

Columbia Pacific NW Region Hatchery Biosecurity

(Interior Region 9)

- Hatchery Biosecurity Audits – Try to do monthly but at least quarterly
- Field Collection biosecurity Audits-
- Defined Zones of AIS and Pathogens: i.e. no fish from a Pos NZMS zone to a Neg zone
- Return fish to same watersheds
- Annual biosecurity training refreshers
- Try to only release or move fish within watersheds
- For translocation activities of ESA species, minimum 30 day quarantine before movement, but shoot for 90 day
- Goal is to have all Fish Health staff to go through HACCP certification to assist hatcheries
- Level 1 and 2 boat inspection certifications (mainly used for in house gear, including screw traps etc)