

(Preliminary as of 19 May) workshop programme:

OIE Virtual Awareness Raising Workshop on Veterinary Workforce and VPPs

Session 1: Opening session on Veterinary Workforce and VPPs in Asia and the Pacific			
General audience (all participants)			
Date: Thursday 10 June, 07H30 (CET, Paris) / 12H30 (Bangkok) / 14H30 (Tokyo)			
Aim of Session 1			
- Stakeholders are oriented to the importance of workforce development and, where appropriate, to the enabling factors for the successful integration of VPPs into the veterinary workforce			
Time(Tokyo)	Topic	Learning Objectives	Facilitator /Presenter
14:30	Opening remarks VIDEO		Dr Monique Eloit, OIE Director General
14:35	Introduction to the workshop		Dr Maho Urabe, Regional Veterinary Officer, OIE Regional Representation for Asia and the Pacific
14:45	Brief introduction to the OIE PDF / VIDEO	Become familiar with the goals and remit of the OIE	Dr Hirofumi Kugita, OIE Regional Representative for Asia and the Pacific
14:55	Overview of the Performance of Veterinary Services (PVS) Pathway and the OIE Training Platform PDF / VIDEO	Become familiar with OIE Capacity Building services, in particular the PVS Pathway and OIE Training Platform	Barbara Alessandrini Head of Capacity Building Department, OIE
15:05	Workforce assessment and development – why workforce planning is important PDF / VIDEO	Reflect on approaches for assessing workforce needs and developing a skilled, sustainable veterinary workforce	Dr David Sherman, Programme Coordinator, Capacity Building Department, OIE

15:25	<p>Presentation of regional veterinary workforce survey results PDF / VIDEO</p> <p>Member presentations (Bangladesh) PDF / VIDEO (Philippines) PDF / VIDEO</p>	<p>Understand the commonalities, trends, strengths and areas for development of the enabling environment for VPPs in the Asia and Pacific regions</p> <p>Gain knowledge of veterinary workforce structure, roles, successes and challenges from two Members</p>	<p>Dr Miftahul Barbaruah, VPP expert</p> <p>Dr. Pallab Kumar Dutta, Deputy Director of Human Resource Development, Department of Livestock Services, Bangladesh</p> <p>Dr. Janice Garcia, Veterinarian III, Bureau of Animal Industry, Philippines</p>
16:00	Q&A on Workforce development		
16:05	Short break		
16:10	<p>Veterinary legislation PDF / VIDEO</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Understand the role, relevance and principles of veterinary legislation - Understand why legislation around veterinary practice is important - Discuss the importance of defining roles and relationships of VPPs/CAHWs in veterinary legislation - Know how to access and use the OIE sample legislation 	Dr Julia Rogers, VLSP expert
16:25	<p>Veterinary regulation (Dr Julia) PDF / VIDEO (Prof Achariya) PDF / VIDEO</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Understand the role, purpose and functioning of a VSB - Discuss differences between a VSB and vet/VPP association - Become familiar with the ASEAN VSB Network (AVSBN) 	<p>Dr Julia Rogers, VLSP expert</p> <p>Prof Achariya Sailasuta, Chair of AVSBN</p>
16:40	Q&A on veterinary legislation and regulation		

16:45	VPP Education PDF/ VIDEO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Gain an understanding of training provision in the animal health sector and understand the differences between veterinarian and VPP training - Become familiar with the OIE Competency and Curricula guidelines for vets and VPPs 	Dr Rowland Cobbold, VPP Expert
17:00	Q&A on VPP Education		
17:05	Networking session in small groups	Meet and greet between participants	All
17:20	Remarks on upcoming workshops	Understand the aims and procedures for the upcoming thematic sessions and final closing session	OIE
17:25 - 17:30	Closing remarks		Ronello Abila, OIE Sub-Regional Representative for South East Asia (SRR SEA)