

# Partnering for Animal Health

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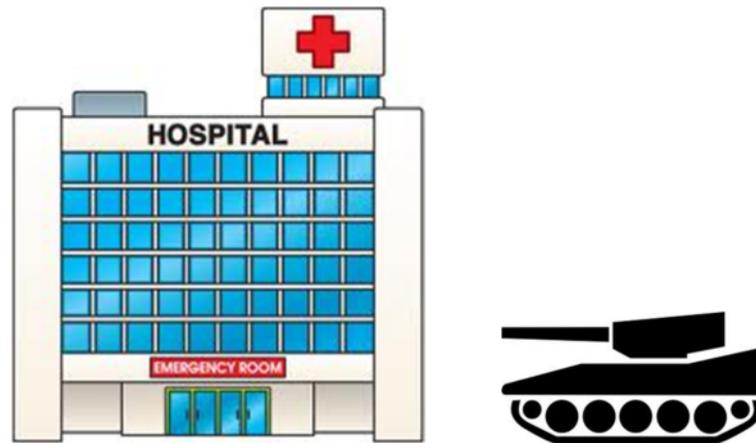


## **World Organisation for Animal Health: \$2 million between 2010-2012**

- Strengthening laboratory capacities through the OIE Laboratory Twinning Program
- Supporting the evaluation and strengthening of national veterinary services through the PVS Tool and Gap Analysis
- Supporting development of regional emergency preparedness and response strategies
- Strengthening monitoring and surveillance of animal diseases and zoonoses through World Animal Health Information Database (WAHID) & World Animal Health Information System (WAHIS)

# Sensitivities and Concerns

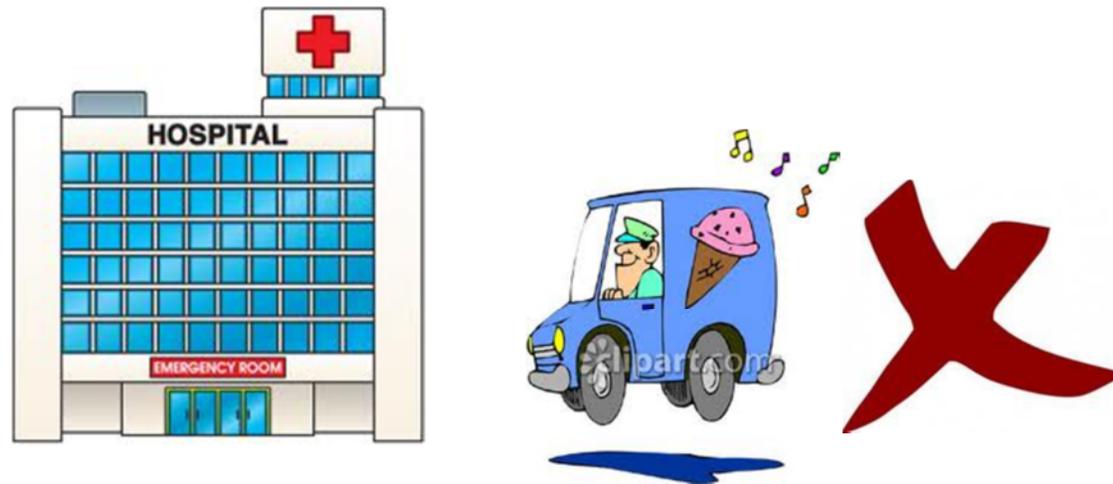
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- “Securitization” of health sphere
- Perception of loss of neutrality
  - Not all health risks are security threats

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- Necessary to recognize and understand security mandate and priorities
- Transparency, open communication

