

Nordic-Baltic Seminar on Animal Health Contingency Planning – focus on: vaccination, animal welfare, wildlife and costs/presentations

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Introduction [🔗](#)



The Nordic-Baltic Veterinary Contingency Group (N-B VCG) is organizing a seminar on Animal Health Contingency Planning – focus on: vaccination, animal welfare, wildlife and costs. The seminar will be conducted with the support of the Nordic Council of Ministers.

Target group

The seminar addresses personnel with special responsibilities in animal health preparedness, contingency work and animal welfare. This includes:

- Persons / Institutions involved in contingency planning within the area of animal health

- Veterinarians employed by national governments designated to handle animal disease emergencies, animal welfare and food safety

- Diagnosticians from national reference laboratories covering infectious animal diseases

- Veterinarians and other professionals employed by the livestock industry responsible for disease prevention, control and eradication, livestock economy and for animal welfare

- Representatives of veterinary medical associations

The objectives of the seminar

- To review vaccination against FMD/CSF/LSD/BT/AI, with special reference to emergency vaccination

- To highlight and exchange views on animal welfare related to keeping food producing animals, trade in animals and controlling disease emergencies.

- To address the importance of and methods of passive and of active surveillance for emerging and exotic diseases in wildlife

- To share knowledge and experience on costs associated with outbreaks of Avian influenza and of African swine fever and the application of farm biosecurity measures

Programme



The seminar starts with registration of participants at Hotel Pullman Riga Old Town, Riga at 08:30 – 09:10 on 3rd October and ends at 15:00 on 4th October 2018. Arrival of participants of the seminar is expected on 2nd October.

Day one will focus on the vaccines and vaccination programs, animal welfare during disease outbreaks and wildlife as a reservoir for animal and zoonotic diseases.

In the evening all participants are welcome to take part in a guided tour of the old Riga and a seminar dinner.

On day two we will continue the session on wildlife as a reservoir for animal and zoonotic diseases and in the afternoon session we will focus on costs of biosecurity and outbreaks.



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Abstracts



[Abstract 01 - Vaccines and vaccination against exotic animal diseases \(FMD/CSF/LSD/ASF\) 2018](#) 



[Abstract 02 - Emergency vaccination with special reference to Lumpy skin disease](#) 



[Abstract 03 - Control of influenza in a One Health perspective – do we have the tools and are they used properly?](#) 



[Abstract 04 - Stamping-out during foot and mouth disease emergency situations and animal welfare](#) 



[Abstract 05 - Ensuring animal welfare during depopulation for disease control in the Nordic-Baltic countries](#) 



[Abstract 06 - African swine fever in wildlife: lessons learned](#) 



[Abstract 07 - Emerging vector borne infections in Europe - prevention, early detection, control and the impact of wildlife](#) 



[Abstract 09 - Chronic wasting disease \(CWD\) in wildlife](#) 



[Abstract 10 - Costs of biosecurity at farm level – a good investment](#) 



[Abstract 11 - An epidemiological and economic model analysis of Foot and mouth disease outbreaks in the Netherlands](#) 



[Abstract 12 - Analysis of costs caused by an avian influenza outbreak in Denmark](#) 




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Registration



Registration for the Seminar is now closed.

Venue 



[Hotel Pullman Riga Old Town](#), Riga

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