



Regional approach: Portugal–Spain FMD Simulation Exercise

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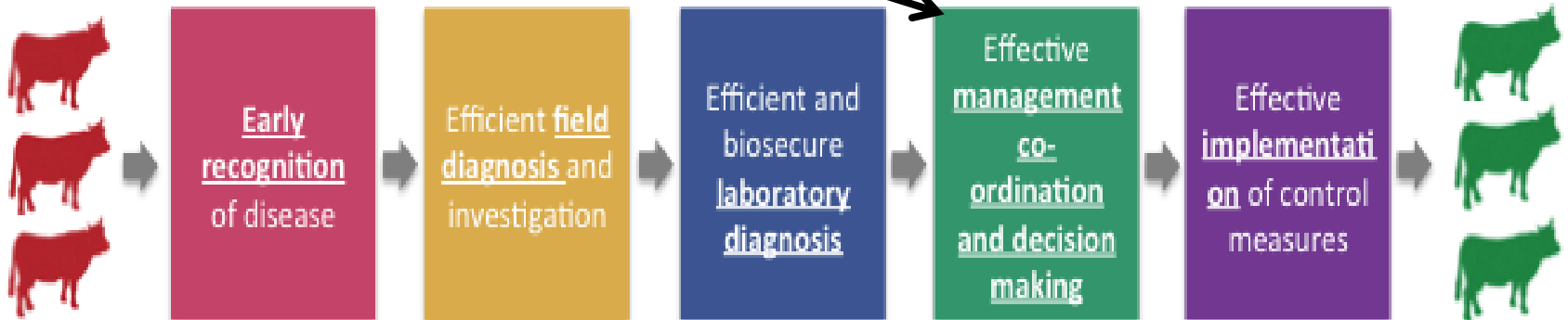
Jerez de los Caballeros – Reguengos de Monsaraz, 12-14 March 2019

PAFF Committee, 8-9 June 2019



Framework

Course	Response area	Training credits	Ranking of priorities 1 to 5 -where 1 is top priority (only for workshops)	Number of places requested	Total credits allocated
12) Regional Training Approach		2 training credits for country			



Preparation

Coordination and support: EUFMD

Participants: 64 vets from administration of Spain and Portugal
and **4 private veterinarians** from Portugal

Tutors: 2 EUFMD staff - Rodrigo Nova, Maria de La Puente
2 official veterinarians from Spain and Portugal
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Organizers

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Portugal: Patrícia Clemente, M^a José Marques Pinto,
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Main objectives

→ Update knowledge

FMD current worldwide situation

Promote contact and exchange of points of view between Spanish and Portuguese Official Veterinary Services
Open communication and collaboration channels and protocols operational manuals

FMD control and eradication measures to be applied in case of an outbreak
+ emergency vaccination

→ Train

Test and improve respective FMD national contingency plans in case deficiencies are detected

Train proper **biosecurity measures**

Train all activities involved in suspicion or outbreak of FMD

12.03.2019 – Jerez de los Caballeros

The event

Opening Session



- Mayor of Jerez de los Caballeros
- Director General of Agriculture and Livestock of Extremadura
- Deputy Director of Gen. Directorate of Animal Health, Hygiene and Traceability of MAPA
- Head of Animal Protection Unit of DGAV

13.03.2019 – Farm at Badajoz



Preparation for sampling

13.03.2019 – Farm at Badajoz

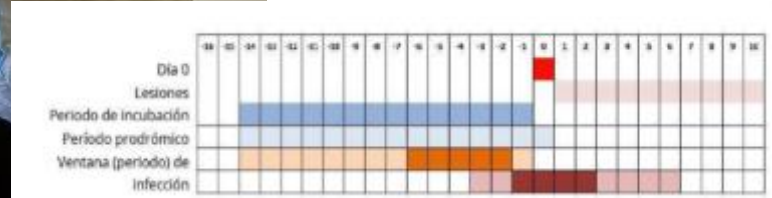
Clinical examination and sampling



13.03.2019 – Farm at Badajoz



Interview of farmer
& epidemiological
enquiry



Biosecurity at farm exit





13.03.2019 – Farm at Reguengos de Monsaraz



Using the protection equipment



Preparation of disinfection point
at entry

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Clinical examination and register



Samples collection



Preparing samples for transport





Epidemiological enquiry and visit to the farm to check biosecurity



Census of materials to be destroyed and filling the forms for compensation



13.03.2019 – Farm at Reguengos de Monsaraz

Planning humane killing



Planning safe disposal and destruction of biologic materials



Working groups

14.03.2019 – Jerez de los Caballeros



Ejercicio de simulación de foco de Fiebre Aftosa
Exercício de simulação de foco de Febre Aftosa
(EUFMD / PT / ES) 12.03.2019 – Jerez de los Caballeros



THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

General conclusions

- The overall outcome of the exercise was very positive in the view of all participants and coordinators.
- The level of intervention of each participation was very high and the exercises were worked out thoroughly and in detail, with very interesting inputs made by the participants who demonstrated a high level of experience and ability to team work on the proposed tasks.
- The communication within and between the groups was very fluid and constructing and there were very interesting moments of plenary discussion.
- Protocols and procedures from both countries were shared