



Rinderpest disease recognition



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This is the first of a series of courses on rinderpest, that aims to improve knowledge and capacities to suspect and rapidly identify and control an outbreak if re-emergence occurs. The course provides an overview of rinderpest eradication and illustrates the consequences of a possible re-emergence. It also describes the disease etiology and epidemiology, clinical signs, post-mortem findings and differential diagnosis.



2 hours



Available in English

You will learn about

- Basics of rinderpest and the consequences of a possible re-emergence
- The organism that causes the disease and its epidemiology and transmission
- Clinical signs and different forms of the disease infection in cattle and buffaloes
- Typical post-mortem findings in cattle and buffaloes
- Common differential diagnosis of rinderpest from similar diseases
- Diagnosis through an interactive *Rinderpest game*

Digital badge



Who is the course for?

This e-learning course is intended for a range of professionals who play a role in detecting and facing a possible re-emergence of the disease, including:

- Veterinary services
- Veterinary professionals
- Laboratory personnel
- Researchers, teachers and students of veterinary faculties

Key partners

This course was developed by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) in close collaboration with the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE), and funded by the US Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA).

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