



## The Human Dimension in Animal Health Programs: Understanding Behavior and Practices

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Human behavior directly influences animal health, making humans responsible for providing care, implementing preventive measures, and managing livestock systems. Recognizing the importance of human behavior in animal health programs can lead to targeted education, training, and increased awareness of proper animal husbandry. Effective communication and collaboration among stakeholders such as farmers, veterinarians, policymakers, and consumers are vital for success. Considering perspectives, needs, and concerns of involved parties allows programs to be tailored to address specific challenges. Understanding and addressing human behavior, fostering collaboration among stakeholders, and considering public health implications are essential for effective animal health promotion and societal well-being.

This Special Issue explores studies assessing the human dimension, including practices associated with animal health programs, to enhance effectiveness and improve community health. We encourage observational studies addressing behaviors, knowledge, and opinions of stakeholders.





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