

# Capacity Building Needs and Priorities

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# Areas of capacity building

Broad areas in which capacity is needed

- · Institutional capacity
- · Human resources capacity development and training
- · Risk assessment and other scientific and technical expertise
- · Risk management
- · Scientific, technical and institutional collaboration at subregional, regional and international levels
- Technology transfer
- · Identification of LMOs, including their detection
- · Socio-economic considerations
- · Implementation of the documentation requirements under Article 18.2 of the Protocol
- · Measures to address unintentional and/or illegal transboundary movements of LMOs
- · Taking into account risks to human health

# Needs and priorities

### Specific needs and priorities

· Mechanism for coordination among national regulatory authorities and processes

Extent of implementation

Not addressed

Preferred means

- Technical assistance and advice
- Funding support
- Guidance / training materials

Major target groups

- Government regulators / administrators
- Technical personnel / Scientists
- Other professionals (e.g. lawyers, economists, etc.)

· System for magement of records related to LMO import applications and decisions

Extent of implementation

· Not addressed

Preferred means

- Education and training
- Exchange programmes, internships, study tours, etc.
- Technical assistance and advice

Major target groups

- Government regulators / administrators
- Technical personnel / Scientists
- Other professionals (e.g. lawyers, economists, etc.)

System for decision-making on LMOs (procedures and guidelines)

 $Extent\ of\ implementation$ 

Not addressed

Preferred means

- Education and training
- Funding support
- Scholarships / fellowships

Major target groups

- Technical personnel / Scientists
- Government regulators / administrators
- Other professionals (e.g. lawyers, economists, etc.)

System for resource-recovery (e.g. system for collecting fees on applications)

Extent of implementation

Preferred means

- · Education and training
- Technical assistance and advice
- Funding support

 ${\it Major\ target\ groups}$ 

 Government regulators / administrators

· System for tracking and dealing with unintentional or illegal transboundary movements

Extent of implementation

Not addressed

Not addressed

Preferred means

- Education and training
- Funding support
- Guidance / training materials

Major target groups

- Enforcement officials (e.g. field inspectors)
- Customs officials
- Government regulators / administrators

· Mechanism for inspections and enforcement of biosafety laws

Extent of implementation

Not addressed

Preferred means

- Funding support
- Guidance / training materials
- Exchange programmes, internships, study tours, etc.

Major target groups

- Customs officials
- Enforcement officials (e.g. field inspectors)
- · Technical personnel / Scientists

