

Short Term Training Program for Officers of Semen Stations (SSOT) (5 days duration)

Need of the Programme:

The Short-Term Training Program for Officers at Semen Stations(SSOT) aims to enhance awareness and foster technical skills among newly appointed veterinary officers in semen stations nationwide. This program is designed to provide comprehensive training in diverse aspects of quality semen production, covering critical areas in a semen station such as bull selection, frozen semen processing, biosecurity measures in semen stations, disease testing protocols, and the evaluation procedures specific to semen station operations. The objective is to ensure that participants are well-versed in adhering to the minimum standards outlined by the Government of India for the production of bovine frozen semen. This program ensures imparting technical knowledge to the officers recently posted to the semen stations who are new to the technology and MSP for semen production. Further, the program ensures the participants are sensitized to the purpose and value of every standard mentioned in MSP and its role in producing best quality frozen semen.

Impact of the Programme:

The primary goal of SSOT is to empower participants with a thorough understanding and adherence to the stringent minimum standards set by the Government of India for bovine frozen semen production. This training not only imparts essential skills to early-career officers and newly posted officers to semen station but also has a profound impact on elevating semen station practices nationwide. By instilling a high level of competence and compliance, the program significantly contributes to enhancing the overall quality and efficiency of semen production, fostering a positive ripple effect on the entire semen stations throughout the country.