



African Swine Fever Preparedness Course

This course was initially developed by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) Regional Office for Europe and Central Asia (REU), together with the Friedrich-Loeffler-Institut, and has been adapted, translated and delivered in multiple FAO regions.

COURSE LENGTH	15 hours (4 WEEKS)
PARTICIPANTS	400 (MAX)
FORMAT	TUTORED – a mix of online webinars, self-paced interactive modules, discussion forum and additional resources

Who is the course for?

The primary audience of the course is official and private practice veterinarians who may be involved in diagnosing, investigating and responding to an outbreak of African swine fever (ASF). However, the course is also suitable for swine industry personnel who may also be engaged in response activities.

What will you learn?

Impact and importance of ASF

Clinical diagnosis

Laboratory diagnosis

ASF outbreak investigation

Control measures

Biosecurity

ASF in wild boar in Europe

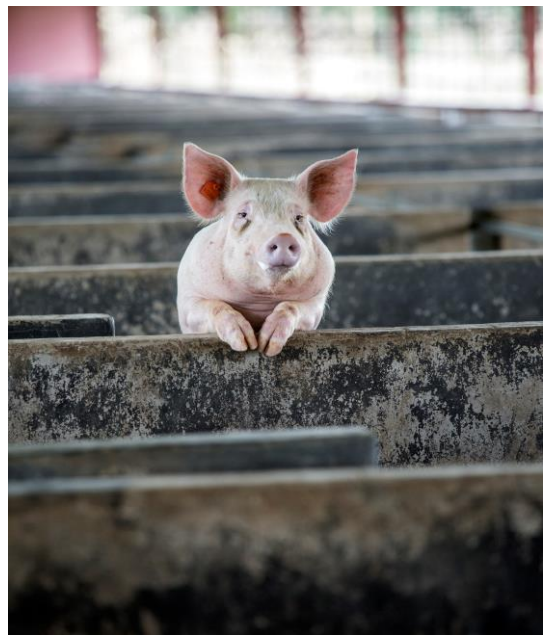
What does the course involve?

The course is studied entirely online and will take approximately **15 hours** to complete. Around **400 participants** can take the course at the same time, and it is open for four weeks.

The course **opens with a live interactive webinar**, where trainees meet their trainers, and are introduced to the course. Trainees then progress through **seven interactive online modules**, enriched with photographs, videos, exercises and self-test questions.

During the course, expert trainers are available through a **discussion forum** to answer questions from the trainees, and to lead interactive discussions.

Towards the end of the course, there will be a second live interactive webinar, to discuss topics raised during the course in more detail. All trainees must complete a comprehensive assessment and finish all the coursework. Successful trainees are provided with a certificate.



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