



## Avoiding AMR together: Ensuring healthy and safe aquatic foods

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**27 November 2023**

13:00 to 16:00 hours (CET)

World AMR Awareness Week 2023 | Preventing antimicrobial resistance together

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### **ABOUT**

In celebration of World AMR Awareness Week (WAAW) 2023, the Fisheries and Aquaculture Division of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) is organising a webinar titled “Avoiding AMR together: Ensuring healthy and safe aquatic foods” in collaboration with the FAO Reference Centres for AMR and Aquaculture Biosecurity. The event will take place on 27 November 2023.

Join us to learn from our experts how to address AMR by gaining insights into AMR and One Health, AMR risks, zoonoses, AMR tools, alternatives, standards and regulations for aquaculture products.

Discover ongoing efforts from private sector and government entities to combat AMR.

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## PROGRAMME

Opening Remarks	<b>Mr Manuel Barange</b>  Assistant Director-General  Director, NFI, FAO
Alternative to antimicrobials: Biological approaches for disease control in aquaculture	<b>Ms Qing Wang</b> PRFRI, CAFS, China
Biosecurity risks in the exploitation of Antarctic fishery resources	<b>Mr Qingli Zhang</b> YSFRI, CAFS, China
Aquatic organisms of zoonotic concern	<b>Mr Iddya Karunasagar</b> Nitte University, India
AMR and One Health	<b>Ms Indrani Karunasagar</b>  Nitte University, India
Implementation of AMR surveillance in farmed aquatic animals	<b>Ms Athina Papadopoulou</b>  CEFAS, UK
FAO tools to address AMR in agrifood systems and quadripartite collaboration	<b>Ms Junxia Song</b> CJWZ, FAO
Import notifications and relevant standards and regulations for aquaculture products with an AMR perspective	<b>Ms Esther Garrido Gamarro</b> NFIMF, NFI, FAO
Surveys and sampling of the aquaculture industry in Nigeria reveal the need to enhance the safety and judicious use of antimicrobials	<b>Mr Larry Hanson</b> MSU, USA
Strategies to reduce antibiotic use in catfish aquaculture	<b>Mr Matt Griffin</b> MSU, USA

**Beyond the net: private sector initiatives in aquaculture to safeguard One Health against AMR**

**Mr Rolando Ibarra**

Monterey Bay Aquarium, Chile

**FAO's efforts on understanding AMR in Aquaculture**

**Ms Melba Reantaso**  
NFIMF, NFI, FAO

**Closing Remarks**

**Mr Audun Lem**

Deputy Director, NFI, FAO

#### LEGEND

PRFRI	Pearl River Fisheries Research Institute
YSFRI	Yellow Sea Fisheries Research Institute
CAFS	Chinese Academy of Fishery Sciences, China
CEFAS	Centre for Environment, Fisheries and Aquaculture Science, UK
CJWZ	Joint FAO/WHO Centre (CODEX Food Standards and Zoonotic Diseases), FAO
NFIMF	
NFI	Food Safety, Nutrition and Health
MSU	Fisheries and Aquaculture Division, FAO
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