



Regional Seminar for OIE National Focal Points for Veterinary Products (4th Cycle)

Beirut, Lebanon, 7-9 November 2017

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

DAY 1	Tuesday 7 November 2017	
Time	Theme	Speaker
08:30 - 09:00	Registration	OIE RR
<i>The session until the COFFEE BREAK is intended mainly for NEW Focal Points who have not yet attended to any previous training, but is open for ALL.</i>		
09:00 - 09:15	Short introduction by participants Objectives of the 4th cycle	G. Yehia OIE Regional Representation for the Middle East (OIE RR ME) M. Szabó Science and New Technologies Department (OIE SNTD)
09:15 - 09:45	General presentation of the OIE, including OIE A-Z and Video WAHIS	G. Yehia
09:45 - 10:15	History of Focal Point seminars and Terms of Reference for OIE Focal Points for Veterinary Products	M. Szabó
10:30 - 11:00	Official opening <i>for ALL participants</i>	
	The Dean of the University of Saint Joseph The Rector of the University of Saint Joseph The OIE Regional Representation for the Middle East A short video on OIE The Director General of Ministry of Agriculture The Minister of Agriculture	Dr Maya Kharrat Pere Salim Daccache Dr. Ghazi Yehia Eng. Louis Lahoud H. Excellency Ghazi Zateir
11:00 - 13:00	<i>Coffee Break and visit to the Exhibition Hall</i>	
13:00 - 14:00	<i>Group photo and Lunch</i>	
Veterinary Medicinal Products		
14:00 - 14:20	Good Governance with emphasis on veterinary medicinal products	OIE Collaborating Centre
14:20 - 14:40	OIE activities to support Good Governance (update on PVS, legislation missions, veterinary educational establishments)	H. Aidaros
14:40 - 15:00	OIE standards and guidelines relevant to veterinary medicinal products	M. Szabo

15:00 - 15:30	Discussion	All
15:30 - 15:50	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
Registration / Authorisation of Veterinary Medicinal Products		
15:50 - 16:10	VICH general principles and update on Outreach Forum activities; and update of the next upcoming Public Conference	OIE Collaborating Centre
16:10 - 17:00	Overview of registration / authorisation system of drugs and vaccines in Member Countries in the region, Forum of Discussions	All Discussion lead by the OIE SNTD M. Szabó
17:00 - 17:20	Industry perspective and experience of registration / authorisation system of drugs and vaccines in the Middle East	P. Sabot HealthforAnimals
20:00 - 22:00	<i>Welcome diner hosted by the OIE</i>	

DAY 2	Wednesday 8 November 2017	
Time	Theme	Speaker
Antimicrobial use and resistance		
09:00 - 09:30	Video on Antimicrobial Resistance	OIE Collaborating Centre
09:30 - 09:50	The WHO Global Action plan and follow-up	Mark Henninger
09:50 - 10:10	OIE AMR Strategy, One Health Concept and Tripartite activities	M.Szabo
10:10 - 10:30	Implementation of a national action plan and international standards, especially with regard to responsible and prudent use of antimicrobial	Dr Safwet Abdelhameed-Egypt
10:30 - 11:10	Country experiences in antimicrobial use and resistance control - Saudi Arabia - Jordan, Lebanon	Mohammed Alarifi Shouroq Fawaraa Abeer Seirawan
11:10 - 11:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
11:30 - 11:50	Introduction to the OIE collection of quantitative data on the use of antimicrobial agents	M. Szabo
11:50 - 12:10	Result of the second phase of the OIE collection of quantitative data, replies to the OIE questionnaire challenges, lessons learned and expectations	D. Gochez
12:10 - 12:30	Importance of antiparasitics and lack of effective drugs for parasitic diseases in animal health and production in The Middle East	C.Hilane
12:30 - 13:30	<i>Lunch</i>	
13:30 - 15:30	Working Group Session : OIE data collection template and reporting options for monitoring the use of antimicrobials in animals by OIE Member States	Working Groups (facilitated by the Collaborating Centre and OIE staff)
15:30 - 15:50	<i>Coffee Break</i>	

15:50 - 16:20	Reports from the Working Groups – Members' challenges and future needs Discussion	Working Groups All
Quality of veterinary drugs		
16:20 - 16:40	Discussion on possible strategies and needs	All
16:40 - 17:00	The use of Prohibited Substances in sport horses	G.Yehia
17:00 - 17:20	Proper use of veterinary products –case study	Mohamed Radwan Abdeen
19:00 - 21:00	<i>Dinner hosted by Ministry of Agriculture</i>	

DAY 3	Thursday 9 November 2017	
Time	Theme	Speaker
Quality of veterinary drugs		
09:00 - 09:20	How to ensure the quality of veterinary medicinal products?	C.Lambert OIE CC
09:20 - 09:40	Experience from Industry concerning veterinary medicines	P. Sabot Health for Animals
09:40 - 10.00	Discussion	
Conclusion		
10:00 - 10:30	Achievements and future perspectives	M. Szabó
10:30 - 11:00	Closing ceremony and attendance certificate awarding	MoA/OIE
13:00 -14:30	<i>LUNCH</i>	