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## Vietnam and China hit by new bird flu cases

VIETNAM and China reported new bird flu outbreaks in poultry yesterday, despite massive efforts to fight it, while Japan prepared to kill 180,000 birds due to a suspected outbreak.

China's latest outbreak - the fourth in three weeks - killed 8,940 chickens on 26 October in Liaoning province, east of Beijing.

### 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/](http://www.who.int/csr/don/2004_01_15/en/)

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