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ONGOING PROJECT

Resourcing, Supporting and Assessing Biosecurity in Nursery Production

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What's in it for you?

This project supports nursery growers to better identify, prepare for and respond to pest and disease threats – by providing up-to-date biosecurity resources, diagnostics and hands-on support.

It builds on previous levy investments to strengthen on-farm biosecurity and boost industry readiness.

What the project delivers

- New and updated pest management plans, fact sheets and contingency plans
- Content and imagery for the industry's Pest Identification Tool – pestid.com.au
- Diagnostics via Grow Help Australia, with grower-submitted samples
- Biosecurity webinars and in-person workshops across all states and territories

The project supports production nurseries with practical tools and targeted information to manage real-world pest risks.

So what? What's changed?

Building on the outcomes of NY15002, this project continues to fill key knowledge and resource gaps – especially as pest threats and market expectations evolve.

It ensures growers have better access to accurate diagnostics, consistent information and contingency planning tools – all essential for strong biosecurity practice on farm.



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Why this matters

Effective biosecurity starts with awareness and action.

This project helps growers identify threats early, respond with confidence and reduce the impact of incursions – protecting both individual businesses and the industry as a whole.

Learn more

👉 Get project updates at: www.horticulture.com.au/growers/help-your-business-grow/research-reports-publications-fact-sheets-and-more/ny20000