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NEW Wildlife Surveillance Network

- In collaboration with the Canadian Wildlife Health Cooperative and Environment and Climate Change Canada, we're pleased to share our new Wildlife Surveillance Network!
- This network brings together representatives from federal, provincial and territorial governments, academia and non-governmental organizations to facilitate information sharing, cross-sectoral dialogue and collaborative approaches to wildlife health in Canada.
- CAHSS members can sign in to the member portal and join the network under "My Profile".



**2
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Metrics February 2026

**Disease
Alerts - most
viewed
website page**

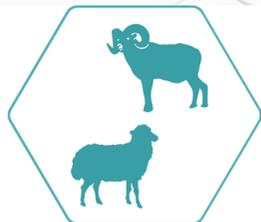
**2
Network and
Working Group
Meetings**

**10
New
Members**

**3,000
Users on
Website**



February Network and Working Group Highlights



Wildlife-Domestic Animal Interface Working Group

- Preparation for working group prioritization exercise, to guide future activities.
- Provincial and territorial wildlife surveillance projects.
- Connections with other national and international groups working at the wildlife-domestic animal interface.



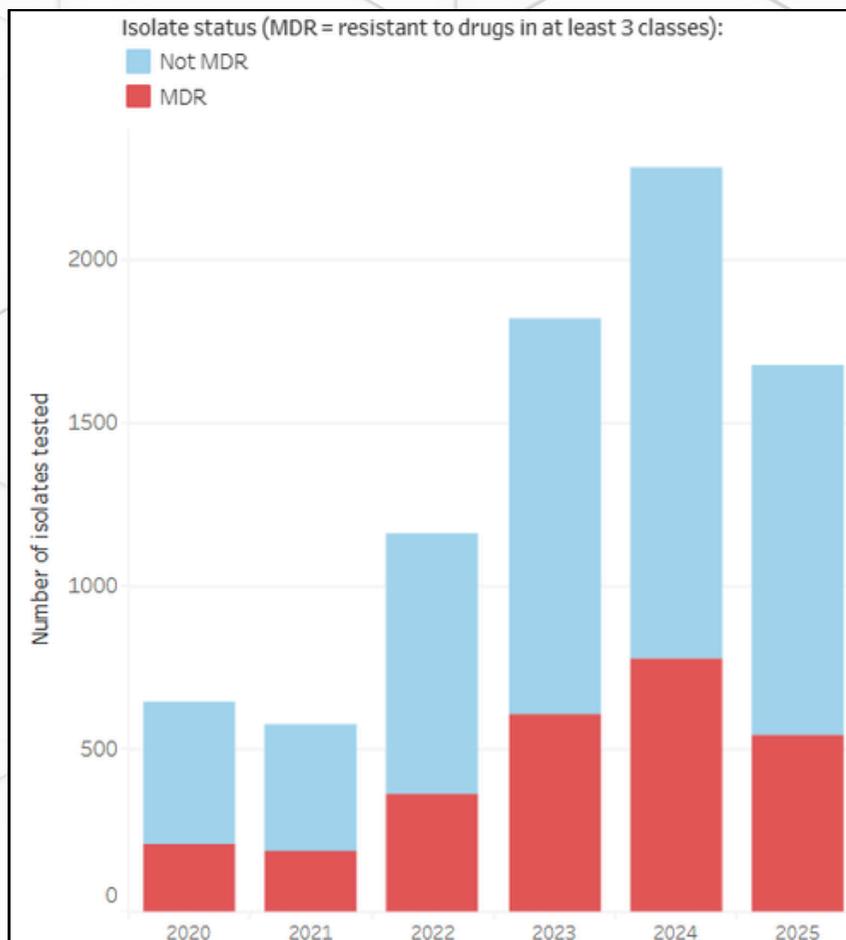
Wildlife Network (New!)

- Overview of the new Network, including activities and processes.
- Introduction to the Network collaborators, the Canadian Wildlife Health Cooperative and Environment and Climate Change Canada.
- Initial round table of member roles, priorities, and needs, to guide future network endeavours.
- 79 members present at the first meeting.



National data platform: Antimicrobial sensitivity testing

Led by CAHSS, the AST dashboard consolidates and transforms disparate data into a standardized format.



Additional views are developed to examine trends in bacterial antimicrobial resistance.

Data are organized by

- year
- sample type
- antimicrobial class
- methicillin resistance
- resistance to multiple drugs (e.g., on the left)

to help look for patterns that may require additional evaluation or discussion.

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**TickNet Canada 2026 Scientific Symposium
Attendee: Dr. Marianne Parent**

**Trent University - One Health Career Talk
Speaker: Dr. Emma Gardner**



CAHSS In-Person Engagement!



**Dr. Marianne Parent with other attendees of
the TickNet Symposium**



EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

PREVENTION | PREPARATION | RESPONSE | RECOVERY

- The CanSpotASF 2024/2025 Annual Report is now available. Read the report **HERE!**
- CanSpotASF is the national surveillance program for early detection of African swine fever (ASF) in swine in Canada.
- During 2024/25, the program maintained robust surveillance through risk-based testing at approved animal health laboratories, abattoir condemnation sampling, and expanded invasive wild pig surveillance to support CFIA's passive ASF monitoring. Canada remains ASF-free.

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