

## Avian Flu

Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly have been declared a regional Avian Influenza Area. Some dead birds have been found on Pentewan Beach. **Do not touch or pick up** any dead or visibly sick birds that you find. **Dead birds found on Pentewan Beach should be reported to Pentewan Sands 01726 843485, [info@pentewan.co.uk](mailto:info@pentewan.co.uk).**

### **Reporting dead wild birds in other areas**

You should call the Defra helpline (03459 33 55 77) if you find:

- one or more dead bird of prey or owl
- 3 or more dead gulls or wild waterfowl (swans, geese and ducks)
- 5 or more dead birds of any species

For the latest guidance from Cornwall Council click the link below

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/council-news/communities-and-housing/don-t-touch-dead-or-sick-birds-message-as-poultry-owners-reminded-to-reduce-risk-of-spreading-avian-flu/>