World Animal Protection
International NGOs – Partners in delivering the RAWS

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Our work around the world

Protecting animals and livelihoods in disasters

Moving animal welfare to the forefront of farming

Protecting animals to live safely in communities

Keeping wild animals in the wild
• Millions of people around the world depend on animals

• We demonstrate the vital relationship between people and animals
The OIE Regional Animal Welfare Strategy (RAWS) for the AFEO Region

Vision

A region where the welfare of animals is respected, promoted and incrementally advanced, simultaneously with the pursuit of progress and socioeconomic development.
Current ‘Action Plan’ – Oct’14


- 19/124 already completed

- 55/105 have World Animal Protection engagement

- 21/55 discussed here including overlap

- Space for more! 😊
8. Present seminars on animal welfare to stakeholders
Global Veterinary Engagement

• MOUs: OIE, WVA, CVA, FAVA, WSAVA

• Conferences: WVA, NZVA, ANZCVS, AVMA, WSAVA, FAVA, CVA

• Veterinary Awards: ANZCVS; FAVA
11. Select AW ambassadors from OIE member countries and territories to promote animal welfare

- Thailand
- Australia
13. Develop a database that identifies all animal welfare stakeholders and interest groups in the region

- World Animal Protection
  - SMS / CRM

- Animal Mosaic: [www.animalmosaic.org](http://www.animalmosaic.org)
14. Involve private companies in the promotion of animal welfare through using required production standards

96. Private sector involvement in RAWS associated meetings

• Nestle
15. Developing appropriate education and training tools based on customized needs of member countries and territories

16. Promoting and facilitating the inclusion of animal welfare concepts and applications in veterinary and animal science-related courses and curricula

21. Develop curricula for animal science, animal handling, husbandry and veterinary science
Improving animals’ lives through education

• **Concepts in Animal Welfare** teaching materials helps us engage with veterinary professionals and policy makers

• Translated into Chinese, Spanish, Portuguese and Thai

• Shared with over 850 veterinary and animal science schools to be used by educators in 27 countries across Latin America, Africa, China, and South and South-east Asia

• By training veterinary educators to understand and teach animal welfare, we are in a unique position to equip them, and the next generation of vets, to move the world to protect animals

• [www.animalmosaic.org](http://www.animalmosaic.org)
19. Use existing government extension services to improve animal welfare

• MARD Vietnam national LEGS program
25. Engage and liaise with WHO, FAO, ASEAN and the OIE to raise the profile of AW

- Members of the UN Food security and shelter clusters
- Development partners with the ASEAN ASWGL
28. Include AW, RAWS and OIE AW standards on the programs of the international meetings and conferences

- ACCAHZ prep-coms, NZVA, AIT, ASWGL, ANZCVS Science Week, AVMA, WSAVA, FAVA in 2014

- PCVC, WSAVA, PANPAC, ANZCVS Science Week, WVC in 2015
33–36. Reviewing existing and new animal welfare laws with reference to OIE standards

- Animal Protection Index (API)
General Overview

• An index of animal welfare policy and legislation in 50 countries.

• Animal welfare policy and legislation will be reviewed and assessed against specific indicators.

• It will assess policy rather than practice.

• Highlights good performance and provides a dialogue platform with countries
API World Coverage
A project to move the world
Working group: Design and Indicators
Goals, Objectives and Indicators

- Policy and Legislation
- Sentience
- UDAW
- OIE Standards and engagement
- Monitoring and Evaluation
- Responsibility Allocation
- Communication
- Education
Selected Countries – API 2014

- Algeria
- Argentina
- Australia
- Austria
- Azerbaijan
- Belarus
- Brazil
- Canada
- Chile
- China
- Colombia
- Denmark
- Egypt
- Ethiopia
- France
- Germany
- India
- Indonesia
- Iran
- Italy
- Japan
- Kenya
- Malaysia
- Mexico
- Morocco
- Myanmar
- New Zealand
- Niger
- Nigeria
- Pakistan
- Peru
- Philippines
- Poland
- Republic of Korea
- Romania
- Russian Federation
- South Africa
- Spain
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Thailand
- Turkey
- Ukraine
- United Kingdom
- United Republic of Tanzania
- United States of America
- Uruguay
- Venezuela
- Viet Nam
Your API…

1. How will you use the findings of the API?
2. Regional trends?
3. Global trends?
4. And what if you don’t yet have an API?
Animal Protection Index

- Website goes live 17\textsuperscript{th} November
- Global launch 29\textsuperscript{th} November at FAVA
43. Engage NGOs and stakeholder groups to lobby governments and ministers...

74. Develop close working relationships with AW NGOs and institutions
58. Organise twinning of regional universities and research centres

61. Networking with OIE collaborating centres and achieving outreach through twinning process

• Members on the Management Committee
87. Examine LEGS approach in the development of standards

- OIE DM ad hoc group meetings 2014 and 2015
111. Members continue to provide information and updates for the RAWS newsletter