3 key principles to protect from Foot and Mouth Disease (FMD)

- Segregation
- Cleaning
- Disinfection
ACCESS:
Control and monitor visitor/personnel access to animal sheds.
VACCINATION:
Administer primary vaccination of 2 doses: first dose at 3-4 months age, and second dose 3-4 weeks later. Followed by regular vaccination every 6 months.
TRADE:
Always buy animals from reliable sources.
QUARANTINE:
Isolate newly bought animals for at least 2 weeks and observe their clinical behaviour.
ANIMAL HOUSING:
Clean animal shed frequently and maintain good hygiene.
TOOLS AND TROUGH:
Regularly clean feeding, watering troughs and other equipment.
PERSONAL HYGIENE:
Always wash your hands, shoes, clothing and tools after handling the animals.
SEPARATE:

Keep clean clothes, shoes and equipment separate from contaminated area and items.
DISINFECTION:
Always clean first, disinfect later. Use appropriate disinfectant as recommended by a veterinarian.