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Veterinary Medicines Division

Agenda - Focus group meeting for veterinarians or other healthcare professionals on facilitating pharmacovigilance reporting of medicinal products used in aquaculture

22 November 2023, 10.00-17.00 CET (Amsterdam time)

Item	
1.	Introduction and overview of veterinary pharmacovigilance data on aquatics (www.adrreports.eu)
2.	Update on latest developments on substances for use in aquaculture under the cascade
3.	Aquaculture veterinarians' perspectives on pharmacovigilance/reporting and investigation of adverse events
4.	Emerging topical issues in the aquaculture world concerning veterinary medicinal products (VMPs) and pharmacovigilance
5.	Challenges for reporting adverse events in aquaculture and measures to address these
6.	Improving feedback to reporters
7.	Types of information on VMPs and adverse events is useful for aquaculture veterinarians
8.	Sources of information do aquaculture veterinarians use for the latest information on VMPs
9.	Improving dialogue between veterinarians and the EU regulatory network
10.	Conclusions and next steps

Objective(s): To gain in-depth knowledge of the challenges faced by veterinarians or other healthcare professionals specialised in aquaculture concerning pharmacovigilance reporting; to explore potential opportunities to address these challenges and facilitate and encourage adverse event reporting. The meeting will also provide the opportunity to foster liaison and improve dialogue between the Agency and veterinarians or other healthcare professionals specialised in aquaculture at EU-level.

