



Programme

Workshop on African swine fever (ASF)

May 21st, 2015

Venue

State Research Institution National Research Institute for Veterinary Virology and Microbiology of Russia (VNIIVViM, Pokrov, Russia Federation)



www.ASFORCE.ORG
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Learning Objectives

Whole workshop:

By the end of the workshop, invited participants are expected to:

Understand the good practices on ASF diagnosis: pros and cons of the different options available; know when to use each of them

Be aware of the global epidemiological current situation, with particular focus on current situation of Eastern European countries and EU

Have a general knowledge about the current ASF European legislation

Have an understanding on prevention and control measures for ASF on domestic and wild boar populations

Understand the role of ticks and wild boar on the disease spread

Be familiar with the current vaccine development efforts, and future perspectives

Recognize the importance of communication, stakeholders involvement and knowledge dissemination

Profile of participants

Chief Veterinary Officers (CVO's), from the different Russian regions

Head of the diagnostic laboratories, from the different Russian regions

PROGRAM

(w/ step by step translation)

09:00 - 10:00: Registration

10:00 - 10:20: Opening Session

Speaker: Denis Kolbasov (VNIIVViM, Russian Federation)

10:20- 10:40: Welcome and introduction to the ASFORCE Project

Speaker: Carlos Martins (FMV-ULisboa, Portugal)

10:40 – 11: 20: ASF in Portugal: historical overview and lessons learnt

Speaker: Carlos Martins (FMV-ULisboa, Portugal)

11:20 – 11:30: Coffee break

11:30 – 12:10: ASF Diagnosis: Improving Knowledge of the disease in Europe

Speaker: Marisa Arias (CISA – INIA, Spain)

12:10 – 12:50: ASF EU current legislation

Speaker: Sandra Blome (FLI, Germany)

12:50 – 13:00: Discussion

Chair: Denis Kolbasov (VNIIVViM, Russian Federation)

13:00 – 14:00: Lunch

14:00 – 14:40: ASF in wild-boars, and their sampling

Speaker: Sandra Blome (FLI, Germany)

14:40 – 15:20: ASF vaccine development: updates and future perspectives

Speaker: Linda Dixon (Pirbright, UK)

15:20 – 15:35: Coffee break

15:35 – 16: 15: Stakeholders involvement and knowledge dissemination

Speaker: Jorge Pinto Ferreira (SAFOSO, Switzerland)

16:15 – 17:00: Discussion

Chair: Denis Kolbasov (VNIIVViM, Russian Federation)

17: 00 – 17:20: Distribution of Diplomas

17:20 - 17:30: Conclusion session