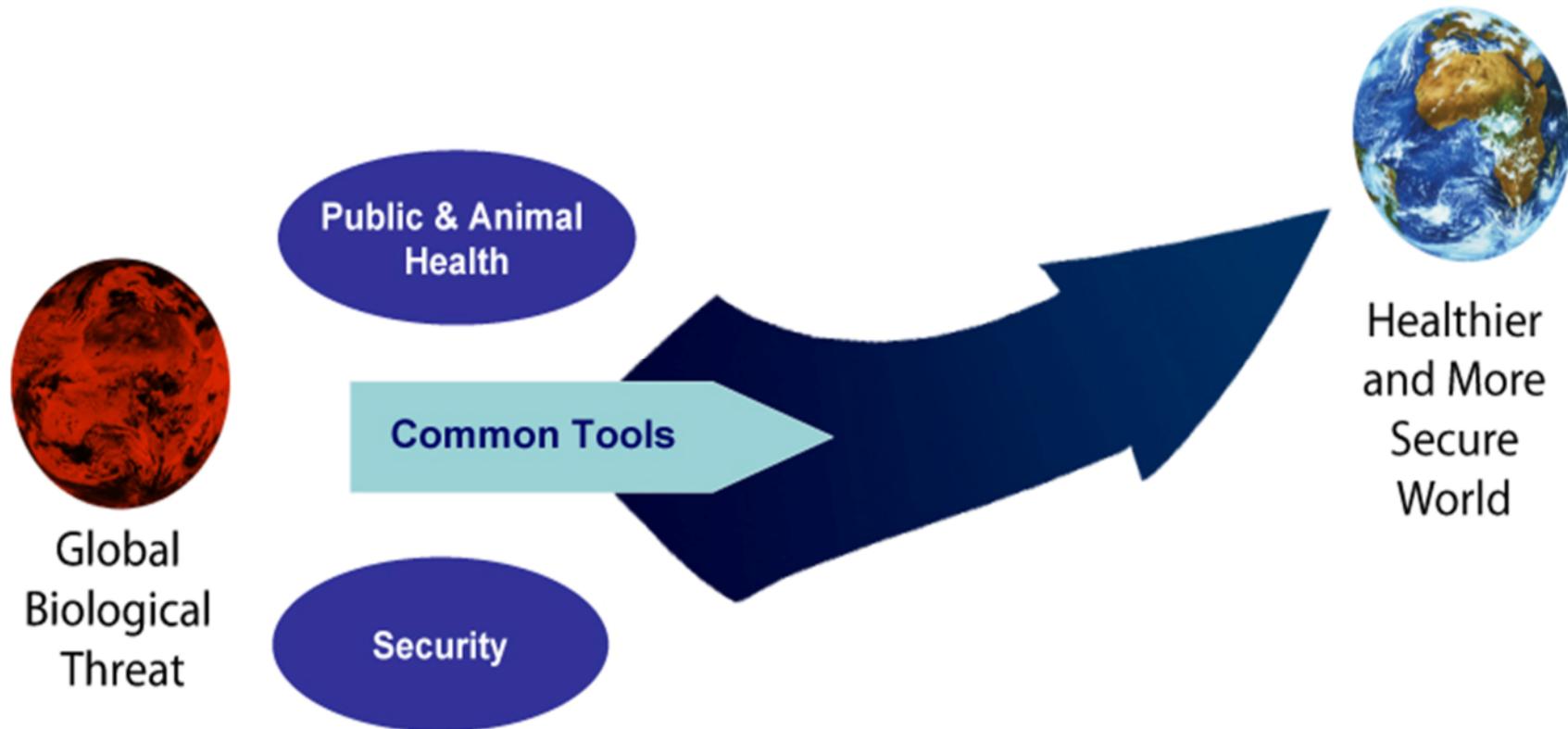
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- “Ordering from the health sector’s menu”
- Evaluating health projects from a security perspective

# Strengthening Global Biological Security at the Health/Security Interface



# Renewal of Canada's Global Partnership Program



- \$367M over 5 years (2013-2018)
- Focus on:
  - Nuclear/radiological security;
  - Biological security;
  - Scientist engagement;
  - UNSCR 1540 Implementation



## PM announces renewal of Canada's Global Partnership Program

*Canada continues to play a leadership role in international efforts to combat weapons of mass destruction (WMD), proliferation and terrorism*

27 March 2012

Seoul, South Korea



Prime Minister Stephen Harper today announced the renewal of Canada's Global Partnership Program, which supports efforts to strengthen global security by combating the threat of nuclear, radiological, biological and chemical terrorism.