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## **GF- TADs for Asia and the Pacific Regional Strategy**



## **Purpose and Function of a regional strategy**

• Who is it for?

> The intended audience is important to identify before writing anything

#### • How will it be used?

> To understand GFTADs, As an advocacy tool, to monitor progress, etc.

#### • What should it contain?

Content & length

#### • How long should it last?

Reviewed every 5 years, with a longer term view, or just covering 5 years?



### What needs to be in the Regional Strategy?

- Explanation of the purpose and function of GFTADs
- Do we need a regional strategy that is different to a global strategy? If yes, why?
- Regional priorities, structures, governance systems.
- Tested methods of coordinating in Asia Pacific that can be utilized to strengthen regional GFTADs.
- Objectives and planned outcomes for Asia Pacific.
- Other things?



### What is the GF-TADs ?

- The Global Framework for the progressive control of Transboundary Animal Diseases (GF-TADs) is a joint FAO/OIE initiative, launched in 2004.
- At the regional level in Asia and the Pacific, the aim has been to enhance the prevention, detection and control of transboundary animal diseases (TADs) by providing a platform with the combined strengths of both international organizations working with their members (and partners?) to achieve agreed common objectives.



## What is unique about Asia and the Pacific ?

- Very large and diverse with quite complex cross border value chains.
- We have divided into 4 subregions, but in reality, there is no clear-cut delineation.
- There are many different organisations from all over the world working in the region on TADs and other animal health related topics.



#### **Regional Level Priority Diseases**

#### Priority diseases - Asia and the Pacific

	ASEAN (South East Asia)	SAARC (South Asia)	SPC (Pacific)	E. Asia
FMD	0	0	Preventative activities	0
Avian Influenza	0	0		0
Swine diseases (ASF, CSF, PRRS and PED)	0			0
PPR		0		0
Rabies	0	0		0



#### **GF-TADs: Sub-regional Structures**

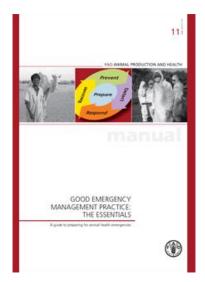




## **Cross-cutting Topics The reinforcement of Veterinary Services**

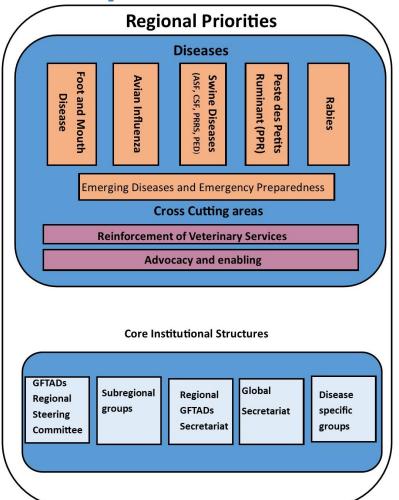
- The reinforcement of Veterinary Services is crosscutting a topic of the Global GF-TADs Action Plan
- The FAO and OIE have several useful tools that can help strengthen the veterinary services such as the OIE PVS Pathway and the FAO GEMP.







## What about Emerging diseases and Emergency Preparedness???





# Your feedback is needed