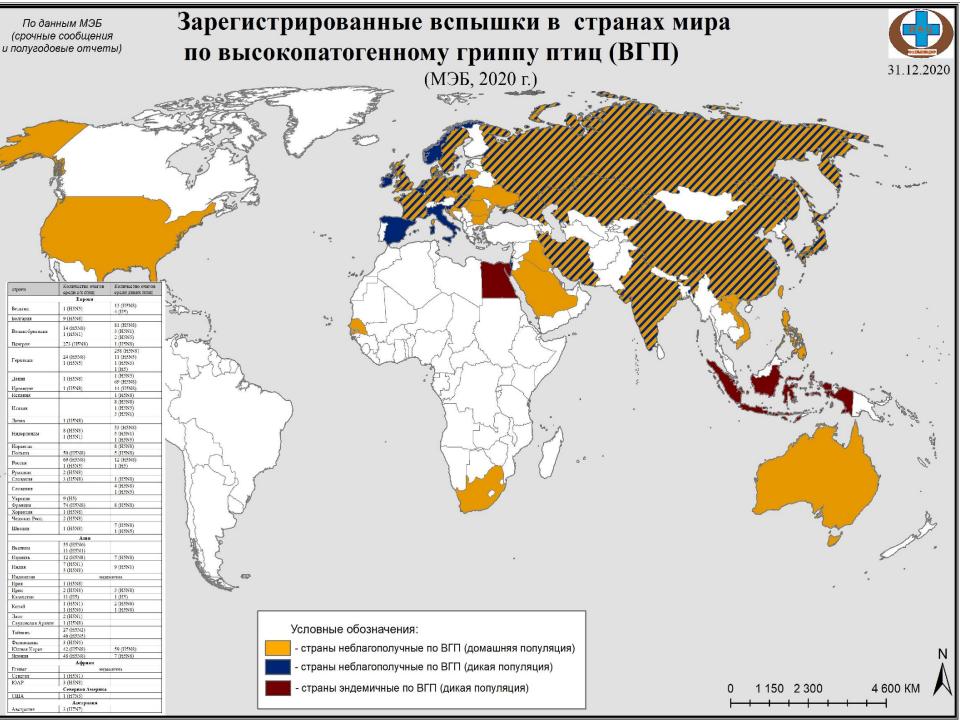




State Inspection for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Safety under the Government of the Kyrgyz Republic

«Diagnosis and surveillance of avian influenza and Newcastle disease in Kyrgyzstan»

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Poultry stock

> The total number of poultry in Kyrgyzstan is 5511.0 thousand heads;

> 37 poultry farms were identified, which contain 966 800 poultry in 2020;

> 4 545 051 poultry were registered in private backyards

Regulatory updates:

- The OIE Manual of Diagnostic Tests and Vaccines for Terrestrial Animals 2019;
- National Plan of the Kyrgyz Republic to combat the Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza Pandemic (dated 16 January 2006, No. 25);
- Interstate standard Methods of laboratory diagnostics of birds (GOST 25581-91);
- Safety and Biosafety Manual.

Activities:

- Clinical examination;
 - Active and passive surveillance;
- Serological and virological studies.

Diagnostic capacity:

> Quality assurance:

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Virology and Molecular Diagnostic Departments of the Laboratory of the Veterinary Diagnostic Centers have been accredited according to the ISO-IEC-17025-2009 standard since 2015. Ehe departments were re-accredited in accordance with the ISO-IEC-17025-2019 standard in 2020. In order to confirm the level of competence, laboratory specialists annually participate in proficiency tests.

- > Ensuring biological safety and biosecurity.
- > The laboratories equipped with appropriate equipment and supplies.

Sampling and delivery of samples

- If there is a suspicion of avian influenza (the presence of clinical, pathological signs of the disease, sudden mortality), samples of the pathological material are taken: the brain, lungs, trachea, spleen, intestinal tract, kidneys, heart.
- The delivery of bird carcas and selected samples of pathological material (organs, tissues) to the laboratory is carried out as soon as possible in a moistureproof container, hermetically packed.
- Upon delivery of samples within 24 hours, the selected organs and tissues are placed in plastic containers, barrier plastic bags, packed in wide-necked thermoses (unbreakable) with dry ice or ice packs.

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- If samples are shipped longer than 24 hours, they are refrigerated and delivered on ice (ice packs can be used).
- It is recommended that fecal extract should be stored and delivered at 4 ° C.

Sampling for AI





LABORATORY DIAGNOSTICS OF AI

Instant diagnosis:

- immunofluorescence method
- *indirect hemadsorption reaction*)
- indirect hemagglutination test

Virological diagnosis :

- Isolation of AIV in developing embryos or tissue cultures
- Virus identification

Serological diagnosis:

- hemagglutination-inhibition reaction
- complement fixation test
- ELISA test

LABORATORY DIAGNOSIS









Information on the tested samples of AI and ND in the Republic

Year	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Antigen-detection					
AI	201	133	144	144	70
ND	296	150	144	148	89
Antigen-determination					
AI	479	367	151	384	314
ND	663	365	145	353	459

Gaps

- Instant diagnosis:
- improving diagnostic testing capacity (identification and validation).
- Action suggested:
- *exchange of information on strains and serotypes of vaccines for the prevention of AI and ND;*
- seminars and training of new methods in laboratory diagnosis

Thank for attention!