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**Development and Application of an Epidemiology Capacity Development Mapping Tool in Asia**

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**Overview**

Epidemiology is a fundamental discipline under a One Health approach, requiring institutional and individual capacity for human and animal health sectors. Globally, epidemiology capacity is severely lacking for animal health services despite the need for disease intelligence to support evidence-based decision-making for disease detection, prevention, and control of animal specific and zoonotic diseases. The purpose of this webinar is to describe the development and application of an epidemiology capacity needs assessment tool. The tool aims to define institutional and individual capacities that national veterinary services need at the local, subnational, and national levels to strengthen animal disease intelligence as a full-fledged One Health partner. During this webinar, participants will learn about the needs-based development and application of an epidemiology mapping tool for veterinary epidemiology in Asia.

**Objectives**

At the conclusion of the session, the participant will be able to accomplish the following:

- Review the gaps, barriers and needs for developing veterinary epidemiology competencies and skills in south, southeast and east Asia
- Review key partnerships supporting the development of the Field Epidemiology Training Program for Veterinarians (FETPV) in Asia
- Describe challenges for institutional and individual capacity development for veterinary epidemiology in developing countries in Asia
- Identify the key elements and indicators to assist governments to build self-sustaining capacity in epidemiology
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