

Poultry Health and Welfare Assessment

Matching: Match the term with its definition/description.

1. Animal Welfare	A. Rules established to guide practices
2. Disease	B. The provision for animals to be provided proper environments and management
3. Proposition	C. Doctor for animals
4. Regulation	D. Illness
5. Veterinarian	E. Political action voted upon to create or modify laws

T or F

1. _____ Animal Welfare is the avoidance of abuse and exploitation of animals by humans.
2. _____ Owners, veterinarians, and Government/Professional Associations or Organizations are responsible for animal health and welfare.
3. _____ Only state organizations are responsible for animal health and welfare, not the federal government.
4. _____ Induced molting, bird density, and food and water are the only issues under consideration in animal health and welfare.
5. _____ Health care concerns include antibiotics, vaccinations, and biosecurity.
6. _____ The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) is a federal governmental agency concerned with animal health and welfare.
7. _____ The National Poultry Improvement Plan provides certification that poultry and poultry product shipments are disease free.
8. _____ All guidelines for animal welfare for the poultry industry are established by the USDA.
9. _____ The USDA recommends Critical Control Points for Animal Welfare that include hatcheries, grower farms, and general care.
10. _____ The United Egg Producers (UEP) adopted guidelines for egg laying hens.
11. _____ The UEP guidelines were developed by an independent party of animal rights people.

12. _____ The National Chicken Council (NCC) developed the NCC Animal Welfare Guidelines and Audit Checklist.
13. _____ The National Turkey Federation (NTF) developed Humane Production Guidelines.
14. _____ “All Feather” refers only to birds with feathers, not to eggs.
15. _____ The California Poultry Federation has established standards for only broiler and broiler breeder operations.
16. _____ 99% of all California Egg Laying Hen Farms are corporation run.
17. _____ California farms produce 2/3 of the eggs consumed by Californians.
18. _____ Poultry producers do not consider the welfare of their animals.
19. _____ With the effects of Prop 2, only housing will change for the hens, and there will be no economic impact.
20. _____ With the effects of Prop 2, and estimated 76% increase in egg production costs will occur.
21. _____ Animal Agriculture Alliance helps consumers better understand the role of animal agriculture and safe, abundant food supply.