

Regional Workshop for WOAHA Focal Points for Aquatic Animals July 7– 9, 2026 | Tokyo, Japan

Recap of Day 1

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Name of the speaker (add)

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Position of speaker (add)



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Huge work - 22 presentations and activities - 4 sessions

- Session 1 : Introduction
 - objectives : Enhanced technical capacity, Strengthened regional networks, Improved readiness and collaboration, Greater engagement (PVS, ...), Consensus-based regional priorities
 - Pre-workshop e-learning evaluation
 - WOAH Gedsi strategy





Session 2 : standards and application

- WOAH standards setting process :
→ major role of members and FP
- Code and Manual updates and work in Progress
- Illustrations : case studies



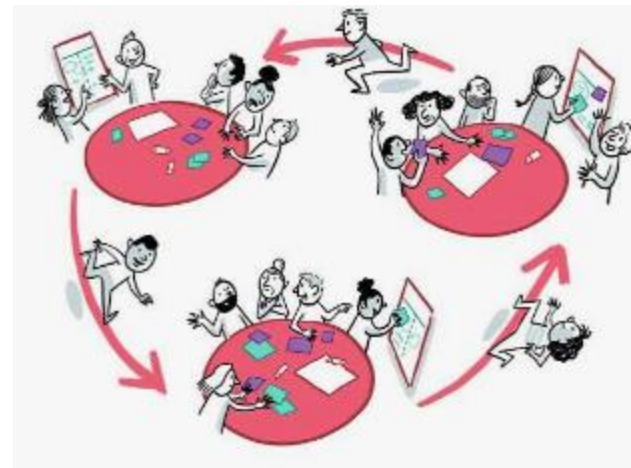
→ WOAH standards “alive”, to be applied and answer to members’ needs





Session 3 : Regional challenges and partners

- World café : 4 topics
 - surveillance and diagnostic,
 - Notification/WAHIS
 - Biosecurity
 - other challenges
- Non-member Pacific countries initiatives / PVS
- Collaborative centre, TUMSAT and partners (NACA, JICA, SAARC)





Session 4 : Synthesis and prioritization

- Numerous challenges identified
- 3 priorities by member for each topic

→ Work to be continued to find solutions to address those challenges





THANK YOU VERY MUCH

For this great and productive First day

- ↗ technical capacity 
- Networking 
- Collaboration 
- Regional priorities 

And the wonderful welcoming dinner

