Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Badger Edge Vaccination Scheme: Application form

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Using this form

This form may be used to make an application to the Badger Edge Vaccination Scheme (BEVS). It should be read alongside the how to apply guidance. Please complete all parts of the form, then print it and sign the declaration in ink. Please scan and return to us by email at tbadmin@defra.gsi.gov.uk or by posting to:

Badger Edge Vaccination Scheme, Defra

Area 5D, Nobel House

17 Smith Square

London

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Use of this form is not compulsory. However, all applications must indicate that the grounds for mandatory rejection do not apply to them, as set out in Annex A, and include a declaration.

If you experience any problems completing this form please email us.

Using and sharing your information

The Data Protection Act 1998 gives people the right to know what data we hold on them, how Defra use it, with whom it is shared and for it to be accurate. Defra is the data controller in respect of any personal data that you provide as part of an application to BEVS.

Defra will use applicants' personal data for the purpose of processing and assessing applications. In submitting an application to Defra, applicants are agreeing for the information within it to be shared with other planned or in progress vaccination campaigns. This will help enable building of best practice and where appropriate sharing of resources.

We will respect personal privacy, whilst complying with access to information requests to the extent necessary to enable Defra to comply with its statutory obligations under the Environmental Information Regulations 2004, and the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Part 1: Organisation and contact details

Applicant details	
Name of applicant	
If applicable: Name of lead organisation	
If applicable: Name(s) of other consortium members	
Type of organisation	
Describe type of organisation(s) e.g. Registered charity	

Contact details (for enquiries about this application)		
Name		
Address and postcode		
Contact number		
Email address		

Part 2: Evaluation criteria

Please provide statements against each of the following evaluation criteria. Information on what to include within each statement is available in the how to apply guide.

Additional evidence in support of your statements, such as maps, should be named appropriately and attached separately.

How would you satisfy Criterion 1?		
(Vaccination area should be generally within the Edge Area of England)		
How would you satisfy Criterion 2?		
(Vaccination area should be at least around 15km²)		

How would you satisfy Criterion 3?		
(Applicants should demonstrate commitment to vaccinate for a minimum of 4 years)		

How would you satisfy Criterion 4? (Applicants need to demonstrate ability to carry out a vaccination campaign)		

How would you satisfy Criterion 5?	
(Accurately keep records and data)	
How would you satisfy Criterion 6?	
(Vaccination campaign should represent value for money)	

Part 3: Declaration

Please confirm you have understood and completed all parts of the form and that all information provided is correct to the best of your knowledge, including that the grounds for mandatory rejection set out in Annex A do not apply to you.

Signature of applicant	
Date	

Annex A: Grounds for mandatory rejection

In some circumstances Defra is required by law to exclude organisations from applying for a grant – if you have been convicted of the offences listed below then it is unlikely your application will be accepted and you should **contact Defra for advice before submitting** at tbadmin@defra.gsi.gov.uk.

- (a) Conspiracy within the meaning of section 1 or 1A of the Criminal Law Act 1977 or article 9 or 9A of the Criminal Attempts and Conspiracy (Northern Ireland) Order 1983 where that conspiracy relates to participation in a criminal organisation as defined in Article 2 of Council Framework Decision 2008/841/JHA;
- (b) Corruption within the meaning of section 1(2) of the Public Bodies Corrupt Practices Act 1889 or section 1 of the Prevention of Corruption Act 1906; where the offence relates to active corruption;
- (c) The offence of bribery, where the offence relates to active corruption;
- (d) Bribery within the meaning of section 1 or 6 of the Bribery Act 2010;
- (e) Fraud, where the offence relates to fraud affecting the European Communities' financial interests as defined by Article 1 of the Convention on the protection of the financial interests of the European Communities' within the meaning of;
 - i) The offence of cheating the Revenue
 - ii) The offence of conspiracy to defraud;
 - iii) Fraud or theft within the meaning of the Theft Act 1968, the Theft Act (Northern Ireland) 1969, the Theft Act 1978 or the Theft (Northern Ireland) Order 1978;
 - iv) Fraudulent trading within the meaning of section 458 if the Companies Act 1985, article 451 of the Companies (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 or section 933 of the Companies Act 2006;
 - Fraudulent evasion within the meaning of section 170 of the Customs and Excise Management Act 1979 or section 72 of the Value Added Tax Act 1994;
 - vi) An offence in connection with taxation in the European Union within the meaning of section 71 of the Criminal Justice Act 1993;
 - vii) Destroying, defacing or concealing of documents or procuring the execution of a valuable security within the meaning of section 20 of the Theft Act 1968 or section 19 of the Theft Act (Northern Ireland) 1969;
 - viii) Fraud within the meaning of section 2, 3 or 4 of the Fraud Act
 - ix) Making, adapting, supplying or offering to supply articles for use in frauds within the meaning of section 7 of the Fraud Act 2006;
- (f) Money laundering within the meaning of section 340(11) of the Proceeds of Crime Act 2002;
- (g) An offence in connection with the proceeds of criminal conduct within the meaning of section 93A, 93B or 93C of the Criminal Justice Act 1988 or article 45, 46 or 47 of the Proceeds of Crime (Northern Ireland) Order 1996; or
- (h) An offence in connection with the proceeds of drug trafficking within the meaning of section 49, 50 or 51 of the Drug Trafficking Act 1994.