

GF-TADs

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TRANSBOUNDARY ANIMAL DISEASES



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Session on rabies surveillance

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Report by Bulgaria

Rabies epidemiological situation

- **Last year of occurrence of Rabies in domestic animals :**
2010
3 dogs, 1 cat
Vratsa, Veliko Tarnovo and Shumen regions (North Bulgaria)
- **Last year of occurrence of Rabies in wildlife :**
2014
Foxes
Blagoevgrad region (South-west Bulgaria)
- **Last year of occurrence of Rabies in humans :**
1994
- **Last year of occurrence of imported Rabies cases:**
n/a



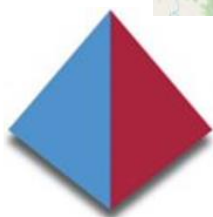
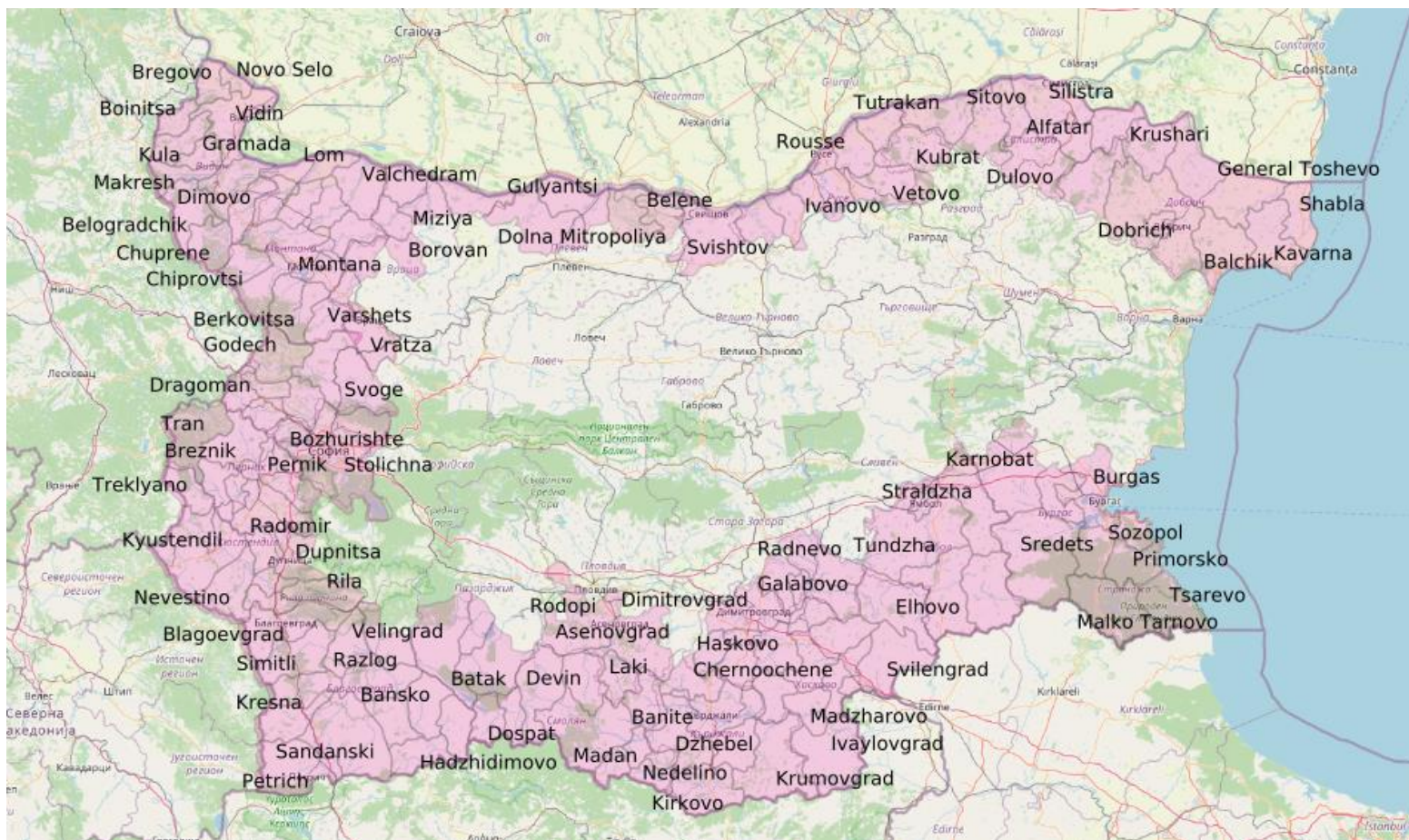
Oral rabies vaccination

