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Draft Agenda

Sub-Regional Workshop on Emergency Management		
DAY 1	Wednesday, 14 August 2024	
Time	Topic	Responsibility
8.45	Registration	
9.00	Opening remark by WOAHA Sub Regional Representative	Dr Ronello Abila
	Opening remark by Director General, Department of Livestock Development (DLD) or representative	Dr Somchuan Ratanamungklanon
9.15	Group photo	All
9.20	Agenda and objectives of the workshop	WOAH
9.30	Introduction of the participants	WOAH
Session 1	Introduction to the principles, concepts and systems managing emergencies	
9.45	Principles of emergency management: animal health, public health emergencies and disasters (terminology, concepts)	Expert
10.00	Regional overview of systems and frameworks to manage infectious transboundary and zoonotic disease threats	Expert/ WOAHA
10.15	Results of the questionnaire survey	WOAH
10.30	Questions and Answers (Q & A)	All
10.40	Coffee break cum VDO on impact of animal emergencies	
Session 2	Tools to improve emergency preparedness and response capacities and capabilities	
11.05	WOAH's tools to improve emergency management capacities and capabilities of Veterinary Services (WOAH standards, guidelines)	WOAH HQ
11.20	One health approach and tools to safeguard animal health, public health and environment (Quadripartite OH JPA, JRA)	Partner
11.35	Introduction to Emergency Preparedness Response Tool	WOAH
11.50	Questions and Answers (Q & A)	All
12.00	Discussions: Emergency management concepts and tools	All
12.15	Lunch	
Session 3	Application of emergency management principles and tools in practice - I	
	Prevention	
13.15	Enabling environment for Prevention: Policy, regulatory, institutional framework and private sector partnerships	Member
13.30	Prioritising risks: application of risk analysis approach to prevent the infectious disease incursion	Member
13.45	Questions and Answers (Q & A)	All

13.55	Group exercise and plenary: Challenges and opportunities of preventing opportunities	All
15.00	Coffee break	
Session 4	Application of emergency management principles and tools in practice - II	
	Early warning	
15.30	Epidemic Intelligence from Open-Source Initiative (EIOS): early detection, verification, assessment and communication	WOAH
15.45	Animal health information System to strengthen early warning system	Member
16.00	Importance of early detection to tackle emergencies	Member
16.15	Questions and Answers (Q & A)	All
16.30	Poster walk	All
17.25	Close of the day	
18.30	Dinner	
DAY 2	Thursday, 15 August 2024	
9.00	Recap of Day 1	
Session 5	Application of emergency management principles and tools in practice - III	
	Preparedness	
9.10	Preparation in peacetime: contingency planning and resource mobilisation	Member
9.25	Laboratory preparedness to prepare for an emergency	Partner
9.40	Questions and Answers (Q & A)	All
9.50	Group exercise	All
10.30	Coffee break	
11.00	Plenary	
Session 6	Application of emergency management principles and tools in practice - IV	
	Response and recovery	
11.20	Emergency vaccination planning and implementation for Rabies	Member
11.35	One health response to Avian Influenza	Member
11.50	African Horse Sickness: Recovery of the official disease-free status	Member
12.05	Questions and Answers (Q & A)	All
12.15	Lunch	
13.15	Group exercise	All
14.00	Plenary	All
Session 7	Horizontal theme 1	
	Risk communication	
14.15	Strategies for effective risk communication during peacetime, emergency and post emergency phase	Member
14.30	Tips of managing rumour, misinformation, disinformation and media in emergencies	WOAH
14.45	Questions and Answers (Q & A)	All
14.55	Group exercise and plenary	All
15.30	Coffee break	
16.00	Plenary	
Session 8	Horizontal theme 2	
	Capacity building	
16.15	Good Emergency Management Practice (GEMP)	Partner
16.20	Enhancing capacities of the veterinary workforce	Member
16.35	Simulation Guidelines – introduction – how to run simulation exercise	All
17.20	Questions and Answers (Q & A)	All
17.30	Close of the day	

DAY 3	Friday, 16 August 2024	
9.00	Recap of Day 2	
Session 9	Horizontal theme 3	
9.15	Joint outbreak investigation and responses (surge capacities and resource mobilisation in the sub-region)	WOAH
9.30	Emergency management: emerging theme and future	Expert /WOAH
9.45	World café and plenary with Panel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Animal welfare during emergencies - Public Private Partnerships - Use of innovations and technology (<i>stakeholder, data management, cyber security, online trade, cross border</i>) - Cross Cross-cutting issues (foresight, <i>One Health approach Gender, environment, climate change</i>) 	All
Session 10	Next steps and summary	
11.30	Next steps / follow up Plenary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How to enhance external coordination amongst Members and partners - Sub regional emergency management network - Action plan (recommendations) 	WOAH
12.00	Close of the workshop	WOAH
12.15	Lunch	