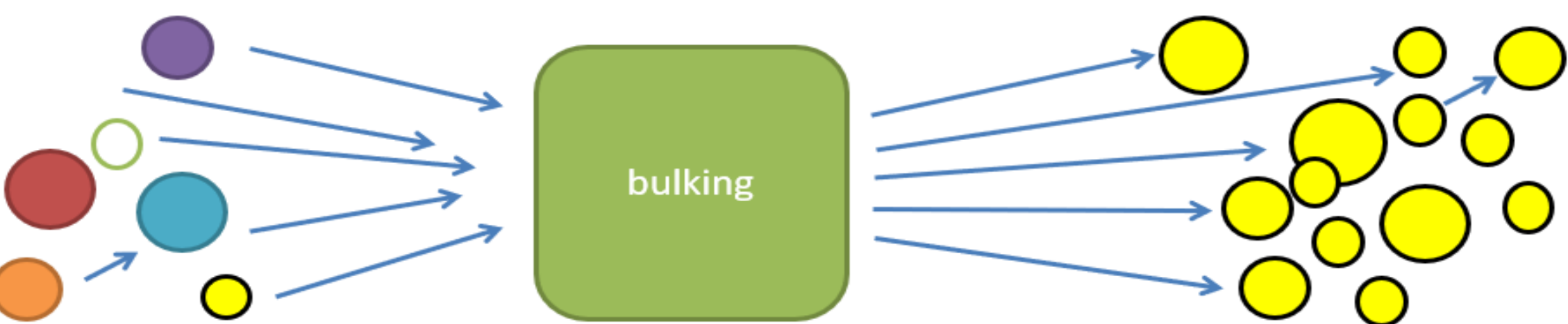


## Aims and objectives

1. Training of meat handlers on good hygienic practices
2. Abattoirs as sentinels for transboundary animal and zoonotic diseases



For more information, see Terrestrial Animal Health Code, Chapter 6.1 "The role of Veterinary Services in food safety"

## Activities completed since June 2019

- Team composed including student and staff recruitments
- Work plans finalized and aligned with VSF-G and BUILD-AMR
- Monthly team meetings
- Weekly student meetings

## Work with other BUILD teams

- BUILD-AMR: AM residue testing; Velma co-supervised by Arshnee; Jolly attends BUILD-AMR meetings; Steven is VSF-G technical staff in BUILD-VPH and BUILD-AMR
- Samples collected can be tested for RVF and PPR (BUILD repository)



# BUILD – VPH

## Veterinary Public Health at the point of slaughter

### Team members:

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### Focus pathogens and sample types to be collected in 2020/21

Humans	Pigs	Cattle	Small ruminants	Environment
Hand swabs Stool	Lymph nodes	Fresh raw meat swabs	Fresh raw meat swabs	Swabs (utensils, PPE)
Serum Whole blood	---	Serum Lymph nodes Spleen Uterine tissue	Serum Lymph nodes Spleen Uterine tissue	---
Serum Whole blood	Serum Kidney Uterine tissue	Serum Kidney	Serum Kidney Uterine tissue	Abattoir effluent Rodents
	Whole blood Urine	Urine	Whole blood Urine	Community open water sources

BUILD-AMR

Salmonella

Brucella

Leptospira

BUILD repository

BUILD-RVF

BUILD-RVF

BUILD-PPR



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## Major achievements

- Recruitment of students and engagement of academic supervisors (Clovice Kankya and Damalie Nakanjako, both Makerere)
- Alignment of workplans with VSF-G
- Mobilization of abattoirs and DVOs
- Integration with other BUILD components

## Major challenges

- Delays in recruitments
- COVID-19 once everyone was on board

## Outputs since June 2019

- Introducing BUILD-VPH at Launch event June 2019: <https://hdl.handle.net/10568/101958>
- Bugeza J., Kivali V., Alinaitwe L., 2020: 2 presentations each at BUILD student seminars and BUILD APM on 11 June 2020

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