

ISDS One Health Surveillance (OHS) Case Study Awards

Deadline September 18, 2015

Purpose:

The purpose of this project is to identify and highlight examples of how professionals have implemented a One Health Surveillance (OHS) approach that integrates animal, human, and environmental surveillance to address a public health threat.

Working definition of OHS:

One Health Surveillance (OHS) is the continuous, systematic collection, analysis, and interpretation of health-related data from multiple disciplines to inform collaborative planning, implementation, and evaluation to achieve optimal health for people, animals, and the environment.

Eligibility:

1. Any professional working in human, animal, and/or environmental health surveillance from any country is encouraged to apply. Applicants working at for-profit companies must demonstrate collaboration with the public sector.
2. Awardees must be available to attend and present at the ISDS conference in Denver, CO, USA December 8-10, 2015.
3. All case studies must be written in English in the application format provided.

Application Process:

Please complete the attached application available at [this link](#).

Review Process:

The Case Study Review Group will include ISDS OHS Task team members, ISDS staff, and SGTF staff. Three Case Studies will be chosen for an award based on (1) extent of cross-sector collaboration, (2) how surveillance data was used to inform action, (3) innovation of the project/activity, and (4) overall quality of written submission.

Awards:

- Travel and registration for the full 2015 ISDS Pre-conference and Conference in Denver, CO, USA, December 8 - 10, 2015
- An invitation to present at the OHS Pre-conference Workshop, Dec. 8, 2015
- Awardees will be reimbursed for economy airfare, ground transportation, and visa costs (if applicable); hotel costs will be paid directly by ISDS.
- Note: Applicants are also encouraged to submit an abstract for the ISDS Conference. Visit syndromic.org for abstract submission details.

For more information please visit the [OHS webpage](#). Please contact OHS@syndromic.org with any questions.