

ON-FARM FOOTBATH SET UP

Dedicated footwear and clothing, which remain on-site, for all staff and visitors is recommended.

To set up an on-farm footbath, you will need:

- One or two tubs
- Hot water

- A dedicated scrubbing brush
- Detergent
- Broad spectrum disinfectant.*

*Oxidising agents such as Virkon®, Viraban®, ViruGuard®, ViralFX® and others used at 1:100 dilution are recommended. These products are readily purchased from your veterinarian or rural supplies store.



1

Set up footbath station in location where staff and visitors arrive and at other important points (e.g. entry to calf shed)



2

Scrub footwear with hot water and detergent to remove all visible dirt. Take care to ensure the undersides of footwear are clean



3

Thoroughly apply disinfectant on sides and soles of footwear. Most disinfectants need time to work so don't wash it off



4

Wash and disinfect hands



5

Complete staff and visitor risk assessment and sign in



Always read the label and ensure you follow the safety and disposal directions



Scan the QR code to watch video on how to set up a footbath