Title: Extrapolation of maximum residue limits of veterinary drugs to one or more species

Committee: Codex Committee on Residues of Veterinary Drugs in Foods

Session: 25th

Chair of EWG: EU

Co-Chair: Costa Rica

Working Languages: English and Spanish

Description of work: The EWG should

(i) Extrapolate MRLs for different combinations of compounds/commodities and for ivermectin in goat and sheep’s milk

(ii) Development of a suitable approach for the extrapolation of MRLs for residues of veterinary drugs for offal tissues

In order to enable the EWG to fulfill point (i) of its mandate, Codex members are invited to provide comments in reply to circular letter CL 2021/98-RVDF (Deadline for comments: 25 March 2022) available on the Codex website at:


Timetable for work: The discussion paper should be submitted to the Codex Secretariat for distribution and consideration by CCRVDF26 by not later than 20 November 2022

Email for registration: sante-codex@ec.europa.eu

Registration deadline: 25 January 2022

EWG online platform: Yes X No ☐

Codex Members and Observers are invited to register their experts for this Electronic Working Group.

When there is more than one expert, each country or observer organization shall designate one as the official representative to participate in the EWG.

Applications should be sent through the Codex Contact Point (CCP) of the member or recognized observer organization in an email detailing:

- participant’s name
- official title or position
- country or organization
- email address.

The EWG platform


User-Group name: CCRVDF-Extrapolation(2021)

The platform will require members to login.

New participants to the platform should first register (online guide, video tutorial)

Those participants who have previously registered on the platform can request to join the user-group directly.

The EWG chair will give participants access to the group online once they have verified their credentials so please ensure that you follow the procedure for applications and email the chair through your CCP even if you are already registered on the platform.

Programme and timeline

The work programme and timelines will be circulated to members of the EWG soon after its establishment.

We look forward to your participation.

Chair (EU) and Co-Chair (Costa Rica) of the EWG

Codex Contact Points of EU and Costa Rica