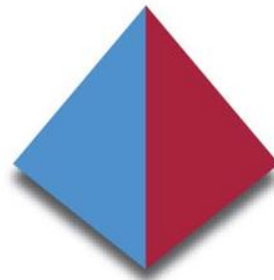



5th meeting of the GF-TADs Regional Steering Committee for Europe (RSC5)

8-9 October 2013
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Fifth GF-TADs for Europe Steering Committee meeting (RSC5) FAO assistance to prevent and control brucellosis

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Technical Cooperation Projects (TCPs) and donor-funded Government Cooperation Projects (GCPs) to assist in brucellosis control: Armenia, Georgia, Kazakhstan, and Tajikistan

Brucellosis control in Eastern Tajikistan GCP/TAJ/009/TUR

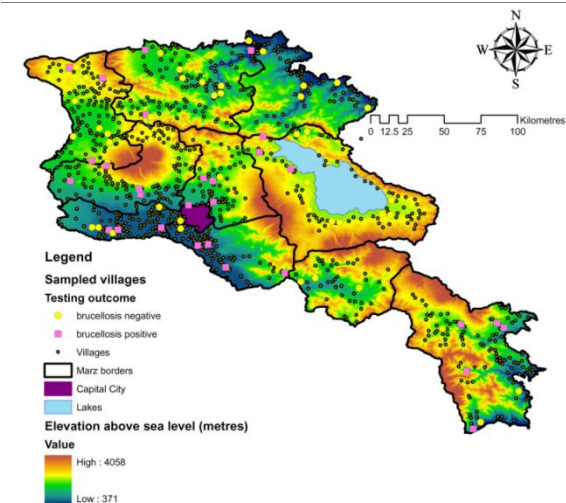
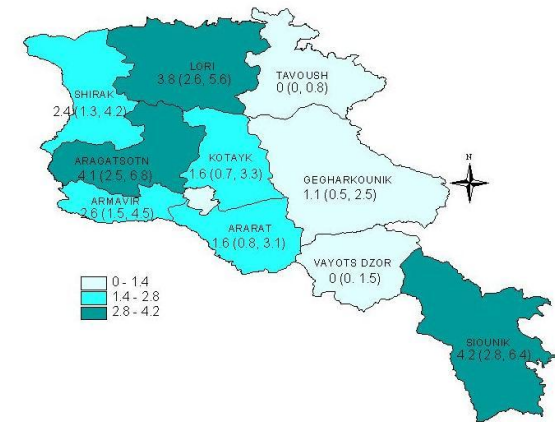
- Continues REV1 vaccination for sheep and goats to reduce the level of brucellosis in animals and human
- Using of cost recovery for vaccination services
- Public awareness on prevention and control of brucellosis






GCP/ARM/001/ITA Phase I – Assistance in brucellosis control in Armenia

- Improved institutional capacities to design, implement and manage control strategies against brucellosis
- Agreement reached on the most cost-effective brucellosis control methods and programmes for controlling disease in humans and animals
- National Action Plan for control of brucellosis developed and tested





GCP /ARM/005/SWI Phase II project “Technical and institutional support to veterinary services in Armenia”

The overall goal of the project is ***the strengthening of veterinary services public sector in Syunik marz*** contributing to improvement of the food safety system and sustainable agricultural development in Armenia

The project outputs:

- 1) Institutional strengthening of veterinary services
- 2) Support to improvement of brucellosis prevention and control strategy at regional and national levels.

- Continues vaccination for cattle, sheep and goats to reduce the level of brucellosis in animals and human
- Capacities of public and private sectors to implement Brucellosis Vaccination campaign at central and regional level are strengthened
- Public awareness on prevention and control of brucellosis

Meetings on brucellosis with FAO

- **FAO technical meeting** in collaboration with WHO and OIE “*Brucella melitensis* in Eurasia and Middle East 11-14 May, 2009, Rome, Italy
- **FAO regional workshop** on development a brucellosis control strategy in Central Asia 14-16 October 2009, Dushanbe, Tajikistan
- Conference “Brucellosis 2009”, 12-14 November 2009, Struga, FYR of Macedonia
- **FAO regional workshop** with participation of OIE and WHO brucellosis control in Central Asia and Eastern Europe, Izmir, Turkey, 9-11 April, 2013



Meetings on brucellosis with FAO

FAO regional workshop on brucellosis control in Central Asia and Eastern Europe, Izmir, Turkey, 9-11 April, 2013

Representatives from 10 countries participated in the workshop, namely the Republic of Albania, Republic of Azerbaijan, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Georgia, Republic of Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic , The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Republic of Tajikistan , Republic of Turkey and Republic of Uzbekistan

As well as representatives of partner organizations :

OIE - Dr. Joseph Domenech

WHO - Dr. Hilde Kruse



Meetings on brucellosis with FAO

FAO regional workshop on brucellosis control in Central Asia and Eastern Europe, Izmir, Turkey, 9-11 April, 2013

- An overview of the epidemiological situation of brucellosis and control programmes in each participating country
- Discussion of brucellosis control strategies in Central Asia and Eastern Europe
- Presentation and discussion of the strategic framework for progressive control of brucellosis as a guide for developing sustainable control programmes
- Identify key elements for developing sub-regional strategies for progressive control of brucellosis in Central Asia and Eastern Europe

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A stepwise approach for progressive control of brucellosis in animals

- Consists of a ***roadmap of four stages*** each with a situation analysis, expected outcome and key activities
- Aims to assist member countries in launching, updating and pursuing brucellosis control programmes
- Requirements and performance indicators are defined for each step
- A source of up-to-date information on brucellosis control
- Describes factors influencing implementation of the roadmap (externalities)





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The Conclusions

- The *Roadmap* document is useful for its intended purpose, i.e. as generic guidelines for country veterinary authorities to prepare and manage a brucellosis control programme.
- Should apply to all major domestic livestock species in one document.
- Endorsed as a useful way for national veterinary authorities for planning and implementing of activities to reduce brucellosis in livestock.
- FAO is requested to prepare a chapter with comprehensive guidelines to national authorities on how to prepare national strategy documents for brucellosis control



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The participants made a set of recommendations to **FAO, OIE** and to authorities in the participants' countries

The final draft was sent to the OIE for comments and than it will be translated in Russian



THANKS