PHYSICAL BARRIERS BECOMING MANDATORY ON CANADIAN CHICKEN FARMS

Based on scientific literature and epidemiological reports on avian influenza infections, physical barriers will soon be required in the *Raised by a Canadian Farmer* On-Farm Food Safety Program (OFFSP).

- Flush to the floor
- Wall-to-wall
- Enough room for footwear and clothing change
- An appropriate height to be:
  - a visual reminder
  - a step-over, and
  - prevent organic matter movement from one side to the other
- Can't be located inside the grow out area





More information on the new requirement and timelines can be found at **chickenfarmers.ca/portal/physical-barriers-photo-library/**