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LUXEMBOURGISH EFSA FOCAL POINT NEWSLETTER

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The Luxembourgish EFSA Focal Point would like to thank you in advance for disseminating any useful information among you contacts and networks.

Calls for tenders and proposals

Call for tender “European network for medical and veterinary entomology”

The European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control (ECDC) has published the call for tender “European network for medical and veterinary entomology” that also concerns EFSA.

The main objectives of the framework contract are:

- to consolidate the existing European network of medical and veterinary entomologists (VectorNet),
- to provide scientific support to ECDC and EFSA for their assessments on vectors and vector-borne diseases risk, prevention and control,
- to define and/or update the geographical distribution, abundance and seasonality of targeted arthropod vectors in the EU/EEA, the EU Enlargement countries, the European Neighbourhood Policy partner countries, and possibly some EU overseas countries and territories and EU outermost regions,
- to contribute to capacity building on vectors and vector-borne diseases.

<https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=3326>

Should you have any questions, please write to ECDC.procurement@ecdc.europa.eu

Deadline: 13 April 2018

Call for data relevant to the hazard assessment of Bisphenol A (BPA)

EFSA has published the Call for data relevant to the hazard assessment of Bisphenol A (BPA) - (EFSA-Q-2018-00221).



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de la chaîne alimentaire



The deadline for registering interest is 30 June 2018 and the deadline for submission of data is 31 August 2018.

Please send enquiries to fip@efsa.europa.eu.

More information: <http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/consultations/call/180309-0>

Events

132nd Plenary meeting of the FEEDAP Panel - Open for observers

Registrations to observe the open plenary (in person or via webcast) of the 132nd FEEDAP Panel are now open. The meeting will take place in Parma, Italy, on 17-19 April 2018.

For questions or queries on open plenary meetings at EFSA, please contact us at: publicmeetings@efsa.europa.eu

More information: <https://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/events/event/180417>

Open Plenary of the Scientific Committee - registrations open

Registrations to observe (in person or via webcast) the 88th Plenary meeting of the Scientific Committee are now open. The meeting will take place in Parma, Italy, on 11-12 April 2018.

For questions or queries on open plenary meetings at EFSA, please contact us at: publicmeetings@efsa.europa.eu.

More information: <http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/events/event/180411>

Publications

Frozen corn likely source of ongoing Listeria monocytogenes outbreak

EFSA and ECDC have published the Rapid Outbreak Assessment “Multi-country outbreak of Listeria monocytogenes serogroup IVb, multi-locus sequence type 6”.

More informations: EFSA Newsstory: <https://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/press/news/180322>

https://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/scientific_output/1402e.pdf

Should you have any questions, please write to zoonoses@efsa.europa.eu.



Other

Survey on consumers' awareness and risk perception of antimicrobial resistance

Under the EU-FORA fellowship program* of the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA), a survey questionnaire on consumers' awareness and risk perception of antimicrobial resistance was developed. The questionnaire is anonymous and the results will be interpreted both at national and international level to estimate the awareness of the consumer of issues related to antimicrobial resistance. The information gained from the survey will be disseminated as widely as possible. We kindly ask you to click on the link below and answer all the questions. Completion of the survey should not take longer than 15 minutes. We would like to thank you in advance for your time and effort.

Deadline: 30 April 2018

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScQyCdp_AL9kX9X803Xo4SrZrRIwQ4GRU4tbkO_g4HAj3HBFA/viewform?usp=sf_link

*<https://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/engage/fellowship>

The EFSA app is in store

The EFSA app "EFSA to the people" is now in store. The application provides access to EFSA's website and allows users to retrieve information on news, events, and the status of mandates and opinions.

More information: for [Apple devices](#) and for [Android devices](#).