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Japan bans US poultry

JAPAN has temporarily suspended all imports of US poultry after officials confirmed that a chicken farm in Delaware had suffered verified cases of bird flu.

The US has become the 11th country to discover an outbreak of bird flu, although it is not a strain harmful to humans. The farm's workers slaughtered 12,000 birds.

Web links

- [Dept of Health - pandemic flu](#)

<http://www.dh.gov.uk/PolicyAndGuidance/EmergencyPlanning/PandemicFlu/fs/en>

- [WHO - Bird Flu fact sheet](#)
http://www.who.int/csr/don/2004_01_15/en/

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