



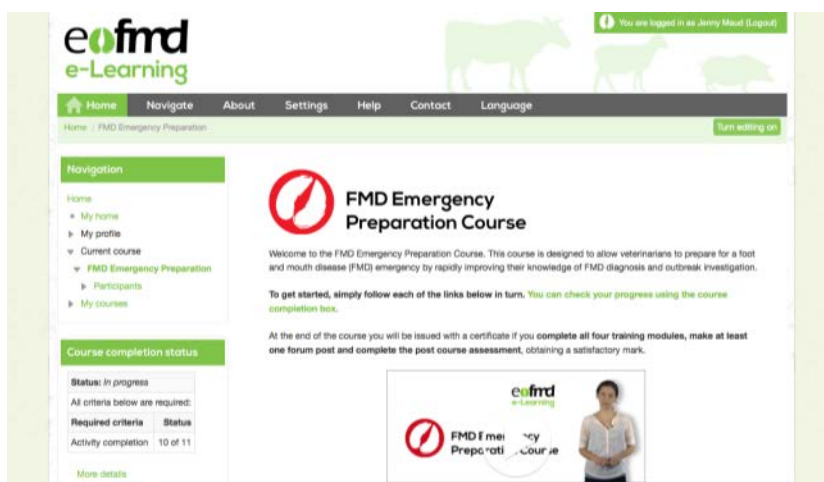
FMD Emergency Preparation Course

Who is the course for?

Veterinarians or those involved in the livestock industry who would be involved in diagnosing and investigating an outbreak of foot and mouth disease.

What does the course cover?

- FMD aetiology and pathogenesis
- Clinical diagnosis, lesion ageing
- FMD epidemiology, outbreak investigation
- Biosecurity



What does the course involve?

The course is studied entirely online, and will take approximately **10 hours to complete**. **75-100 participants** take the course at the same time, and it is open for **4 weeks**.

The course opens with a **live interactive webinar**, where trainees meet their trainers, and are introduced to the course, and to foot-and-mouth disease.

Trainees then study **four interactive online modules**, which include lots of **photographs, videos and self test questions**.

During the course, **EuFMD expert trainers are available** through a discussion forum to answer questions from the trainees, and to lead interactive discussions.

Towards the end of the course there is a second **live interactive webinar**, to discuss interesting topics raised during the course in more detail.

At the end of the course all trainees must complete a **comprehensive assessment**. Successful trainees are provided with a certificate, and records of completion passed to the sponsoring body.

What do trainees say about the course?

80% of 40 trainees surveyed during a recent course rated the course as “very good” and “very relevant” to their needs. 100% would recommend others take part in the course in future.

Comments included “*this is a great opportunity for those who cannot travel to obtain training*”, “*very good, well prepared, very informative video parts*”, “*very interesting course*” “*great and interesting discussions*”.

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