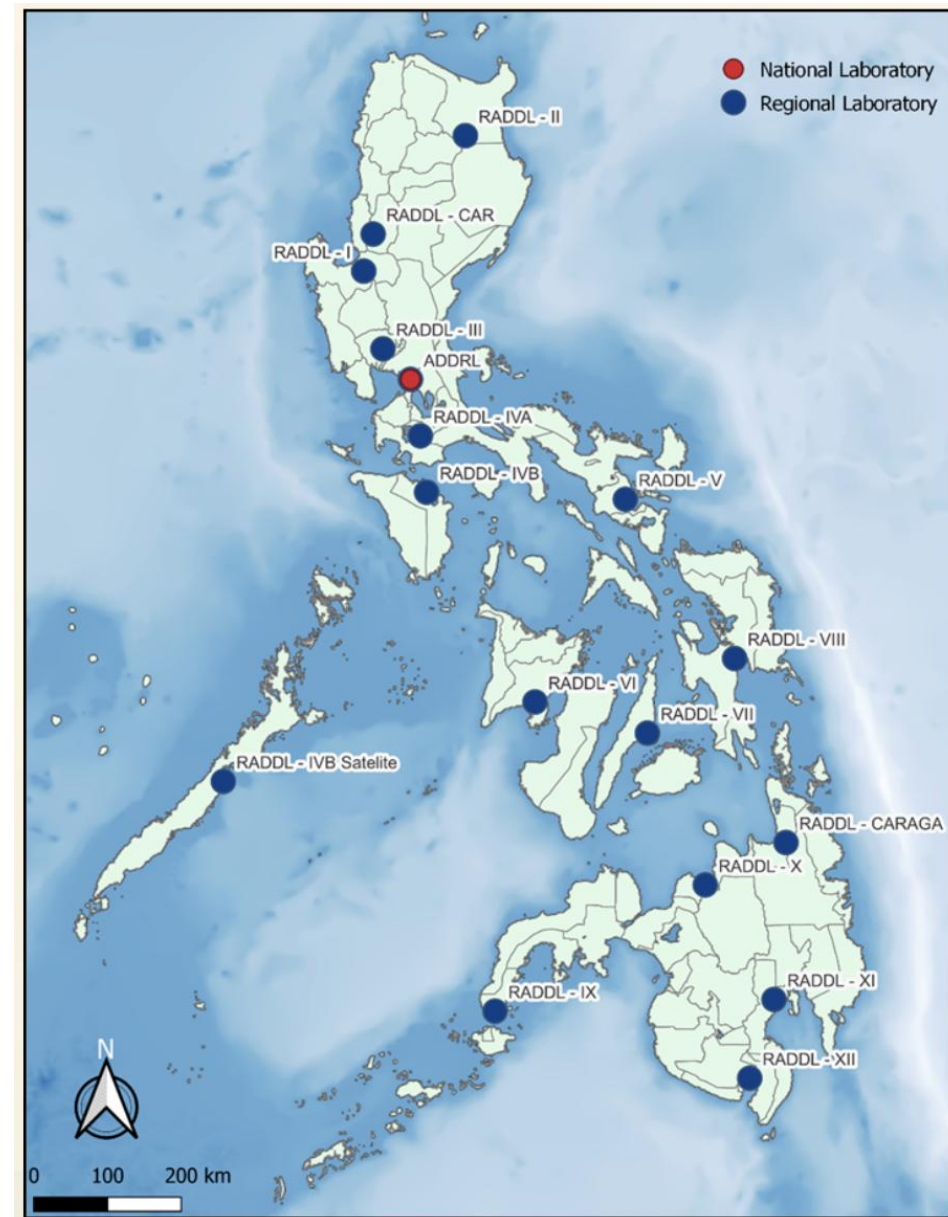


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## Regional AI Diagnostic Laboratories

