**OUR VISION:** Nationally recognised leaders in Animal Biosecurity and Animal Welfare

### OUTCOMES
- Enhance the health and safety of animals and products of animal origin
- Limit the spread of animal pests and diseases
- Protect and enhance animal welfare

### STRATEGIC PRIORITIES
- Surveillance and Intelligence
- Prevention, Preparedness, Response and Recovery
- Legislation
- Enforcement
- Education
- Continuous improvement

### WHAT WE WILL DO

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| Surveillance and Intelligence | - Strengthen the NSW Case Management Systems  
- Provide accessible and timely testing and reporting to enhance early detection  
- Streamline NSW export certification systems  
- Expand, enhance, regulate and enforce traceability systems for livestock |
| Prevention, Preparedness, Response and Recovery | - Enhance tools to improve intelligence, analysis and foresight  
- Increase epidemiology capacity and capability in NSW  
- Contribute to national horizon scanning |
| Legislation | - Adopt a One Health approach to managing terrestrial and aquatic animal pests and diseases  
- Prioritise terrestrial and aquatic animal pests and diseases using a risk based framework  
- Underpin legislation and policy decisions with evidence and risk based approaches |
| Enforcement | - Prevent and prepare for high-risk emergency animal disease (EAD) outbreaks  
- Respond to suspect and confirmed animal biosecurity hazards  
- Work in partnership to build industry capacity and capability to prevent and manage animal biosecurity risks |
| Education | - Implement modern and effective animal welfare laws  
- Improve the effectiveness of compliance and enforcement  
- Focus education efforts to improve knowledge, skills and compliance  
- Drive measurable improvements in animal welfare outcomes that are informed by science and community expectations |
| Continuous improvement | - Underpin policy and decisions with enhanced diagnostics, research and technology  
- Adopt a One Health approach to managing terrestrial and aquatic animal pests and diseases |

### HOW WE WILL DO IT

- **Innovative and collaborative workforce**
  Enhance and strengthen a curious and committed team of professionals

- **Scientific excellence**
  Underpin policy and decisions with enhanced diagnostics, research and technology

- **Strengthening Government Veterinary Service**
  Strengthen leadership and capacity in line with the OIE Performance of Veterinary Services (PVS) Action Plan

- **Shared responsibility**
  Work with stakeholders and partners to build capacity and capability

### Annual Action Plans
Provide the operational requirements for joint programs and projects