



White Castle is committed to working with our suppliers and other stakeholders to further industry wide best practices for all ingredients we purchase. Our goal is to work with our broiler chicken suppliers towards having our chickens meet the following Global Animal Partnership (GAP) standards by 2024:

- Transition to breeds of birds that demonstrate higher welfare outcomes
- Provide more space by reducing maximum stocking density
- Provide birds enriched environments including litter, lighting, and enrichment
- Process chickens in a manner that utilizes a multi-step-controlled atmosphere
- Demonstrate progress towards these standards via third party auditing.

We believe these standards reflect improved animal welfare outcomes. We are committed to working with our suppliers towards increasing availability and safeguarding consumer affordability. The path to achieving those objectives is still in development and some of the required technology is not commercially available on a broad basis at this time.