

Course for veterinarians working in pig production

BACKGROUND

In a collaboration between Ø-Vet A/S and Danish Farmers Abroad (DFA), a course for veterinarians is established.

AIM OF EDUCATION

The participating veterinarians will achieve skills and competences within herd related health and disease of pigs.

TARGET GROUP

Veterinarians working with pig production and pig diseases - including primarily from Eastern and Central Europe.

10
Days

5
Countries

OVERALL STRUCTURE

A course consisting of meetings lasting two days each time in various places in Europe. In total, five such meetings will be held with about four months' intervals i.e. 10 course days.

The aim is to have 8-12 persons per class. The course is done in English.

Offering the course in other languages than English – such as Slovakian, Polish, Ukrainian or Russian – is also an option.

COURSE CONTENT

1. Teaching of diseases, necropsies and pathology
2. Herd diagnostics including use of pictures for diagnostics and supervision
3. Teachings of medicine and treatment strategies
4. Herd immunity, vaccination and eradications
5. Health and production economy
6. Biosecurity
7. Veterinary aspects regarding feed, feeding, housing and caretaking
8. Relevant diseases and their handling concerning weaners and finisher pigs
9. Reproduction
10. Relevant diseases and their handling concerning sows and piglets



GENERAL

STRUCTURE OF COURSE DAYS

The participants will arrive the evening before, Day one class starts at 8:00 and continues until 17:00. On day two class also starts at 8:00 and continues until 14:00.

The classes are done as a mix of lectures including workshop, practical exercises and farm visits.

An important element of classes will be incorporation of Ø-Vet's practical veterinary experiences from the various European countries.

Meetings are placed on Thursday/Friday so farm visits are possible on Friday.



PROGRAMME

Course days 1+2: 25-26/2 2016 in Slovakia (EPP Slovenko) - by Ken Steen Pedersen, Ø-Vet A/S

Course days 3+4: 26-27/5 2016 in Poland (Poldanor), by Dan Bysted, Ø-Vet A/S

Course days 5+6: 6-7/10 2016 in Lithuania (Idavang), by Søren Thielsen, Ø-Vet A/S

Course days 7+8: 2-3/3 2017 in Ukraine (Halychyna Zahid), by Jakob Korsgaard, Ø-Vet A/S

Course days 9+10: 1-2/6 2017 in Estonia (Ekseko), by Andreas Birch, Ø-Vet A/S

Further information and a more detailed programme can be obtained from:

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- and Danish Farmers Abroad on tel +45 2424 2770 or info@danishfarmersabroad.dk

Sign-up can also be done here.

Price for course participation, meals and two overnight stays is (with 10 participants):

6.000 EURO ex. VAT

Transport to and from the course is not included in the price and is for the participants' own account.