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European One Health Association

The European One Health Association: a sustainable One Health network

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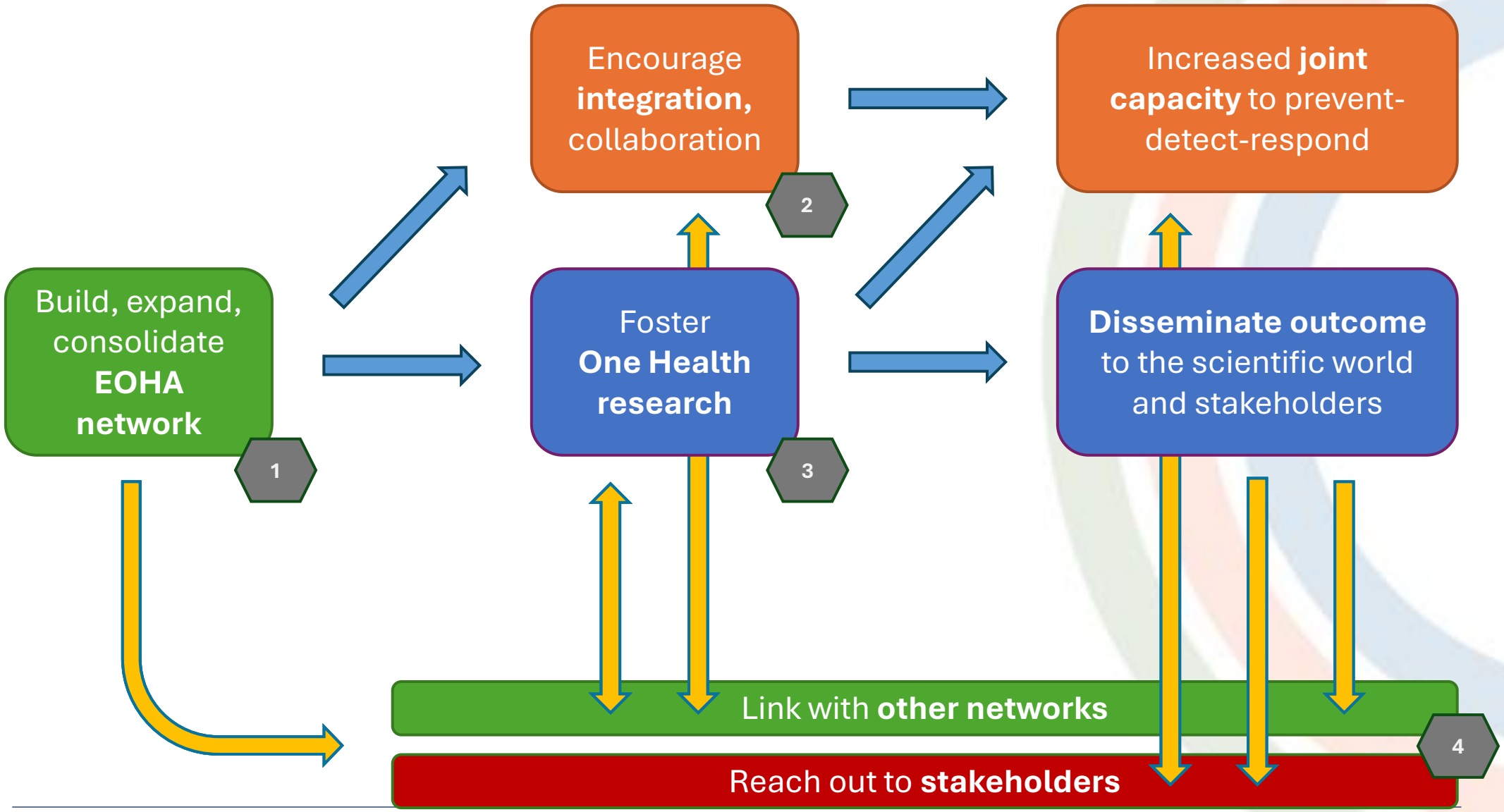
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The European One Health Association



- The Association is an integrated European network of public and academic institutions with national reference functions in the medical/public health and food/veterinary domains.
- The network fosters One Health research on zoonotic infectious diseases and antimicrobial resistance (AMR) and pursues integration of expertise and harmonization of methodologies to reinforce the joint EU capacity to prevent, detect and control zoonoses and AMR.
- It is taking action to extend its scope through inclusion of national (or regional) public institutes that have the health of the environment as their main objective.

Strategic goals of EOHA



EOHA

1. Consolidating and expanding the European One Health network

- To include scientific institutions from all European countries.
- To include scientific institutions from the environmental domain.
- To explore possibilities to integrate socio-economic aspects.
- To establish links with other One Health networks.



34 affiliated scientific institutes from 20 European countries



2. Promoting One Health cross-sector collaboration: regular activities

Objectives:

- To organize Annual Scientific Meetings
- To create and promote opportunities for exchange of skills, knowledge and methodologies through joint training courses, short term missions, workshops and travel grants
- To promote opportunities for the harmonization of approaches, methodologies and databases, complementary to activities performed by EU reference laboratories or conducted in European projects.
- To disseminate information to target audiences to foster One Health collaboration







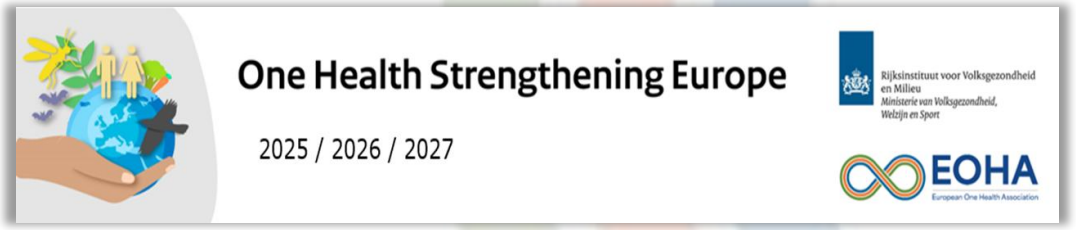
ONE HEALTH
Human Animal Environment

2. Promoting One Health cross-sector collaboration: One Health projects & initiatives

- To build on the One Health EJP project (2018-2023) and continue some of its successful integrative activities.

- To collaborate in the One Health Strengthening Europe project aiming to strengthen One Health approaches within and between European countries in collaboration with European stakeholders.

- Peitho



- To pave the way for a future true One Health research consortium addressing at least food safety challenges, AMR and emerging threats in a fully integrative One Health approach, including environmental aspects, socio-economics etc.; FP10 may be a first opportunity.

EOHA: interface between EU initiatives?

Horizon Europe

EU4Health

Public health

Animal / food / environment

EUP Be Ready

EUP One Health AMR

United4Surveillance

One Health

Role of the EOHA?

- Facilitate interrelationships
- Promote synergies to strengthen One Health in Europe

EUP Animal Health & Welfare

EUP Sustainable Food Systems

EUP Biodiversa

OH4Surveillance





