

## Wildlife-Human Health Net Project

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*Building Research Excellence in Wildlife and Human Health in Sri Lanka*

### Training and Continuous Professional Development Activities Conducted

\***Abbreviations:** DAPH = Department of Animal Production & Health; DWC = Department of Wildlife Conservation; ETH = Elephant Transit Home; FVMAS = Faculty of Veterinary Medicine & Animal Science; ICE-APH = Institute for Continuing Education in Animal Production & Health; MoH = Ministry of Health; SCAP= Society of Companion Animal Practitioners; SLCVS = Sri Lanka College of Veterinary Surgeons; SLVA = Sri Lanka Veterinary Association; SLWHC = Sri Lanka Wildlife Health Centre.

Date	Title*	Locations*	Participants*				Resource Persons	Project Staff	Total
			DWC	DAPH	FVMAS	Others			
12 - 13 December 2013	Training Workshop on “Wildlife Disease Investigation, Diagnostic Pathology and Risk Assessment”	ICE-APH, Gannoruwa and FVMAS, Peradeniya	2	16	2		5	5	30
09 May 2014	Participatory Workshop on “Human Community Dynamics and Involvement of Rural Communities for Wildlife Disease Surveillance”	ICE-APH, Gannoruwa	6	12	4		7	3	32
25 August 2014	Training Workshop on “Wildlife Health Monitoring and Surveillance”	ETH, Uda-walawe	26				4	1	31
21 October 2014	Training Workshop on “Pathology for Wildlife Disease Investigation”	ICE-APH, Gannoruwa and FVMAS, Peradeniya	5	15	2		8	3	33
23 January 2015	Joint Seminar (SLWHC, SLVA & SLCVS) on “Wildlife Diseases, Veterinary Practice and Surgical Pathology”	ICE-APH, Gannoruwa	64				2	8	74
26 - 27 January 2015	Training Workshop on “Wildlife Disease Ecology and Surveillance, and Interpretation of Gross Pathology Lesions”	ICE-APH, Gannoruwa	1	13	5		2	6	27

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06 April 2015	Joint Seminar (FVMAS & SLWHS) on “Pneumonia in Domestic and Wild Ruminants: What can we do about it?”	FVMAS, Peradeniya		12	30		1	7	50
15 July 2015	Joint Seminar (FVMAS & SLWHC) on “Monitoring Wildlife Health”.	FVMAS, Peradeniya	1	10	35		2	7	55
17 July 2015	Participatory Workshop on “Social Networking: Sharing Information About Wildlife, Livestock and Human Health in Rural Communities”	Uda-Walawe National Park	18	8		12	6	7	51
22 July 2015	Joint Seminar (SLWHC, SCAP & SLCVS) on “Wildlife, Zoonoses and Public Health”	Colombo	45				3	4	52
22 January 2016	Training Workshop on “Necropsy Procedures for Wild Animals”	ETH, Uda-walawe	3	7			5	3	18
27 January 2016	Joint Seminar (FVMAS & SLWHC) on “Mystery Cases in Pathology”	FVMAS, Peradeniya		4	10		1	5	20
02 September 2016	Participatory Workshop on “Role of Wildlife Personnel in Co-management of Wildlife Health and Related Issues”	Wildlife Training Centre, Giritala	25				6	4	35

### In Collaboration with Other Projects

Date	Title*	Locations*	Participants*				Resource Persons	Project Staff	Total
19-20 December 2013	Training Workshop on “Collection of Brain Samples from Animals for Diagnosis of Rabies”. Organizers: MoH and SLWHC, with FVMAS, DAPH and DWC.	ICE-APH, Gannoruwa and FVMAS, Peradeniya	12				5	3	20
10-12 December 2015	Workshop on “Capture, Anaesthesia and Handling of Wildlife for Health Care, Management and Research”. Organizers: Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences	Wildlife Training Centre, Giritala	15				6	1	22

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	and University of Kelaniya, with DWC, FVMAS and SLWHC.					
28 December 2015	Awareness Programme on “Rabies Prevention and Control for Staff of the Royal Botanic Garden, Peradeniya”: Organizers: DAPH and SLWHC, with FVMAS, MoH and Blue Paw Trust.	Royal Botanical Gardens, Peradeniya	100	6	1	107
21-22 June 2016	Workshop on Evidence Based Management and Conservation of Wildlife”. Organizers: Trunks and Leaves of USA and DWC, with SLWHC.	Wildlife Training Centre, Giritale	15	5	2	22

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