



WSAVA

Global Veterinary Community

Committee/Project Annual Report Template

Name of Committee/Working group	WSAVA One Health Committee
Chair	Prof Michael J. Day
Committee members	<p>Full Members</p> <p>Michael J. Day [Chair] Sarah Cleaveland Chand Khanna Mike Lappin Casey Barton Behravesh [CDC] Umesh Karkare Gregg Takashima Alex Thiermann [OIE] Will Eward Peter Karczmar Luca Guardabassi</p> <p>Affiliate Members</p> <p>Ed Breitschwerdt Thijs Kuiken Gaetano Oliva</p> <p>Observers</p> <p>Rod Jouppi [AWWC] Shane Ryan [WSAVA EB] IVSA representative</p>
Industry/Member Association Sponsors (if applicable)	<p>Sponsorship Consortium 2014-2016:</p> <p>Bayer Animal Health, Elanco, Hill's Pet Nutrition, MSD Animal Health, Merial, Nestle Purina, Waltham, Zoetis</p>
Committee tagline or mission statement	<i>To ensure the prominence of the small companion animal–human interface in the global One Health agenda.</i>
Key goals	<p>The committee works across three areas of One Health as it pertains to small companion animals:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The human–companion animal bond and the health benefits to people of interacting with companion animals 2. Comparative and translational clinical research in companion animals for the benefit of both animal and human health 3. The importance of surveillance and control for zoonotic

	infectious diseases shared between people and companion animals.
A brief history	<p>2010 WSAVA One Health Committee (OHC) established under the chairmanship of Prof Michael J. Day.</p> <p>2011-2013 Phase I activity of the OHC</p> <p>2011 MoU signed with OIE; committee representation from CDC</p> <p>2013 OHC and OIE joint symposium on global elimination of canine rabies; target set for global elimination by 2030</p> <p>2014-2016 Phase II activity of the OHC</p> <p>2015 MoU signed with GARC</p> <p>2016 OHC and CDC joint symposium on the One Health approach to control and prevention of obesity in people and pets</p> <p>2017-2019 Phase III activity of the OHC</p>
Opportunities and challenges	
Key activities this year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OHC and CDC joint symposium: Preventing Obesity in People and their Pets: a One Health Approach (November 10-11, Atlanta). Preparation of a position statement and three open-access scientific papers from this conference. • Publication of an Editorial in the <i>American Family Physician</i> (March 2016) • Publication of Editorials in <i>Clinician's Brief</i> and <i>Today's Veterinary Practice</i> • Publication of a paper on Pet-related Infections in the <i>American Family Physician</i> (November 2016) • Publication of open-access manuscripts from the CALLISTO project (2013-2015) in the <i>Journal of Comparative Pathology</i> • Meeting with the new Director General of the OIE, Dr Monique Eloit (August 2016) • Attendance at the 84th General Session of the OIE (Paris, May 2016) • One Health Stream at the 2016 WSAVA Congress • Latin American Rabies Forum at the 2016 WSAVA Congress • WSAVA Global One Health Award: Dr Luke Gamble, Mission Rabies • WSAVA One Health Poster Award at annual Congress • Delivery of Keynote lectures on One Health at ECVIM Congress and FAVP Paatsama Lecture
Priorities/Calendar for next year	Start of OHC Phase III projects
Press mention/articles/publications	Press releases on Global One Health Award, Obesity Symposium (pre- and post-conference), Latin American Rabies Forum
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