

One Health on the move: Nomadic Communities

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Fully dependent on their animals for their livelihood and income, pastoralists employ mobility as a key strategy to ensure the availability of pasture and water for their herds. While their movement allows them to overcome the vagaries of nature, their remoteness and often trans-boundary livelihoods have made it challenging to access services and engage in decision-making. They are especially vulnerable to zoonotic diseases, because they live in close contact with their animals and often consume raw milk and meat. Multisectoral approaches such as One Health can help address the challenges at this interface and provide adapted services to pastoralists.

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