· Access to information on staff exchange/on-the-job-training opportunities

Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
<ul> <li>Minimally addressed</li> </ul>	Funding support	Technical personnel / Scientists
	Exchange programmes, internships,	• Enforcement officials (e.g. field
	study tours, etc. • Scholarships / fellowships	inspectors)  • Customs officials
		Oustoins officials
Training in scientific and technical	•	
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Minimally addressed	<ul><li>Education and training</li><li>Funding support</li></ul>	<ul><li>Technical personnel / Scientists</li><li>Technicians (e.g. in the laboratories)</li></ul>
	Scholarships / fellowships	Mass media / extension workers
		riuss media / extension workers
• Training in legal, social and econor		
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Not addressed	<ul> <li>Exchange programmes, internships, study tours, etc.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Other professionals (e.g. lawyers, economists, etc.)</li> </ul>
	Membership with professional bodies	Mass media / extension workers
	/ networks	Graduate and undergraduate
	Funding support	students
Training in risk assessment		
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Minimally addressed	Funding support	• [Not specified]
	Exchange programmes, internships,	,,
	study tours, etc.	
	<ul> <li>Scholarships / fellowships</li> </ul>	
Training in risk management		
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Minimally addressed	Exchange programmes, internships,	Technical personnel / Scientists
v	study tours, etc.	Technicians (e.g. in the laboratories)
	<ul> <li>Funding support</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Interest groups (consumer groups,</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Conferences and other fora</li> </ul>	farmers, NGOs, etc.)
<ul> <li>Training in LMO sampling and determined</li> </ul>	ection	
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Minimally addressed	Exchange programmes, internships,	Technical personnel / Scientists
	study tours, etc.	Customs officials
	Funding support	Enforcement officials (e.g. field
	Technical assistance and advice	inspectors)
Training in administrative practice	s for handling LMO import and release application	ons
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Not addressed	Education and training	Government regulators /
	• Funding support	administrators
	• Exchange programmes, internships,	administrators • Customs officials
	<ul> <li>Exchange programmes, internships, study tours, etc.</li> </ul>	
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Training in compliance requiremen	ts under the Protocol	
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Not addressed	<ul> <li>Funding support</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Enforcement officials (e.g. field</li> </ul>
	Education and training	inspectors)
	Exchange programmes, internships,	Customs officials
	study tours, etc.	Government regulators /     administrators
		aummstrators
Guidance documents on specific asp		
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Not addressed	<ul><li>Funding support</li><li>Education and training</li></ul>	<ul><li>Technical personnel / Scientists</li><li>Other professionals (e.g. lawyers,</li></ul>
	Membership with professional bodies	economists, etc.)
	/ networks	Technicians (e.g. in the laboratories)
National risk management system/s	trategy	, ,
National risk management system/s  Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Minimally addressed	Education and training	<ul><li>Major target groups</li><li>Government regulators /</li></ul>
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	<ul> <li>Exchange programmes, internships,</li> </ul>	Other professionals (e.g. lawyers,
	study tours, etc.	economists, etc.)
		Technical personnel / Scientists
System to detect and appropriately	respond to unintentional LMO releases	
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Minimally addressed	Education and training	Technical personnel / Scientists
. Immuny dudiosocu	Funding support	<ul> <li>Enforcement officials (e.g. field</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Exchange programmes, internships,</li> </ul>	inspectors)
	study tours, etc.	Customs officials
Tools and methodologies for environ	nmental monitoring of LMOs	
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
<ul> <li>Not addressed</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Funding support</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Enforcement officials (e.g. field</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Guidance / training materials</li> </ul>	inspectors)
	Technical assistance and advice	Technical personnel / Scientists
		Technicians (e.g. in the laboratories)
Enabling policy/regulatory framewo	rk for technology transfer	
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Not addressed	<ul> <li>Funding support</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Technical personnel / Scientists</li> </ul>
	Guidance / training materials	• Technicians (e.g. in the laboratories)
	Exchange programmes, internships,	Government regulators /
	study tours, etc.	administrators
Laboratory for LMO detection and a	·	
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Minimally addressed	<ul><li>Funding support</li><li>Technical assistance and advice</li></ul>	Technical personnel / Scientists     Technical personnel / Scientists
	Conferences and other fora	<ul><li>Technicians (e.g. in the laboratories)</li><li>Graduate and undergraduate</li></ul>
	Conferences and other for a	students
Guidance on unique identification s	veteme	
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Not addressed	Education and training	Government regulators /
	Funding support	administrators
	<ul> <li>Exchange programmes, internships,</li> </ul>	Technical personnel / Scientists
	study tours, etc.	Technicians (e.g. in the laboratories)
Simple/quick LMO test kits		
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Not addressed	Funding support	Enforcement officials (e.g. field
	Education and training	inspectors)
	Taskaisal assistance and admiss	<ul> <li>Customs officials</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Technical assistance and advice</li> </ul>	• Customs officials

		administrators
idance on taking into account s	ocio-economic considerations in decision-maki	ing concerning LMOs
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Not addressed	Education and training	Other professionals (e.g. lawyers,
	<ul> <li>Funding support</li> </ul>	economists, etc.)
	<ul> <li>Technical assistance and advice</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Government regulators /</li> </ul>
		administrators
		<ul> <li>Technical personnel / Scientists</li> </ul>
ational system for managing and	protecting confidential information	
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Not addressed	Education and training	Government regulators /
	<ul> <li>Funding support</li> </ul>	administrators
	<ul> <li>Technical assistance and advice</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Technical personnel / Scientists</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Customs officials</li> </ul>
egulatory framework for address	ing human health impacts of LMOs	
Extent of implementation	Preferred means	Major target groups
Minimally addressed	Education and training	Government regulators /
	<ul> <li>Funding support</li> </ul>	administrators
	<ul> <li>Technical assistance and advice</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Customs officials</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Enforcement officials (e.g. field</li> </ul>
		inspectors)