



## Lumpy skin disease preparedness training course

This course is for public and private veterinarians and veterinary paraprofessionals in lumpy skin disease (LSD) endemic and free countries/regions, particularly those who will be directly involved in diagnosis or investigating LSD suspicions or outbreaks and in the implementation of surveillance and control measures.

## The course covers

- · Introduction to the disease
- · Clinical diagnosis
- · Sampling and laboratory diagnosis
- · Epidemiology and outbreak investigation
- Surveillance
- · Control measures including vaccination.

The course opens with a live interactive webinar, where trainees meet their trainers, and are introduced to the course, and to the principles of LSD. There are six interactive online modules, which include photographs, animations, videos and self-test questions. During the course, EuFMD expert trainers are available through an online forum to answer questions, and to lead interactive discussions.

I Towards the end of the course there is a second live interactive webinar, to discuss 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. The completion record will be passed to the trainees' sponsoring body.

✓ The course is available in English and can be organized as a national course, adapting the materials to include information specific to the host country's LSD control strategies and including experts from the host country as trainers.

This 12-hour course is open for four weeks.

## Virtual learning

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