A centre for veterinary excellence,
responsible for gathering, coordinating and promoting French veterinary expertise worldwide.

A global and structured network involving public and private partners of veterinary sanitary governance,
in veterinary technical expertise covering: university education, research, clinical practice, husbandry,
aminal identification, pharmacy, diagnostic laboratories, administration and international cooperation for development.

A common project,
supported by shared ethical values... and technical values
Solidarity
Sharing of know-how
Transparency
Reactivity and efficiency
Team work
Excellence and versatility

An operational structure, partner of national and international organizations,

French development agency (AFD), the European commission (UE), World organization for animal health (OIE), Food and agriculture organization (FAO), Agency for development of international cooperation in the field of agriculture, food and rural areas (ADECIA), France international cooperation (FCI), as well as several private consulting companies.
In a more international demanding environment…

- Recurring sanitary crises and emerging diseases (Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy, avian influenza, …) compel to increase sanitary governance
- Growing economical stakes in live animal trading and livestock products (SPS agreement) compel public services and private organizations to fall into line with international standards in animal health practice and veterinary public health

... France Veterinaire International proposes

Implementation of its members expertise in

- Animal diseases control
- Food hygiene and safety
- Animal protection and identification
- Laboratory diagnostics
- Veterinary training and research
- Support to veterinary administrations
- Audit and assessment

Training in

- “Official veterinary” specialisation
- Husbandry and animal health in the Mediterranean and the tropics

Customized training engineering

A few examples...

Of expertise implementation

- Twinning between French veterinary services and Tunisian, Moroccan or Egyptian veterinary services (European commission)
- TAIEX expertise (European commission)
- Support to “Resolab” (FAO)
- Support to fisheries sanitary department of Madagascar (AFD)
- Experts appointment:
  * Emergency community veterinary team (UE)
  * French-speaking expertise implementation (FAO)

Of training

- About sixty master-level students per year in husbandry and veterinary medicine in hot climate regions

Of training engineering

- Program “Better Training for Safer Food” (BTSF) in Europe and in Africa (European commission)
- Twinning with Dakar inter-states school of veterinary sciences and medicine (EISMV)
- Partnership with National office for food sanitary security (ONSSA) and Agronomical and veterinary institute (IAV) - Morocco
France Veterinaire international members are:

- **Public institutions:**
  - **MAAPRAT** - Ministry of agriculture, food, fisheries, rural areas and territory planning:
    - **DGAL** - Directorate general for Food (competent authority in charge of Veterinary Services)
    - **DGER** - Directorate general for Training and Research
    - **DGPAAT** - Directorate general of rural affairs, food industry and territories
    - **CGAAER** - Council general of food, agriculture and rural areas
  - **MAEE** – Ministry of European and Foreign Affairs:
    - **DGM** - Directorate general of globalisation, development and partnerships
  - **ENV** – National Veterinary Colleges of Alfort (ENVA), Toulouse (ENVT), Nantes (Oniris), Lyon (VetAgro Sup – Veterinary Campus) and The National School of Veterinary Services (VetAgro Sup – ENSV)
  - **INFOMA** – Centre for MAAPRAT Veterinary Technician Training
  - **CIRAD** – French Agronomic Research Centre for international development
  - **ANSES** – French Food, Environment and Labour Safety Agency
  - **ADILVA** – French Association for Managers and Executives of Public Veterinary Laboratories

- **Private or professional organisations:**
  - **AVSF** – Agronomists and Veterinaries Without Borders (NGO)
  - **CVPFI** – French Private Group for International Veterinary Cooperation which includes CSOV (French Veterinary Statutory Body), NGO called CEVEO (East/West Veterinary Cooperation and Exchange), FYSF (French National Veterinary Unions Federation), SNGTV (National Society of Veterinary Technical group), SNVEL (National Union of Private Veterinarians), AVEF (French Association for Veterinarians specializing in horses), SNVSE (National Union of private sector Veterinarians).
  - **Animal Husbandry Institute** - International technical cooperation office coordinating actions in expertise, engineering, counseling and international training for farmers professional organizations.
  - **SIMV** - Industry of Veterinary drugs and reagents Union
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