Tools and practices to disseminate animal health

DISARM Active Network

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What is DISARM?

• Thematic network under the Horizon 2020 Research and Innovation Program of the EU
• The DISARM project is a 3-year project from 2019-2021
• Disseminating innovative solutions in the livestock industry to reduce antibiotic use and consequently reduce and prevent antimicrobial resistance
• Assist the livestock sector to shift towards a prudent use of antibiotics
Key aims

- Promote best practices in livestock farming which can reduce the need for antibiotic use
- Share information across farming sectors, species and countries
- Establish a community of people with an interest in reducing antibiotic resistance in livestock farming
- Provide information and resources on best practices, management strategies and new technologies to ultimately reduce antibiotic resistance
- Guide and support further research and innovation work on reducing antibiotic resistance on farms, to develop practical solutions which do not compromise animal welfare or farm performance and profitability
- Ensure the project’s momentum is sustained by leaving platforms and programmes in place to keep the community interacting and driving the initiative forward

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How to get involved

• Join DISARM Facebook group to discuss and exchange ideas and help to develop and share effective, practical solutions to combat antibiotic resistance.

• Access information on strategies to reduce antibiotic resistance in livestock farming – check out DISARM resource pages and social media channels.

• See DISARM latest news and participate in upcoming events and workshops to learn from farmers who have successfully reduced their antibiotic usage and discover innovative technologies and strategies for combating antibiotic resistance.

• Farmers who would like to be involved in the development of farm health plans and/or host an event or workshop, please get in touch.