

NFAS TRANSITION KIT

NAVIGATING THE NEW BIOSECURITY
FRAMEWORK TOGETHER



Message from our CEO

“Biosecurity isn’t just compliance - it’s leadership in action!”

The new NFAS standards represent a pivotal moment for the Australian feedlot industry. At Risk Pass, we strongly support the leadership of ALFA and AUS-MEAT in this initiative. These standards are crucial for protecting the industry's world-class reputation and securing long-term market access.

That said, we understand that translating these updated standards into day-to-day operational practice requires significant time, energy and resources. It can feel like just one more thing on an already full plate.

That’s where we come in.

Our commitment is to make this transition seamless. We've developed practical tools, including our new **NFAS Risk Matrix Template**, and a clear, step-by-step plan to help you update your Biosecurity Management Plan efficiently and without the stress.

Our goal is simple: to help you turn these new standards into a genuine competitive advantage.

The first step is to schedule a **NFAS Biosecurity Plan Review**. Let’s get it done together - quickly, confidently, and with the full support of Risk Pass.

We are proud to partner with you in turning these new standards into a genuine competitive advantage.

Sincerely,

Ange Hutchinson
Managing Director
Risk Pass



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Key NFAS Changes

A Plain-English summary of the key NFAS Changes.

Expanded Requirements from 1 January 2026



EAD Planning



Emergency Animal Disease Planning

EAD Action Plans must be a standalone document and include contact details and clearly defined roles and responsibilities of staff in an emergency situation.



DDD Planning

Destruction, Disposal & Decontamination Planning

A DDD Plan must include a well-considered strategy that not only addresses the humane destruction, disposal, and decontamination of animals to prevent further spread of disease but also supports restocking the feedlot in the shortest possible time.



Updated Risk Matrix

Expanded Requirements for Risk Assessments

A documented risk assessment is now a core component of your Biosecurity Management Plan under the new NFAS rules. To help, we've created a practical NFAS Risk Matrix Template. It's pre-populated with common risk areas to get you started on identifying, assessing, and controlling biosecurity threats.



Feedlot Zones

Mapping Hot & Cold Zones on your Feedlot

Feedlot zones are separated into the hot zone which contains a majority of the feedlots production areas such as the livestock pens, induction areas, milling and machinery and the cold zone which contains areas such as staff car parks and lesser production areas.



Visitor Register

Visitor Risk Assessments

Some animal diseases are spread via fomites, meaning they can be transmitted through inanimate objects such as equipment or clothing. Therefore, all visitors must be recorded and screened to allow for effective trace back in the event of an animal disease outbreak.

5 STEP Biosecurity Plan Update

No need to over complicate things.
Here's a straightforward checklist to
help you get started.



**Book Your Free
Review**



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01

Review



Schedule a Biosecurity Plan Review.
We will examine your current plan
against the new standards.

02

Update Risk Matrix



Use our new Risk Matrix to list all
potential hazards and rate the risk for
each hazard.

03

EAD & DDD Plans



Document your EAD & DDD Action
plans.

04

Map Feedlot Zones



Map your feedlot into Hot & Cold Zones
that can be practically managed in the
event of an EAD incursion.

05

Implement



Train staff and integrate the new plan
into daily operations.



RISK PASS

How we can help

Meeting the new NFAS standards goes beyond updating a document; it's about embedding a culture of biosecurity into your daily operations. Risk Pass provides both the expert guidance to update your plan and the digital tools to implement it effectively, bringing confidence, consistency, and traceability to every corner of your feedlot.

Biosecurity Plan Review & Risk Assessment

We start by helping you build a rock-solid foundation. Our expert-led review process ensures your Biosecurity Management Plan is robust, practical, and fully compliant with the latest NFAS requirements.

- **Complimentary Consultation:** We begin with a 20-minute consultation to assess your current plan against the new standards.
- **Expert Drafting & Review:** Our team can facilitate the entire process of drafting and reviewing your plan, including your EAD and DDD strategies.
- **Risk Matrix Workshop:** Using our pre-populated NFAS Risk Matrix Template, we help you identify site-specific hazards, assess their risk levels, and document effective control measures.

Risk Pass Digital Solution

Our custom digital application turns your procedures into seamless daily actions, creating digital records for audits and supply chain partners. No logins, no downloads—just results.

- **Visitor Check-in & Screening:** Meet the new Visitor Register requirements with a digital, QR-code-based system that screens all visitors with biosecurity and WHS questionnaires before they enter.
- **Digital Site Inductions:** Ensure every staff member, contractor, and visitor is trained and educated on your site-specific rules, including animal welfare, biosecurity protocols, and designated feedlot zones.
- **Real-time Incident Reporting:** Empower your team to report biosecurity risks or WHS incidents instantly from anywhere on-site, with photos. This allows for a rapid response, crucial for EAD readiness.

Seamless Implementation & Full Support

We know you're busy, so we handle the heavy lifting. Unlike other systems, we do the hard work for you, creating a solution that is simple and practical for your business from day one.

- **We Manage the Conversation:** Placing Risk Pass at your front gate sets the tone for every visitor, contractor, and worker—creating an instant opportunity to discuss biosecurity and safety before they step on-site.

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- ✓ [NFAS Communication](#)



WHAT OUR CLIENTS SAY

"Risk Pass has set a new benchmark in feedlot compliance. Our auditor was genuinely impressed with the Risk Pass app, highlighting its alignment with the latest NFAS Biosecurity requirements. The platform's ability to centralise all our documents and reference materials—accessible to staff at the click of a button—has streamlined our operations and boosted confidence across the board. He even remarked that we're 'well ahead of the game.' Kudos to the Risk Pass team for delivering such a powerful tool. It's time to take this innovation industry-wide, and I'm more than happy to help make that happen."

KATIE LLOYD
Lloyd Pastoral Company Pty Ltd



Why Supply Chain Partners Love What We Do!



Demonstrates Compliance

Risk Pass demonstrates daily compliance to biosecurity & WHS.



Digital Records

Digital records can be used for traceability and timely response plans.



Transparency & Traceability

Ensure readiness for audits and traceability in the event of a biosecurity breach.



Meet LPA & NFAS Standards

We help feedlots meet LPA and NFAS standards for compliance assurance.

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