

## 17TH MEETING OF RABIES PROGRAM DIRECTORS OF THE AMERICAS - REDIPRA 17

**Bogota, Colombia | 12-14 October 2023**

**Location: Casa Dann Carlton Hotel & SPA, in Calle 93B # 19-44**  
**Provisional Agenda (Colombia Timetable)**

Wednesday   11 October 2023		
Arrival of country delegates, PAHO/WHO CCs, International experts, other agencies, and guests		
Thursday   12 October 2023		
08:00 - 08:30	Registration	
08:30 - 09:00	REDIPRA 17 Opening Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guillermo Alfonso Jaramillo, Ministry of Health and Social Protection (MSPS)</li> <li>Juan Fernando Roa Ortiz, General Manager, Colombian Agricultural Institute (ICA)</li> <li>Gina Tambini, Representative of Pan American Health Organization in Colombia</li> <li>Ottorino Cosivi, Director of PANAFTOSA/VPH-PAHO/WHO</li> </ul>	Official Representatives of Colombia PAHO, and PANAFTOSA Representatives
09:00 - 09:15	Round of presentation of the participants	All attendees
09:15 - 09:30	Election of the President and Rapporteur	
09:30 - 10:30	Secretariat Report: Update on technical cooperation activities of the Regional Rabies Program in the Americas (30') <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Exchange between the delegates (30')</li> </ul>	PANAFTOSA
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break	
11:00 - 12:00	Analysis of the Epidemiological Situation of Rabies in the Americas (30') <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Exchange between the delegates (30')</li> </ul>	PANAFTOSA All delegates
12:00 - 13:30	Lunch	
13:30 - 14:30	Role of PAHO/WHO Collaborating Centers on Rabies in the Americas (45') <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Exchange between the delegates (15')</li> </ul>	CC PAHO/WHO
14:30 - 15:45	Adherence and follow-up to the "Regional Program of the Americas for Rabies in Livestock" (30') <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Exchange between the delegates (45')</li> </ul>	PANAFTOSA All delegates
15:45 - 16:00	Coffee Break	
16:00 - 17:30	What is missing for the implementation of the national policies for pre-exposure prophylaxis of transmitted human rabies <i>D. rotundus</i> in at-risk populations? (15') <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Country examples (45')</li> <li>Exchange between the delegates (30')</li> </ul>	PANAFTOSA Perú Brazil All delegates
18:30	Confraternization	

Friday   13 October 2023		
08:30 - 08:45	Summary of the previous day	PANAFTOSA
08:45 - 10:30	Presentation and discussion of the "Regional Plan for the Elimination of Canine Rabies 2024-2030" (30') <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Usage of SIRVERA (30')</li> <li>• Exchange between the delegates (45')</li> </ul>	PANAFTOSA All delegates
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break	
11:00 - 12:00	Mechanism and benefits of validation/verification of elimination of human rabies mediated dogs and canine rabies (30') <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exchange between the delegates (30')</li> </ul>	PANAFTOSA México
12:00 - 13:30	Lunch	
13:30 - 14:30	PAHO Revolving Fund (30') <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exchange between the delegates (30')</li> </ul>	PAHO/WDC
14:30 - 15:30	Proposal for the elimination of human rabies mediated by dogs in selected countries. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cross-border actions</li> </ul>	PANAFTOSA All delegates
15:30 - 16:00	Coffee Break	
16:00 - 17:30	Proposal for the elimination of human rabies mediated by dogs in selected countries. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Regional Collaboration Mechanisms</li> </ul>	PANAFTOSA All delegates
Saturday   14 October 2023		
08:30 - 09:00	Summary of the previous days	PANAFTOSA
09:00 - 11:30	Submission and adoption of recommendations	All attendees
11:30 - 12:00	Acknowledgments and closure of the meeting	Official Representatives of Colombia PAHO and PANAFTOSA Representatives
Sunday   15 October 2023		
Return of country delegates, PAHO/WHO CCs, International experts, other agencies, and guests		