## **EXERCISE EVALUATION GUIDE**

Exercise Name: Head, Shoulders, Foot and Mouth

**Exercise Date: TBD** 

**Organization/Jurisdiction: TBD** 

Venue: TBD

### Response

**Exercise Objective:** Understand the Federal, State, Local and Zoological stakeholders involved in a response to Foot and Mouth Disease

### **Core Capability: Operational Coordination**

Establish and maintain a unified and coordinated operational structure and process that appropriately integrates all critical stakeholders and supports the execution of core capabilities.

**Organizational Capability Target 1:** Identify the Federal, State, Local and Zoological stakeholders involved in a response to Foot and Mouth Disease.

Critical Task: Discuss your State Veterinarian and Foreign Animal Disease Diagnosticians' role in a FMD outbreak.

Critical Task: Identify Federal responders to a FMD case if an animal is confirmed positive.

Critical Task: Identify what zoo personnel will primarily be involved in response to a FMD outbreak.

Critical Task: Facility plans denote any other officials or agencies who should be notified prior to disease confirmation.

Source(s): USDA Red Book, State specific legislation or Disease response document.

**Organizational Capability Target 2:** Players discuss the types of messages that will be needed for various stakeholder groups (public, zoo visitors, etc).

Critical Task: Players should identify common, reliable sources for disease information.

Critical Task: Discuss possible press releases and any necessary public health messaging.

Critical Task: Zoos demonstrate knowledge of subject matter experts who should be contacted in an FAD outbreak.

Critical Task: Zoos identify sister facilities and organizations that could lend mutual aid assistance in an FMD outbreak.

Source(s): Individual institution's external media/communications plans. USDA's FMD Response-Communication.



Organizational Capability Target	Associated Critical Tasks	Observation Notes and Explanation of Rating	Target Rating
Identify the Federal, State, Local and Zoological stakeholders involved in a response to Foot and Mouth Disease.	<ul> <li>Discuss your State         Veterinarian and Foreign         Animal Disease         Diagnosticians' role in a         FMD outbreak.</li> <li>Identify Federal responders         to a FMD case if an animal is         confirmed positive.</li> </ul>	[Observation notes and explanation of rating]	[Target rating]
	<ul> <li>Identify what zoo personnel will primarily be involved in response to a FMD outbreak.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Facility plans denote any other officials or agencies who should be notified prior to disease confirmation.</li> </ul>		
Players discuss the types of messages that will be needed for various stakeholder groups (public, zoo visitors, etc).	Players should identify common, reliable sources for disease information (USDA)	[Observation notes and explanation of rating]	[Target rating]
	Discuss possible press release and any necessary public health messaging.		
	Zoos demonstrate knowledge of a subject matter expert who should be contacted in an FAD outbreak.		
	Zoos identify sister facilities and organizations that could		

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	lend mutual aid assistance in		
	an FMD outbreak.		
Final Core Capability Rating: [Enter Total Rating here]			

Evaluator Information

Evaluator Name:

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# Ratings Key P: Performed without challenges S: Performed with some challenges M: Performed with major challenges U: Unable to be performed

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# **Ratings Definitions**

Performed without Challenges (P)	The targets and critical tasks associated with the core capability were completed in a manner that achieved the objective(s) and did not negatively impact the performance of other activities. Performance of this activity did not contribute to additional health and/or safety risks for the public or for emergency workers, and it was conducted in accordance with applicable plans, policies, procedures, regulations, and laws.	
Performed with Some Challenges (S)	The targets and critical tasks associated with the core capability were completed in a manner that achieved the objective(s) and did not negatively impact the performance of other activities.  Performance of this activity did not contribute to additional health and/or safety risks for the public or for emergency workers, and it was conducted in accordance with applicable plans, policies, procedures, regulations, and laws. However, opportunities to enhance effectiveness and/or efficiency were identified.	
Performed with Major Challenges (M)	had a negative impact on the pertormance of other activities.	
Unable to be Performed (U)	The targets and critical tasks associated with the core capability were not performed in a manner that achieved the objective(s).	