Animal Welfare Action Network

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Key livestock sector challenges in your AN theme domain

Selecting issues that highlight issues across species, geographies, country incomes

- Knowledge transfer and exchange on animal welfare
- Transport
- Legal and societal enforcement of legislation and best practice
- Lack of Objective Lifetime Wellness Measures (labelling, trustworthiness + rewarding to the producers/orgs that are responsive)
- Need for better recognition of role of working animals in sustainable livestock – Grace et al. (2022)

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Key livestock sector achievements in your AN theme domain

• UNEA resolution on animal welfare; 2019 Global Sustainable Development Report (GSDR) mention of animal welfare
• Public awareness increasing and driving momentum

• Connection of animal welfare and SDGs
  • Özkan et al (2022)

• Approaches for grassroots engagement and action on animal welfare
  • Lemma et al (2022)
Three to four key livestock sector outcomes we want to deliver

• Provide tools and methodological approach for measuring animal welfare, and support the implementation of these

• Share case studies where animal welfare have demonstrable benefits to the four sustainability domains

• Facilitate the exchange between different stakeholders (science and industry for example, NGOs development partners) – include work in various, diverse settings, increasing implementation; exchange of best practices

• Create a policy brief on the importance of animal welfare and its contribution to sustainable livestock
Three to four key livestock sector outcomes we want to deliver

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Three to four key livestock sector outcomes we want to deliver, by sustainability domains

- Livelihoods and economic growth
- Food and nutrition security
- Animal health and animal welfare
- Climate and natural resource use

Majority of outcomes + planned impact will sit here, but mapped to other domains
A ‘solution’ for the world

Awareness

• Where animal products come from – value chain
• Animal welfare’s role in sustainable livestock – policy action
• Approaches for measuring and improving welfare – implementers

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Commitments and next steps

Planning these outcomes is underway

• Case studies of success stories of animal welfare
• Collaboration with any of the actions stated
• Joining the AWAN

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Thank you

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