

AGENDA

Joint meeting of CVO/CMO/HSC on Influenza Preparedness in the context of One Health

23 and 24 October Brussels (Salle Schuman in the Berlaymont)

Background – Preparing for the worst

The meeting will address the EU's enhanced preparedness for the next epidemic waves of animal and human influenza focusing on cooperation. The current worrying epidemiological situation for influenza in humans and animals in the EU, as well as the global threat, prompts for more coordination. A collaborative approach for risk assessment by EFSA and ECDC engaging supranational organisations (OIE, FAO, WHO) fosters synergies and enables exchanging scientific expertise and experience. Vaccination in humans and animals including vaccine development and authorisations will be discussed. Coordination of preparedness and response within the EU structures on serious cross-border health and animal health crisis systems shall make the One-Health approach operational and improve risk management in times of crisis.

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14:00 Coffee

14:30 Introduction

Introduction – Commissioner Andriukaitis

14:45 Understanding the risk in a holistic manner (includes coffee break)

A Global perspective of the flu threat – [WHO](#), [FAO](#), [OIE \[OFFLU\]](#)

[Life at the zoonotic influenza interface –how do we map what is out there and the risk – EURL for avian influenza? - EURL AI](#)

[From seasonal influenza to pandemic preparedness in the EU – ECDC](#)

[The global threat of avian influenza, the G7 Conference – CVO of IT](#)

[Avian influenza risk assessment in the EU – EFSA](#)

[Avian influenza risk management in the EU, experience on AI in a Member State with specific risk – CVO of NL](#)

DISCUSSION

17:30 Vaccination

Vaccination (animals and humans)

- [The EU Joint Procurement mechanism - example of pandemic influenza vaccines – SANTE C3](#)
- Promoting vaccination in [animals](#) and in [humans](#) – SANTE C and G

DISCUSSION

18:30 End of today's session

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09:00 Flu coordination

[Coordination of preparedness and response within the EU structures on serious cross-border health threats – SANTE C3](#)

[Experience building synergies – UK DCMO](#)

DISCUSSION

09:40 Sharing Information (includes coffee break)

[Notification and reporting systems – SANTE G3](#)

[Sharing data and information – P. Willeberg, former DK CVO](#)

[Data sharing instruments: example – CVO of DE](#)

DISCUSSION

10:20 Communication

[Communication - S. Kerba, Health Communication strategist](#)

DISCUSSION

10:50 Wrapping up

Elements for a constructive operational One Health way forward - SANTE

GENERAL DISCUSSION

Conclusions/recommendations - Enhancing flu preparedness in the EU in the context of One Health – SANTE DDG1

12:00 End of the Joint meeting of CVO/CMO/HSC on Influenza Preparedness in the context of One Health

12:00 – 13:00 Update on the follow-up to the fipronil incident