





# Standing Group of Experts on Lumpy Skin Disease in South East Europe

under the GF-TADs umbrella

SGE LSD9

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**Report for Croatia** 

# Lumpy Skin Disease occurrence in 2019

LSD outbreaks reported in 2019 (From 01/01/2019 until --/--/2019) **Period of occurrence Number of** Region From outbreaks (date of 1st outbreak) ( date of latest outbreak) No outbreak



# Lumpy Skin Disease Vaccination in 2019

Vaccination has been ceased from 2018



### Lumpy Skin Disease surveillance in 2019

#### Type of surveillance implemented

(i.e. active, passive, clinical/serological/virological, please provide short description)

- Surveillance is implemented for the purpose of freedom maintanance and early detection of LSD infection
- Passive and active surveillance is implemented
- Passive surveillance based on clinical suspicion: virological (serological) testing of suspect animal
- Active surveillance monthly (June October) clinical examinations in risk area – on each holding - up to 3 bovine animals on each holding -150 bovine animals in total
- Risk area assessed according to available epidemiological data:
  - Municipality Konavle Dubrovnik-Neretva county
- Active surveillance serological testing of 1000 randomly selected nonvaccinated bovine animals at the end of at risk period – ongoing
  - Freedom maintenance

# Lumpy Skin Disease <u>surveillance in 2019</u>

	Number examined	Outcome
Number of <u>LSD suspicions</u> investigated	1	
Number of <u>holdings</u> subject to LSD clinical examination	25	Neg
Number of <u>animals</u> subject to LSD clinical examination	150	
Number of Samples subject to LSD serology (e.g. ELISA, SNT other)	1000	On-going
Number of Samples subject to LSD virological tests (e.g. PCR, other)	1	Neg
Comments – other info (if any)	One suspect bovine animal in consignment sent for direct slaughter from Hungary	

## Lumpy Skin Disease planning for 2020

(e.g. LSD vaccination/surveillance, if any)

Vaccination not planned
Surveillance similar as in 2019

