



"One Health: Perspective of World Organisation for Animal Health"

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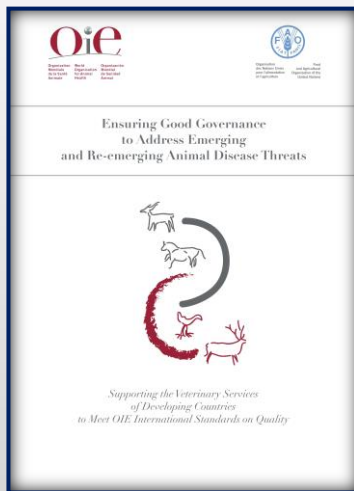
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One Health: FAO-OIE-WHO progressive collaboration to coordinate global animal & human health activities

2005: OIE/FAO

programme on Good Governance of Veterinary Services to address emerging & re-emerging animal disease threats



2010: FAO/OIE/WHO

Tripartite Concept Note to share responsibilities & coordinate activities to address risks at animal-human-ecosystem interface



2014: OIE/WHO

Operational framework for good governance at the human-animal interface: bridging WHO and OIE tools for the assessment of national capacities



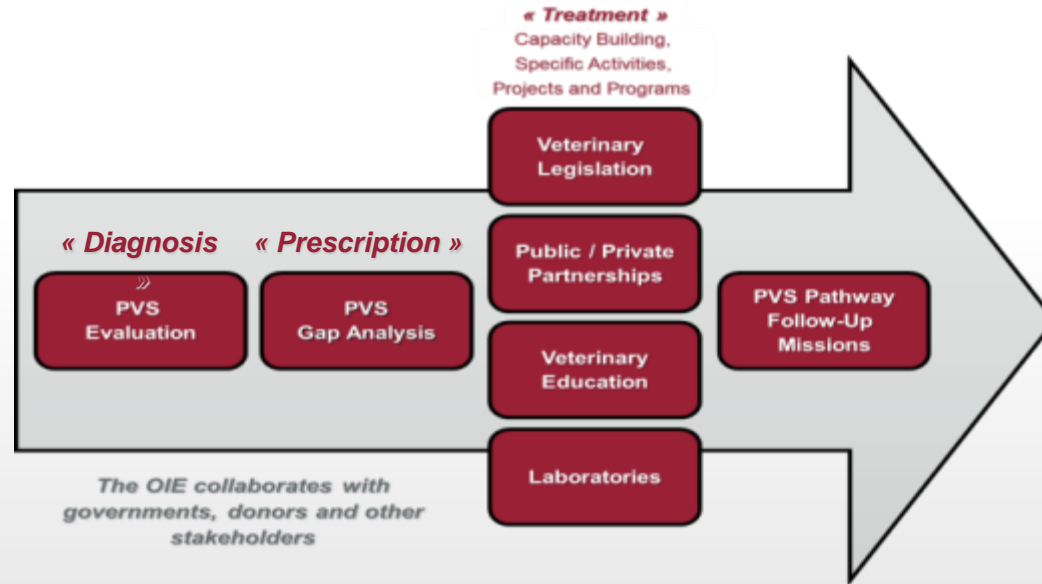
The WHO and the OIE are the responsible bodies for international standards and measures that are pre-requisite to protecting global health

- the OIE PVS Pathway and the WHO IHR Monitoring Framework assess national capacity for compliance to these standards



OIE Performance of Veterinary Services (PVS) Pathway

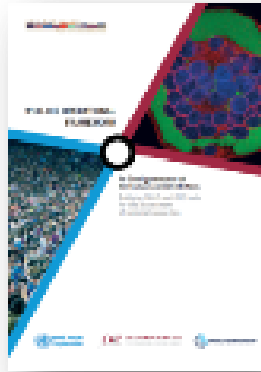
-a continuous process to **improve compliance of Veterinary Services with OIE international standards**, and their sustainable efficiency



....voluntary assessments undertaken at the request of Member Countries, conducted by certified experts, and addressing 47 critical competencies.

An estimated 75% of emerging diseases are of animal origin, improving this compliance is a crucial cornerstone to the safeguarding of both animal and public health, and to *safe trade*.

WHO-IHR / OIE-PVS Monitoring Framework Collaboration



Evolution to a higher political level – from commitment to action.

The joint use of the outputs of the WHO IHR Monitoring Framework (“Joint External Evaluation”) and of the OIE PVS Pathway by Member Countries enables a detailed assessment of the existing national forces, **bridges and gaps** in human and animal health coordination and supports the development of joint national strategies in human and animal health sectors

Following pilot workshops in Azerbaijan & Thailand, the first WHO/IHR-OIE/PVS Joint National Bridging Workshop was held in Costa Rica in March 2016



To provide **national animal and human health ministries** the opportunity to share their views and outputs resulting from the country assessments conducted respectively in the animal health (PVS Pathway missions) and human health (IHR Monitoring Framework) sectors, and **discuss ways to use these outputs and develop strategic plans for joint action.**

Facilitates coordination mechanisms and One Health cooperation.

Strengthens intersectoral collaboration for disease prevention, detection and surveillance, and identifies possible synergies .

- human and animal health ministries used disease case studies to collaboratively determine areas that are well addressed and coordinated, or those areas that need joint attention

“The Road to One Health” in action....

... scenes from the Costa Rica IHR-PVS Joint National Bridging Workshop



- In an ensuing plenary discussion, these areas were then plotted on a giant matrix of IHR & PVS core capacities



– it was notable that, regardless of the different disease case studies, the same gaps in the collaboration between the two sectors were identified as represented by clusters on the matrix.

Benefits of this One Health collaboration:

All countries, donors, and partners better enabled to:

- develop appropriate and sustainable strategies and investments
- flag opportunities for greater efficiencies and cost rationalisation
- improve international standards compliance and priority disease response – (eg *reducing transboundary disease risks, improved diagnostics*)
- *better ensure and coordinate safe trade*

Further support from Tripartite partners: paves the way for enhanced support from **FAO**, as a result of further identifying areas where technical capacities might need to be strengthened.

OIE approach to One Health:
the **key** to safeguarding global health against
dangerous disease threats -



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