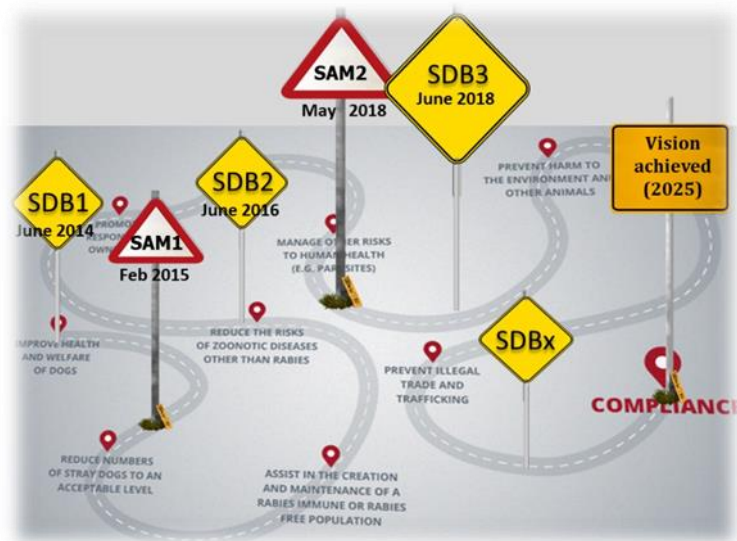




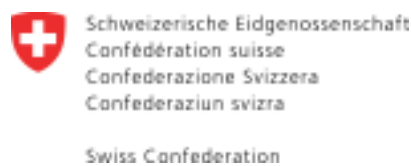
Improving animal welfare in Europe by empowering Veterinary Services to take action in compliance with OIE standards

Third OIE Regional Workshop on Stray Dog population management for Balkan countries (SDB3) Belgrade, Serbia – 13-15 June 2018

Workshop objective: to assist countries in achieving full compliance with OIE standard on stray dog population control (and rabies) by 2025, with a specific focus on how to elaborate a national dog population control programme (with a rabies component).



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Day 1: Wednesday 13 June 2018

Time	Topic	Speaker
08:30 – 9:00	Registration of participants	
09:00 – 09:15	Inauguration and Opening	Serbia Officials; OIE
Session 1 – Setting the scene session		
09:15 – 9:30	Plenary lecture - OIE new developments on Animal Welfare	L Stuardo (OIE, by TC)
09:30 – 9:45	Plenary lecture - OIE / WHO Global Framework and Global Strategic Plan to the elimination of dog mediated rabies	T. Grudnik (OIE)
9:45 – 10:00	Plenary lecture - OIE Platform for Animal Welfare in Europe – New development since 2016	N. Leboucq (OIE)
10:00 – 10:30	Country experience - Best practice in promotion of OIE standards for stray dog management by non-governmental organizations involved in animal welfare and local economic development	T. Causevic (NALED, Serbia)
10:30 – 10:45	<i>Coffee break</i>	
10:45 – 11:30	QUIZZ - Reminders on Chapter 7.7	N. Leboucq / All
Session 2 – Understanding country's situation and progress since 2016		
11:30 – 12:30	Countries presentation (15 min per country)	Albania; Bosnia and Herzegovina; Bulgaria; Croatia; Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia; Greece;
12:30 – 13:30	<i>Lunch break</i>	
13:30 – 15:15	Countries presentation (15 min per country)	Kosovo*; Montenegro; Romania; Serbia; Turkey
15:15 – 15:30	Plenary discussion	All
15:30 – 16:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	
16:00 – 17:00	Plenary lecture - Results of the second self-assessment (regional trends) and remaining gaps to achieve the Vision	T. Grudnik
17:00 – 18:30	Individual country interviews (30 minutes /country) Group 1: Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria Group 2: Croatia, Kosovo*, Greece	Moderators: Group 1: T. Grudnik, Group 2: N. Leboucq, P. Dalla Villa
19:00	<i>Dinner offered by the OIE</i>	

Day 2: Thursday 14 June 2018

Time	Topic	Speaker
Session 3 – Developing a national Programme		
9:00	Opening and presentation of the day 2 agenda	Chair
09:00 – 10:45	RAWC Workshop – Dog population counting survey and setting indicators for dog population management	RAWC Trainers
10:45 – 11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	
11:00 – 11:25	Country experience – “Creating evidence-based dog population management programme at local level: results of the first comprehensive baseline research in one municipality of Serbia”	J. Ilic (ORCA, Serbia)
11:25 – 11:45	Plenary lecture - Establishing a stray dog Advisory Group	P. Dalla Villa (OIE Collaborating Center IZSAM)

11:45 – 12:15	Plenary lecture - Presentation of the Template on the national Action Plan	N. Leboucq / Stray dog 'Task Force'
12:15 – 12:30	Plenary discussion	All
12:30 – 13:30	<i>Lunch break</i>	
Session 4 – Addressing specific country needs		
13:30 – 15:00	Working Group exercise – Using the Template to develop the national Action Plan (challenges and deadlines) - presentation - working group - reporting (15 minute per group)	OIE / All
15:00 – 15:15	<i>Coffee break</i>	
15:15 – 17:15 (<i>topics proposed by countries</i>)	Plenary lecture - <u>Topic 1</u> : Identification and registration of dogs (establishment of a national database)	Paolo Dalla Villa
	Plenary lecture — <u>Topic 2</u> : Assessing Animal Welfare in shelters	Paolo Dalla Villa
	Plenary lecture - <u>Topic 3</u> : Assessment of dog aggression-test on socialization of dogs (with focus on stray dogs)	Brian Faulkner (Stray Animal Solutions, UK)
	Plenary discussion	
17:15 – 18:45	Individual country interviews (30 minutes /country) Group 3: FYROM, Montenegro, Romania Group 4: Serbia, Turkey	Moderators: Group 3: N. Leboucq, Group 4: T. Grudnik
19:00	<i>Dinner offered by the OIE</i>	

Day 3: Friday 15 June 2018

Time	Topic	Speaker
Session 4—Addressing specific country needs (continuation)		
9:00 – 12:30	Field visit – Belgrade Shelter - Assessing Animal Welfare in shelters	All
12:30 – 13:30	<i>Lunch break</i>	
Session 5 – Implementation and evaluation of the OIE Campaign		
13:30 -14:15 (<i>topics proposed by countries</i>)	Plenary lecture - <u>Topic 4</u> : Establishing a register of dog breeders and control of movement of dogs	Elke Vleugels (Belgium)
14:15 – 14:45	Round table - The implementation of the OIE Campaign (Achievements and Challenges)	All
14:45 – 15:15	Plenary discussion - List of relevant indicators	All
15:15 – 15:45	Plenary discussion - 2018 World Rabies Day – What could be done?	All
Session 6 – Closing session		
15:45 – 16:00	QUIZZ - Satisfaction survey	All
16:00 – 16:15	Closing remarks – Next steps	OIE; OIE Delegate Serbia