



Join NSA and animal health experts from Moredun to discuss approaches to reduce losses and risks from 'Iceberg' diseases affecting sheep

NSA looks forward to welcoming members, friends and neighbours to a new series of webinars this Spring. The meetings will inform on the risks posed by these often unnoticed, but sometimes devastating diseases that impact on performance in UK sheep flocks, causing significant losses and being spread unwittingly.

Agenda

1. Welcome

2. What are 'Iceberg diseases'? Reasons to be careful 1, 2, 3

NSA Chief Executive, Phil Stocker NSA

Phil Stocker will explain why now is the time for sheep farmers to take Iceberg diseases seriously, considering increasing productivity and improving environmental performance; impending reduction in farm support; building trade opportunities a reputation.

3. Different control approaches for different diseases

The Moredun Institute

Leading experts from Moredun will outline the background to these diseases and the options available for farmers to tackle Johnnes disease and Ovine Pulmonary Adenocarcinoma (OPA)

4. The role of the Premium Sheep and Goat Health Scheme

SRUC

5. Discussion with attendees and NSA, Moredun, SRUC

7. Finish

Please note a case study on OPA control will be available following the webinar

