



Project identification

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Top 5 areas/projects which were supported from Survey (in order)

1. Investigate positive welfare states / handling procedures to mitigate aversive practices
2. Develop a better understanding of what prevents/inhibits adoption and develop more effective methods for technology transfer.
3. Develop whole of chain animal welfare programs which include objective standards and training.
4. Develop stockperson training packages for all sectors
5. Commission work to identify current and emerging gaps in Australian animal welfare RD&E capability and recommend strategies to address these gaps

Other suggested areas/projects

- Public Education – close the gap between consumers and producers (From Survey)
- Develop cost analysis tools to determine effectiveness of welfare friendlier products considering logistic and profitability outcomes in addition to the welfare outcomes (From Survey)
- What can we do about improving welfare standards in countries that import our livestock? (From Survey)

- Other Projects / areas??
- Develop a platform to communicate RDE activities (Initiated at Forum)
- Rank top 4.

Bear in mind.....

**Nationally Significant
High priority
Cross-sectoral
Collaboration**

Forum Ranking Vote

1. Communicate RDE activities – platform - 15
2. Investigate positive welfare states / handling procedures to mitigate aversive practices - 11
3. Commission work to identify current and emerging gaps in Australian animal welfare RD&E capability and recommend strategies to address these gaps -7
4. Pain measurement -6