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Bovine TB Vaccine Field Trials

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Purpose

To inform you of the Press Notice (<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/green-light-for-ground-breaking-bovine-tb-vaccine-field-trials>) released today about the Bovine TB Vaccine Field Trials in regards to the [Government's response to the Godfray review](#) of England's 25-year bovine tuberculosis (BTB) eradication strategy.

The bovine tuberculosis (bTB) TB cattle vaccination trials are set to get underway in England and Wales as a result of a major breakthrough by government scientists.

The field trials will be conducted over the next four years on behalf of Defra, the Welsh Government and the Scottish Government, following 20 years of ground-breaking research into bovine TB vaccines and diagnostic tests.

Further Information

For further information please contact [APHA Corporate Communications](#).

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