



27th Annual Animal Emergency Working Group (AEWG) Symposium

Date: Wednesday May 07, 2025 **Location:** Horse Park of New Jersey

626 Route 524 Allentown, NJ

Time: 9:00 am – 3:30 pm

AGENDA

9:00 am – 9:30 am Registration Morning refreshments served

9:30 am - 10:00 am Welcome- Opening remarks

10:00 am - 12:00 pm Presentation based Sessions: Focus on Biosecurity

Indoor Arena

- Zoonotic Disease Considerations in Emergency Animal Sheltering
 - > Dr. Darby McDermott, DVM, MPH, NJ State Public Health Veterinarian
- Biosecurity in the CART Shelter
 - Christine Seminerio, CVT, Garden State Animal Resource Team
- HPAI (Avian Influenza) disease situational awareness & Biosecurity Practices on Farm
 - Dr. Sasha Lisowski, DVM, MS, NJ Department of Agriculture Veterinarian

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm **Lunch**

Lunch provided at Pavillion

1:00 pm – 3:00 pm Practical Exercises

Pavillion/Indoor Arena

- PPE and hand hygiene games
- Mock shelter and isolation set-up exercise
- Practice appropriate use of Personal Protective Equipment

3:00 - 3:30 pm

Closing remarks

Indoor Arena

- Event evaluation
- Certificate distribution