GF-TADs for Europe

Seventh Regional Steering Committee meeting (RSC7)

Report on the PVS Pathway in Europe and Global Developments

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PVS Pathway – Assumed Knowledge

The OIE collaborates with governments, donors and other stakeholders
Overview - PVS Evaluation Missions
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73% PVS Eval.
71.2% PVS Gap
33% PVS Eval. Follow-Up
Overview - PVS Evaluation Missions

- Bahamas
- Cuba
- USA

- EU MS
- Andorra
- Lichtenstein
- Moldova
- Norway
- Russia
- San Marino
- Switzerland

- China
- Korea Rep of
- Micronesia
- New Zealand
- Singapore
- Taipei

Mission requested
Mission completed
Report Available
Special approach
Overview - PVS Evaluation Missions Europe

PVS Evaluation in Iceland

- 10% PVS Eval.
- 47% PVS Gap
- 32% PVS Eval. Follow-Up

Request for 2\textsuperscript{nd} Follow-Up
Request for 2\textsuperscript{nd} Gap

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PVS Pathway Think Tank Forum
PVS PATHWAY EVOLUTION

Adapting for an even brighter future of improving animal health and welfare globally

CONTEXT
For the past 10 years, the PVS Pathway has strengthened Veterinary Services in more than 140 countries, leading to improved government and donor resourcing, clearer governance structures and national coordination, and improved inter-sectoral and stakeholder collaboration. Through the PVS Pathway, these countries have enhanced their animal and veterinary public health surveillance, disease control, emergency response, border control, food safety, laboratory, educational, legislative and animal welfare systems.

THINK TANK FORUM
The biggest risk with successful, established programmes like the OIE PVS Pathway is complacency. To mark the ten-year milestone, a Think Tank Forum was held at the OIE Headquarters in Paris, in April 2017. The Forum brought together a diverse group of 74 PVS Pathway stakeholders - member countries, donors, partners, OIE staff and PVS experts to review the programme's success, build on lessons learned and collectively set directions for an enhanced and expanded PVS Pathway of the future.

KEY PRODUCTS:
Training and two-way consultation to guide country PVS engagement options
New OIE guidance/experience to service the options

ADVOCACY AND RESOURCING
Increasing PVS profile beyond the technical
Linking PVS to international agendas (One Health, food security, SDGs, aid effectiveness) to spur high-level support of PVS
Aligning country priorities/ownership with donor project support, through PVS, against international standards at the systems level
Formalising regional PVS partnerships via Regional Economic Communities

KEY PRODUCT:
PVS Pathway Business Plan targeting resourcing

GOVERNANCE AND LEVERAGING
Leading and managing PVS evolution via a PVS Secretariat
Engaging OIE regional offices to better support all PVS phases
Breaking down silos to leverage use of PVS results across the OIE mandate
Facilitating strategic analysis of PVS reports
Updating the PVS Expert Pool and modernising HR aspects

KEY PRODUCTS:
Guidance/planning for OIE regional office support
PVS report analysis and/or usage protocols specific to each OIE Department

TECHNICAL TRAINING AND DELIVERY
Delivering a PVS Training Strategy with three training elements:
1. Basic (targeting countries): Enhance country ownership, preparation and use, potentiate PVS self-evaluation, and widen expert pool
2. Staff (targeting regions and HQ): Enhance PVS support and use by the OIE, with a focus on report analysis to support all elements of the OIE mandate
3. Specialised (targeting experienced experts): Capacitate delivery of the new forms of PVS support to countries (e.g. PVS/IHR linkage, strategic planning, specific content)

KEY PRODUCT:
PVS Pathway Training Strategy

SUCCESS FACTORS TO MAINTAIN
- Voluntary
- Country-driven
- Participatory
- Collaborative
- Supportive
- Broadly systems-based
- Established methods and tools
- In-depth, using field evidence
- Knowledgeable experts
- Promotes longer term sustainable change
- Founded on OIE international standards

ENABLERS
- Political will from countries who:
  - engage through an official PVS request
  - have a clear understanding of the PVS processes, options and requirements before the mission
  - ably prepare for and support the mission
  - respond positively to PVS recommendations (such as via integration into country strategic planning)
- Support of donors and partners, both for OIE's PVS Pathway delivery and their own use of results
- Leadership and management development
- Training, targeting all of the above

PVS Pathway – a flagship of the OIE’s core mandate
PVS Evolution Gantt Chart

April/May 2017

• Development and Consultation Phase
• PVS Think Tank Forum - Report and Action Ideas

May 2017 – May 2018

• Preparation/Planning/Piloting Phase
• Training, Protocols and Piloting

May 2018 and on...

• Delivery and Refinement Phase
• PVS Evolution Launch, OIE Gen. Session 2018
OIE PVS and WHO IHR Linkages

‘*Equivalent*’ systems targeting international:

**animal health** & **public health** ….

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**OIE Code**
**PVS Pathway**
**PVS Eval’n**

**International Health Regulations (IHR)**
**IHR Monitoring & Evaluation Framework**
**Joint External Evaluation**

**PVS/IHR National Bridging Workshops**
JEE missions in Europe in 2016
- Albania (September 5-9), Armenia (August 15-19), Kyrgyzstan (November 28 - December 2), Turkmenistan (June 6-10).

Involvement in JEE missions in Europe

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OIE PVS and WHO IHR Linkages

- IHR/PVS National Bridging Workshops (NBWs)
  - 8 NBWs done so far worldwide
  - WHO and OIE has funding for 30 NBWs
- Azerbaijan pilot workshop in 2014
- Interest from some Members of the Region, but no NBW planned so far
- WHO/OIE Agreement for funding a staff in the Regional Activities Department to support IHR/PVS Linkages
Conclusion

- Report of the PVS Pathway Think Tank Forum soon available on the OIE website

- Next edition of the OIE Bulletin with PVS Pathway thematic – January 2019

- Countries are invited to renew their engagement with the PVS Pathway and take advantage of the new options