Thematic regional webinar for Animal Welfare National Focal Points in Europe

19th December 2023
Slaughter of animals

- Training materials
- Cascading activities
- Trainings (ToT)

18 countries
3 sessions
33 Trainers trained

Revision of the Chapter
Scientific and scope updates
New training materials and dissemination
Implementation and impact
Training materials

- 11 training modules
- Set of group work exercises
- Technical Note

- Introduction to animal welfare
- Behaviour of farm animals
- Animal handling
- Loading and transport of animals
- Arrival to the slaughterhouse and ante-mortem inspection
- Lairages, design and care for animals in lairages
- Restraint
- Mechanical stunning and bleeding of cattle
- Electrical stunning and bleeding of sheep and pigs
- Mechanical stunning and bleeding of sheep and pigs
- Gas stunning/killing of pigs
- Slaughter of cattle and sheep without stunning
- Animal Welfare and Meat Quality
Initial proposal

to develop an online follow-up training package by revising and updating existing training materials on the slaughter of animals.

Revised proposal

to develop an e-module on slaughter of animal

• using the WOAH procurement system

• published on WOAH Platform for the training of Veterinary Services

• Create e-module that can be use in different scenarios (standalone courses, as part of dedicated Training-of-Trainers (ToT) sessions or other training activities etc.)

• Define didactic approach learning outcomes, design, structure, and learners’ assessment.

• in collaboration with Capacity Building Department

• integration of the new revised Chapter 7.5
Baseline documents

Terrestrial Animal Health Code:

- Chapter 7.1. on Introduction to the recommendations for animal welfare
- Chapter 7.5. on Slaughter of animals

The WOAH training materials

- Improved Animal Welfare Programme training package
- DVD - WOAH Improved Animal Welfare Programme
- OIE ‘Train-the-Trainer’ workshop on animal welfare during (transport and) slaughter for Balkan countries - training package

Training materials developed by Swedish Centre for Animal Welfare (WOAH Collaborating Center on animal welfare):

- DISA Education program on animal welfare at the time of slaughter and other types of killing
Duration, format, structure and localisation specifications

- **Structure, format**: to be developed according to the WOAH Guidelines on e-module development
  
  - Entry test
  - Units
    - introduction (including the specific learning outcomes)
    - main part
    - recap part, and an exercise to strengthen the learning and measure progresses
  - A final assessment exercise
  
  - Structure allowing to take a learning path according to specific needs (e.g. by relevant species, or by relevant methods)

The module will be developed in English as an option for developing and integrating translation into two WOAH official languages (French, Spanish) and one regional language (Russian).
Thank you