

FOR INFORMATION

NAHIP Advisory Committee Annual Meeting 2026

Agenda Item 1.1

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PROGRESS ON NAHIP ADVISORY COMMITTEE ACTION ITEMS

MAY F2F 2025 MEETING

Item	Description	Who	When	Status
1	AHA to circulate an updated action item register that provides more specific details on the status of each item and indicates where they will be addressed during the meeting.	AHA	May-25	Complete
2	AHA will update the AHSQ – AHIA readership analytics report to reflect the corrections noted during the meeting. AHA will also liaise with the communications team to verify the reported 25% increase in subscribers for AHSQ Volume 28.	AHA	Jul-25	Complete
3	As part of the JEV MOU for data sharing, DAFF to liaise with AHA on logistics and timing to extract negative JEV data from NAHIS each quarter.	DAFF	Sep-25	Complete
4	AHA will discuss internally why Johnes Disease remains listed on EDIS despite its removal from the Sheep Health Monitoring Program and will report back to the Committee	AHA	Jul-25	Complete – JD is still part of the NSHMP but producers rarely request inspection for it when they send sheep to participating abattoirs.
5	Qld to circulate the names of the Syndrome List Revision Working Group to the NAHIP Committee, so members know who to contact if they wish to discuss the syndrome list revisions.	Qld	Jul-25	Complete
6	Following circulation of the meeting record, jurisdictions to nominate themselves to participate in providing their positive and negative case definitions for B. suis, BVD, and JD.	Jurisdictions	Jul-25	In progress – for further discussion under Item 3.2
7	AHA to discuss internally with their executives to see what records and insights are available from the consultation led by the DAFF team during the APC pilot project.	AHA	Aug-25	Complete
8	AHA and DAFF to discuss the new data standards and data reporting requirements, with particular focus on a. the scope of the NAHIP NND and the inclusion of Salmonella enteritidis given its lack of clinical disease b. determine whether the New and Emerging Disease project is still necessary to	AHA and DAFF	Dec-25	In progress – Item e. completed. See DAFF paper (Item 2.2)

	support international requirements, and if there are any adjustments into the future for this c. the inclusion of bee diseases and the scope of reporting between plants and animals, noting limited data d. on any guidance on the required species-level data and identify any existing gaps. e. the AHSQ quarterly statistics and data sections to identify any gaps and assess whether the current format continues to meet reporting and surveillance needs or if adjustments are required			
9	DAFF to confirm the expected additional information needed for trade enquiries (e.g. count of animals tested) to inform jurisdictional data collection.	DAFF	Aug-25	Complete
10	AHA to document current jurisdictional practices regarding the definition of a single investigation versus an event over time and assess the potential benefits and risks of standardising these definitions across jurisdictions.	AHA	Oct-25	For discussion under Item 3.2.
11	AHA to coordinate with internal EDIS staff to manage Ovine Brucellosis data entry and provide NAHIP coordinators with a list of EDIS contacts to facilitate internal communication.	AHA	Jul-25	Complete
12	Committee members to provide current average coordinator salaries and FTE figures to AHA to enable the inclusion of updated jurisdictional averages in the BP.	Jurisdictions	May-26	Complete
13	AHA to engage with DAFF to review the value and required granularity of data related to equine diseases, bovine brucellosis, and avian influenza/Newcastle disease (AI/ND). AHA will report back to the committee with outcomes and guidance from these discussions.	AHA and DAFF	Aug-25	Complete
14	AHA to review the wording in the Newcastle disease (ND) section, specifically regarding virus nomenclature and the reference to pet cage birds.	AHA	Aug-25	Complete – the ND table was removed from the summary section and is now only included in the final table of AHSQ alongside all other NNDIs.
15	AHA to document within the DMU the quarterly responsibilities of program coordinators, including the purpose and expectations of summary reports.	AHA	Oct-25	In progress – will be finalized post meeting.
16	AHA to consult with ACDP on how to ensure the figures presented in the summary section of state and territory reports better reflect overall laboratory testing effort. AHA to add note to the 3rd figure that the lab work at the	AHA	Dec-25	Complete

	jurisdiction irrelevant where that animal has originated from.			
17	AHA to begin extracting the figure titled "Submissions to state and territory government animal health laboratories to investigate clinical disease in domestic animals that include at least one test for a national notifiable animal disease" from NAHIS. AHA will also provide the committee with a supporting table detailing what is included in these figures to support data checking.	AHA	Aug-25	Complete
18	AHA to explore internally the alternative platforms to support document sharing among committee members, in particular, for the AHSQ review process.	AHA	Sep-25	Complete
19	NAHIP coordinators are to consult with their CVOs to clarify expectations around data sharing, communicate these expectations to other jurisdictions, and then compare other jurisdictions expectations against current practices to identify any discrepancies or gaps.	Jurisdictions	Oct-25	Confirm outcome

CARRIED OVER FROM 2024 MEETINGS

Item	Description	Who	When	Status
1	Confirm diseases, markets or populations that are a priority for trading partners and AHA to mock up what this data would look like on a summary page.	DAFF	Sep-24	Complete
2	Mock up what inclusion of EAD hotline, SWF and NAMP would look like on the summary page.	AHA	Sep-24	Complete
3	Document where wildlife and feral animal data is reported between eWHIS, NAQS and NAHIS databases.	WHA and NAQS	May-25	In progress – is being considered during 2026
4	AHA to consult with jurisdictions and advise DAFF of any differences in disease reporting that have been noticed between jurisdictions and where negative case definitions are required (e.g. endemic diseases such as Johnes).	AHA and jurisdictions	Mar-25	Superseded - refer action 6 from 2025 meeting
5	AHA to consider providing further guidance on the information/level of detail expected in jurisdictional annual reports (including to potentially supply a summary table of data extracted from NAHIS), to improve consistency of reporting.	AHA	Oct-25	Complete – included in coordinator report template for Oct-25 meeting
6	AHA progress the development of the extranet and include the jurisdictional data quality documents as resources.	AHA	Mar-25	In progress – update under Item 6.1

OCTOBER VIRTUAL 2025 MEETING

Item	Description	Who	When	Status
1	DAFF to review the inclusion of Cysticercus bovis and varroa mite reporting in NAHIP offline and provide advice back to the Committee.	DAFF	Jan-26	In progress – varroa mite no longer needed to be reported (see Item 2.2)
2	AHA to circulate TAS and NAQS report to the AC with the draft minutes	TAS & NAQS	Nov-25	Complete
3	AHA to confirm current file size limits on the extranet and advise the Committee.	AHA	Nov-25	Complete. Current limit is 128MB with possibility for increasing if needed