# Example history collection template

From *Emergency animal diseases: A field guide for Australian veterinarians*.

## Summary of the problem

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| Observations | Details |
| Clinical signs observed |  |
| The progression of signs |  |
| Duration of displaying signs |  |
| How many have been affected |  |
| How many have died |  |
| How many were affected but recovered |  |
| How many were there in total (“at risk’) |  |
| Comments |  |

## Details of affected animal

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| Animal characteristics | Affected group (Y/N or totals) | Unaffected group (Y/N or totals) |
| Species |  |  |
| Breed |  |  |
| Sex |  |  |
| Age groups |  |  |
| Vaccination status |  |  |
| Recent management changes |  |  |
| Recent introductions |  |  |
| Other |  |  |
| Comment |  |

## Attachments

* Map of property showing where cases did and didn’t occur, livestock locations and numbers.
* Timeline showing the numbers of animals affected, dying animals, and any significant events.