Year*	Campaign carried out		Spring campaign		Autumn campaign		Area covered (please mark with X as appropriate)	
	YES	NO	Start Date	End Date	Start Date	End Date	Whole country	Other (please describe)
2010	yes		27.05.2010	10.06.2010	Not carried out	Not carried out		19 regions
2011	yes		20.04.11	25.05.2011	Not carried out	Not carried out		19 regions
2012	yes		07.06.2012	27.06.2012	06.11.2012	15.12.2012		20 regions
2013	yes		17.04.2013	02.05.2013	21.10.2013	20.11.2013		20 regions
2014	yes		23.04.2014	28.06.2014	01.12.2014	23.01.2015.		22 regions
2015	yes		28.06.2015	08.07.2015	06.11.2015 -	30.11.2015		16 regions
2016	yes		5.03.2016	28/03/2016	19.10.2016	14.11.2016		16 regions
2017	yes		18.04.2017	03.05.2017	28/10/2017	07/12/2017		16 regions
2018	yes		15/06/2018	30/06/2018	05/11/2018	06/12/2018		23 regions
2019	yes		22/03/2019	07/04/2019	05/11/2019	04/12/2019		23 regions
2020	yes		01/05/2020	05/05/2020	15/09/2020	27/09/2020		23 regions
2021		no	no	no	no	no	-	-
2022		no	no	no	tbc	tbc	-	-

Standing Group of Experts under the GF-TADs umbrella

Map of the last vaccination area

Only needed if it is not the whole country

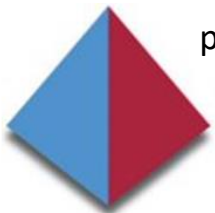


Surveillance

Year	Number of tested animals (active surveillance)	
	Negative	Positive
2017	3384	0
2018	2376	0
2019	1992	0
2020	2005	0
2021	2349	0

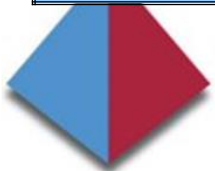
Year	Number of tested animals (passive surveillance)	
	Negative	Positive
2017	159	0
2018	133	0
2019	143	0
2020	176	0
2021	234	0

- Passive surveillance: tests performed in suspect and dead animals
- Active surveillance: tests performed in healthy hunted animals in the frame of the monitoring programme to verify effectiveness of vaccination



Plans for 2022

	YES	NO	NOT SURE	YES UNDER CONDITIONS <i>(please describe)</i>	Area	Period /dates	Comments
VACCINATION							
ORV Campaign 2022			planned				
Spring campaign			<u>not carried out</u>				
Autumn campaign			planned				
SURVEILLANCE							
Passive surveillance	X						
Active surveillance <i>(like the one accompanying all ORV)</i>	if applicable						
Other type of active surveillance (please describe)			X				



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ORV Campaign			planned				
Spring campaign			planned				
Autumn campaign			planned				
SURVEILLANCE							
Passive surveillance	X						
Active surveillance <i>(like the one accompanying all ORV)</i>			X				
Other type of active surveillance <i>(please describe)</i>			X				

