



YOUTH EXHIBITION POULTRY ASSOCIATION (YEPA)

SCALEY LEG MITES

Below are examples of SEVER cases of SCALEY LEG MITES. This is how they can look without checking your chickens legs on a regular basis and beginning treatment immediately. The first sign is noticing raised scales on the legs and a dark (usually black) residue under the scales. There are many forms of treatment but the most common is to use Vaseline at least once weekly to smother the mites.. Washing the legs regularly also helps keep them healthy and the scales soft so treatment is more effective..



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