

Enhancing **small ruminant** production to benefit farming families in Sindh and Punjab, Pakistan



Primary partners

UOM University of Melbourne **UVAS** University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences

NRSP National Rural

Support Program

SLD Sindh Livestock Department

AVCCR Dairy Beef Collaborating and resource sharing



Secondary partners



Objectives

Activities

Outcomes

Best practice strategies and support resources for improved growth and management of adult animals and a reduction of mortalities in young stock

Identifying and acting on the key health and welfare issues and improving the survival and
growth of young and adult small ruminants

Develop and test improved production practices to increase growth and off take of small ruminants

Create opportunities for women and their families to derive more benefits from small ruminant production and marketing

Trialling strategies for better participation for men and women in small ruminant value chains

Recommendations for value chain interactions that increase the benefits for stakeholders

Extension materials on these issues that are grounded in search and inclusive of the needs of all members of small ruminant farming families

Trialling ways to share opportunities and technical knowledge with families raising small ruminants in in landed and landless situations

Develop and test strategies for supporting small ruminant farming families to assess market opportunities and attain market specifications



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