



WBFSH Annual Plan 2026

1. Develop a Strategy for Equine Welfare and Good Breeding Practice
2. Promoting traceability of genetic material, including recording of breeding techniques in passports and working with legislative bodies
3. Develop a forum to inform and evaluate how various innovative biotechnologies such as OPU-ICSI, gene modification and other potential future technologies will impact breeding
4. Develop the WBFSH Data Platform
5. To finalise implementation of suitable platforms that will provide clean, verified pedigree data, to enable data exchange with the FEI
6. Planning of the championships together with FEI
7. Planning of the studbook team competition in jumping
8. Working on EU legislation in cooperation with European Horse Network and other organisations
9. Improve overall communication between the WBFSH and its studbooks and their breeders through implementation of the marketing and communications plan
10. Continue to improve overall collaboration between the WBFSH and FEI, for example through the WBFSH FEI Council, for example on issues such as welfare and young horse competitions
11. Verified breeding information on starting lists and other media
12. Sponsorships – work on attracting additional sponsors
13. Contact to international federations (COPA, EAAP etc)
14. Continued support of international organisation of young breeders' competition
15. Promote and maintain the WBFSH rankings of horse breeders, studbooks and the stallions
16. Raising the profile & gaining greater recognition of the WBFSH through new initiatives e.g. develop our presence on social media, and continue to develop the WBFSH website
17. Consult with the non-EU studbooks to address issues specific to them and increase their engagement in the federation
18. Risk Register: Maintain and review annually during the in-person joint meeting, covering funding risks, political shifts, member disengagement, and reputational issues