Integrating Biodiversity and Health: Insights from the IPBES Nexus Assessment and One Health Approaches in Asia and the Pacific

Webinar, 22 May 2025, 10:00 – 11:30 AM Bangkok (12:00 – 1:30 PM Tokyo)

Agenda

10:00	Welcome and Opening Remarks Moderated by: Ms. Yujeong Kim and Ms. Makiko Yashiro, UNEP Ms. Marlene Nilsson, Deputy Regional Director for Asia and the Pacific, UNEP
10:05	Overview of the IPBES Nexus Assessment Prof. Thijs Kuiken, Erasmus University, Lead Author, IPBES Nexus Assessment
10:15	Connecting Biodiversity and Health: Findings from the IPBES Nexus Assessment Serge Morand, Ph.D., Research Director, French National Centre for Scientific Research, Lead Author of the Nexus Assessment
10:30	Global Action Plan on Biodiversity and Health Ms. Marianela Araya Quesada, CBD Secretariat
10:40	Implementing One Health in the Asia-Pacific Region Lesa Thompson, Ph.D., World Organisation for Animal Health (WOAH)
10:50	Sub-regional perspectives and experience on One Health approach in addressing biodiversity-health linkages Moderated by: Ms. Sally Jane Edwards, World Health Organization (WHO) Mr. Oliver Agoncillo, ASEAN Centre for Biodiversity (ACB) Mr. Jope Davetanivalu, Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP)
11:15	Q&A All speakers
11:25	Closing Remarks Scott Newman, Ph.D., Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)