| Laboratory                        | Test                                                |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| CAR (Benguet)                     | ELISA, HI*                                          |
| Region I (Pangasinan)             | ELISA, HI*                                          |
| Region II (Tuguegarao)            | ELISA, HI, Real Time PCR for Influenza Virus Type A |
| Region III (Tarlac)               | ELISA, HI, Real Time PCR for Influenza Virus Type A |
| Region IV-A (Lipa City, Batangas) | ELISA, HI*                                          |
| Region IV-B (Mindoro Oriental)    | ELISA                                               |
| Region V (Camarines Sur)          | ELISA, HI, Real Time PCR for Influenza Virus Type A |
| Region VI (Iloilo)                | ELISA, HI, Real Time PCR for Influenza Virus Type A |
| Region VII (Cebu)                 | ELISA, HI, Real Time PCR for Influenza Virus Type A |
| Region VIII (Leyte)               | ELISA, HI, Real Time PCR for Influenza Virus Type A |
| Region IX (Zamboanga City)        | ELISA, HI, Real Time PCR for Influenza Virus Type A |
| Region X (Cagayan de Oro)         | ELISA, HI, Real Time PCR for Influenza Virus Type A |
| Region XI (Davao City)            | ELISA, HI, Real Time PCR for Influenza Virus Type A |
| Region XII (General Santos)       | ELISA, HI, Real Time PCR for Influenza Virus Type A |
| CARAGA (Agusan Del Norte)         | ELISA                                               |
| BARMM (Cotabato City)             | ELISA                                               |

