

OzFoodNet mission and aims

Mission

OzFoodNet's mission is to:

* investigate foodborne disease
* describe more effectively its epidemiology
* identify ways to minimise foodborne disease in Australia.

Aims

OzFoodNet aims to:

* investigate the epidemiology of foodborne diseases, conduct enhanced surveillance and collaborate on relevant studies
* collaborate nationally to coordinate investigations into foodborne disease outbreaks, particularly those that cross state, territory and country borders
* identify foods and commodities that cause human disease, providing relevant information to stakeholders, advocacy for policy development and implementation, and contributing to risk assessments
* contribute data to inform the estimation of the incidence and cost of foodborne disease in Australia
* develop and maintain skills and capacity for the epidemiological investigation of foodborne diseases.