



Influenza A H1N1 in pigs

Danish Veterinary and Food Administration



First finding of H1N1 in pigs in DK

- Samples submitted to lab for diagnostics from two independent herds
 - One due to pneumonia problems
 - One due to unspecific disease symptoms and impaired growth
- Seven contacts (personnel and animal) all without clinical signs
 - In one occasion signs of flu had been observed in some pigs shortly after transfer – otherwise no problems in the other farms.



Measures taken

- Herds have been placed under restrictions
 - No movement of live pigs
 - Healthy pigs may be sent for direct slaughter
- Restrictions is maintained until declaration from veterinary practitioner state that no signs of flu have been observed for at least seven days.