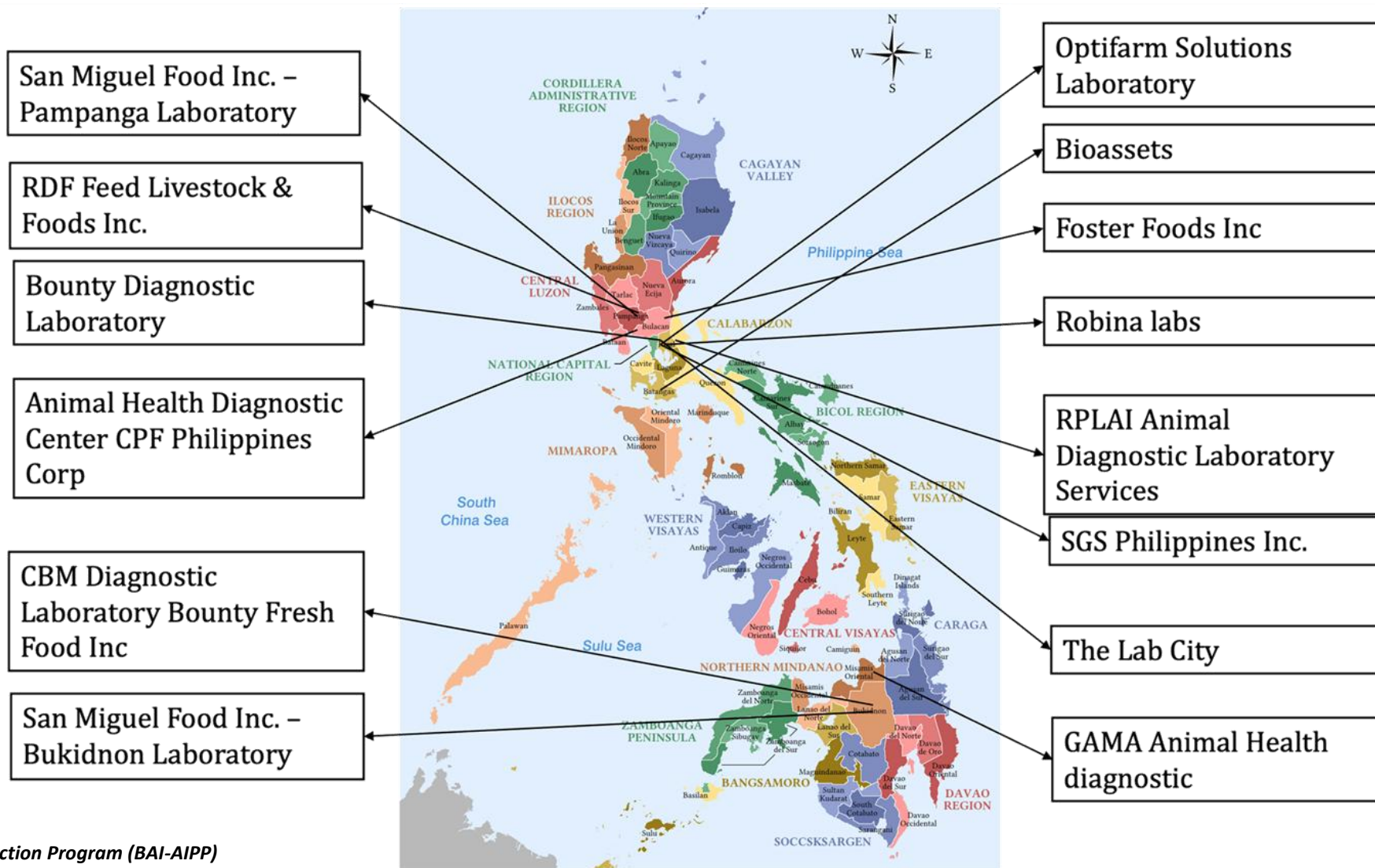




# Laboratory diagnostic capacity

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*Authorization of private labs. to conduct AI testing during outbreak (BAI MC No. 28, S. 2022)*



Source: BAI-Avian Influenza Protection Program (BAI-AIPP)



# Challenges and possible solutions

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| CHALLENGES                                                                                 | POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS/INTERVENTIONS                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
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| Limited capacity of regional laboratories;                                                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BAI authorized private laboratories to conduct AI testing during outbreak to support in the influx of samples for Avian Influenza</li> <li>Augmentation of laboratory test kits and supplies from BAI-ADDRL to regional laboratories</li> <li>Continuous conduct of capacity building training of RADDLs by BAI-ADDRL</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Resistance of farmers and/or LGUs against depopulation and other disease control measures; | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Implementation of indemnification/compensation schemes for culled livestock and poultry to reduce farmer resistance by virtue of DA AO No. 4, Series of 2025 “Guidelines on Granting Cash Assistance for Farmers Affected by Emerging, Re-emerging and TADs”.</li> <li>Conduct of awareness campaigns (e.g. Avian Influenza Information Caravans) with subnational and local veterinary authorities to emphasize the long-term economic benefits of early detection and response.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Delayed or non-reporting of suspected cases;                                               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Implementation of Animal Disease Incident Response (ADIR) Surveillance mobile Application: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The <u>Animal Disease Incident Report (ADIR)</u> mobile application is a digital tool developed by the Bureau of Animal Industry (BAI) to support the <b>early detection and response</b> to animal health events.</li> <li>Available for download on Android devices, ADIR allows farmers, field and private veterinarians, livestock technicians, and other stakeholders to report suspected animal disease incidents based on observed clinical signs and unusual animal health conditions.</li> <li>Reports submitted through the app help veterinary authorities monitor and respond to potential disease threats in a timely manner</li> </ul> </li> <li>Streamline reporting channels between local veterinarians, regional offices, and BAI-AHWD</li> <li>Conduct continuous refresher training on early clinical sign recognition for field officers and local farm workers.</li> </ul> |
| Deviation and non-compliance to national policies/guidelines                               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Strengthen alignment between the Department of Agriculture (DA), Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), and LGUs to ensure local ordinances align with national policies.</li> <li>Establishment of clear, evidence-based guidelines for local movement of live poultry, poultry products and by-products to facilitate unhindered trade and food supply security. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DA Memorandum Circular No. 43, Series of 2022: Updated Guidelines on the Movement of Live Poultry and Non-Poultry and Poultry Products and By-products during Avian Influenza Outbreak</li> <li>DA Memorandum Circular No. 35, Series of 2023: Addendum to DA Memorandum Circular No. 43 Series of 2022 Entitled “Updated Guidelines on the Movement of Live Poultry and Non-Poultry and Poultry Products and By-products during Avian Influenza Outbreak”</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                       |

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- Completion of field surveillances (7-km) activities in affected areas to determine coverage of outbreak if there are spillovers from affected farms/premises. Surveillance activities within the 1-km and 7-km radius of the affected farms/premises are among the requirements needed prior to the recovery of AI-Free status of affected provinces;
- Continuous capacitation of regional laboratories;
- Printing and Distribution of the approved Avian influenza Protection Program – Manual of Procedure (AIPP-MOP), 2025 Edition;
- Maintenance of AI-Free Status of all Provinces through bi-annual surveillance (March/September); and
- Conduct of information education and communication campaign/information caravan;



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# Thank you!

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