
**INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR PRE COSALFA
CONSOLIDATING THE FMD FREE STATUS OF THE REGION OF SOUTH AMERICA:
PREVENTION, SURVEILLANCE, CONTINGENCY PLANS**

Quito, Ecuador, 13-14 April 2015

DRAFT AGENDA

(17 April 2015 version)

MONDAY, 13 April 2015

08:30 - 09:00 Registration

09:00 - 09:30 Opening session

Diego Vizcaíno, Executive director, Agrocalidad;
Gina Tambini, PAHO/WHO Representative in Ecuador;
Ottorino Cosivi, Director, PANAFTOSA-PAHO/WHO;
Javier Vargas, Director of Animal Health, Agrocalidad
Luis Barcos, World Organisation for Animal Health - OIE

09:30 - 12:00 **THEME I: Extra-regional experience in Foot-and-Mouth Disease sanitary emergencies: Lessons for the Americas**

Theme's introduction: *Manuel Sanchez*, PANAFTOSA-PAHO/WHO

10:00 - 10:30 1.1 Experience in Southeast Asia and China

Ronello Abila, OIE Southeast Asia Subregional Representative

10:00 - 11:00 Break (Visit to the papers poster display)

11:00 - 11:30 1.2 United Kingdom Experience

Richard Hepple, Animal and Plant Health Agency (APHA), United Kingdom

11:30 - 12:00 THEME I Discussion

12:00 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 - 15:00 **THEME II: Latest Foot-and-Mouth Disease outbreaks in South American countries certified as FMD free: Lessons learned**

Theme's introduction: *Rodrigo García*, PANAFTOSA-PAHO/WHO

- Expositions by:

- Argentina - *Virginia Pérez*, SENASA
- Uruguay - *Edgardo Vitale*, MGAP
- Brazil - *Guilherme H. F. Marques*, MAPA
- Colombia - *Olga Lucía Díaz Martínez*, ICA
- Paraguay - *Victor Maldonado*, SENACSA

15:00 - 15:30 THEME II - Discussion

15:30 - 15:45 Break (Visit to the papers poster display)

15:45 - 17:15 **THEME III: Vulnerability to Foot-and-Mouth Disease and FMD risk perception in South America**

Theme's introduction: *Jose Naranjo*, PANAFTOSA-PAHO/WHO

- Expositions by:

- Chile - *Julio Oscar Urzúa Sotomayor*, SAG
- Uruguay - *Francisco Muzio*, MGAP
- Perú - *Miguel Quevedo*, SENASA
- Brasil - *Plinio Leite Lopes*, MAPA
- Canada - *Tom Smylie*, CFIA

17:15 - 17:45 THEME III - Discussion

17:45 Closure

TUESDAY, 14 April 2015

09:00 - 11:00 **ROUND TABLE**

THEME IV: Prospects for and stages to be completed for achieving FMD free status certification in South America

Theme's introduction: *Julio Pompei*, PANAFTOSA-PAHO/WHO

- Expositions by:

- OIE - *Sergio Duffy*
- Rural Association of Uruguay (ARU) - *Leopoldo Amorin*
- Interamerican Group for Eradication of Foot-and-Mouth Disease (GIEFA) - *Sebastião C. Guedes*
- ICA, Colombia - *Olga Lucía Díaz Martínez*
- SENASA, Argentina - *Virginia Pérez*

11:00 - 11:15 Break (Visit to the poster papers display)

11:15 - 12:00 Discussion and conclusions of theme IV
Moderated by *Julio Pompei*, PANAFTOSA assisted by *Sergio Duffy* (OIE)

12:00 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 - 15:30 **ROUND TABLE**

THEME V: Prevention and contingency strategies in the Americas Region

Theme's introduction: *Alejandro Rivera*, PANAFTOSA-PAHO/WHO

- Expositions by:

- SAG, Chile - *Julio Oscar Urzúa Sotomayor*
- ICA, Colombia - *Olga Lucía Díaz Martínez*
- APHIS/USDA - *Conrad Estrada*
- MAPA, Brasil - *Plinio Leite Lopes*
- PANAFTOSA-PAHO/WHO - *Strategy on vaccines bank, Rossana Allende*

15:30 - 15:45 Break (Visit to the poster papers display)

15:45 - 16:15 Discussion and conclusions of theme V.
Moderated by *Alejandro Rivera*, PANAFTOSA, assisted by *Ronello Abila*, OIE and *Richard Hepple*, APHA

16:15 - 17:00 Presentation of the three best poster papers selected

17:00 - 17:30 Discussion

17:30 Closure