

Stepwise approach for formulating Kenya's country-level target goals for elimination of taenia solium taeniosis/cysticercosis (one of the top ranked foodborne parasitic hazards globally)

Project Title: P355 - Evidence base on the benefits of joint agriculture and health interventions against zoonotic disease

Description of the innovation: A stepwise approach, like has been used for rabies control, can provide a framework for the development of realistic control goals, the implementation of intervention algorithms, and standardized monitoring of progress towards obtaining the control target goals and eventually elimination. The approach follows these steps: provision of evidence; policy discussion; formal prioritization of taenia solium in strategy documents at government level; and then makes these relevant to the county level.

New Innovation: No

Stage of innovation: Stage 1: discovery/proof of concept (PC - end of research phase)

Innovation type: Production systems and Management practices

Geographic Scope: National

Number of individual improved lines/varieties: <Not Applicable>

Country(ies):

- Kenya

Description of Stage reached: Kenya's National Action Plan includes this stepwise approach, which is being implemented as an approach at national level and down to local government. As implementation is still in process, we keep this as stage 1. Government documents are not available, but link to descriptive work has been provided.

Name of lead organization/entity to take innovation to this stage: ZDU - Kenya Zoonotic Disease Unit (Kenya)

Names of top five contributing organizations/entities to this stage:

- University of Liverpool
- ILRI - International Livestock Research Institute

Milestones: No milestones associated

Sub-IDs:

- 20 - Reduced livestock and fish disease risks associated with intensification and climate change

Contributing Centers/PPA partners:

- ILRI - International Livestock Research Institute

Evidence link:

- <https://cgspace.cgiar.org/handle/10568/116288>

Deliverables associated: <Not Defined>

Contributing CRPs/Platforms:

- A4NH - Agriculture for Nutrition and Health