Field Epidemiology Training Network For Better Public Health

ASEAN Plus Three Field Epidemiology Training Network

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Activity: The Second Joint Consultative Meeting between ASEAN Veterinary

Epidemiology Group (AVEG) and ASEAN plus Three Epidemiology

Training Network (ASEAN+3 FETN)

Date: 7-9 February, 2018

Venue: Biayoke Sky Hotel, Bangkok



The Meeting was co-chaired by AVEG and ASEAN+3 FETN Chairs, and attended by ASEAN+3 FETN and AVEG contact points and representatives from Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Viet Nam; the Plus Three Countries, namely China, Japan, and Republic of Korea; and the ASEAN Secretariat. Development Partners, namely the Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations (FAO), World Health Organisation (WHO), World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE), as well as Southeast Asia One Health University Network (SEAOHUN), United States Agency for International Development (USAID), and US Centres for Disease Control and Prevention (US CDC) were also in attendance.



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Global and regional outlook of zoonotic diseases were given by WHO and OIE, updates from relevant ASEAN meetings and bodies were presented by ASEAN Secretariat, GHSA's approach to strengthen animal and human health collaboration were also introduced by Thailand GHSA Regional Coordinating Office. Thailand GHSA Regional Coordinating Office and ASEAN Plus FETN Foundation also presented highlights of their recent relevant activities;

The meeting also reviewed the progress of AVEG-FETN collaboration, acknowledged the good examples of joint training and joint surveillance at national levels, and discussed on next steps of the collaboration. Through group discussion and plenary discussion, the meeting agreed on a number of areas of collaboration including continuation of joint meeting, joint training, joint video conference, and proposing a joint simulation exercises as well as a common webpage.

AVEG and ASEAN+3 FETN also had a half-day separated specific session to discuss internal issues of their networks.

For more details please contact us for acquiring the summary report.