



Safe Food, Fair Food for Cambodia

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Objectives

- 1) Assess the multiple burdens of foodborne diseases associated with key animal-source food value chains.
- 2) Adapt and evaluate a market-based approach to improving food safety.
- 3) Reduce the burden of foodborne disease in informal, emerging formal, and niche markets.

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Highlight of 2020 achievements

Good Hygiene Practices Intervention for Safer Pork in Traditional Markets in Cambodia

- A **low to moderate compliance** of pork vendors in applying cleaning and disinfection spray for shop equipment and hands was observed from trial group.
- A **slightly reduction** of total bacteria count load and *Salmonella* prevalence in pork, **however** there was **no significant difference** between trial and control groups.
- A major issue was that the whole intervention period took place during COVID-19 disrupting follow-up and monitoring.





