

# Transmission and Occurrence of *Leptospira* infection among livestock and humans in Uganda

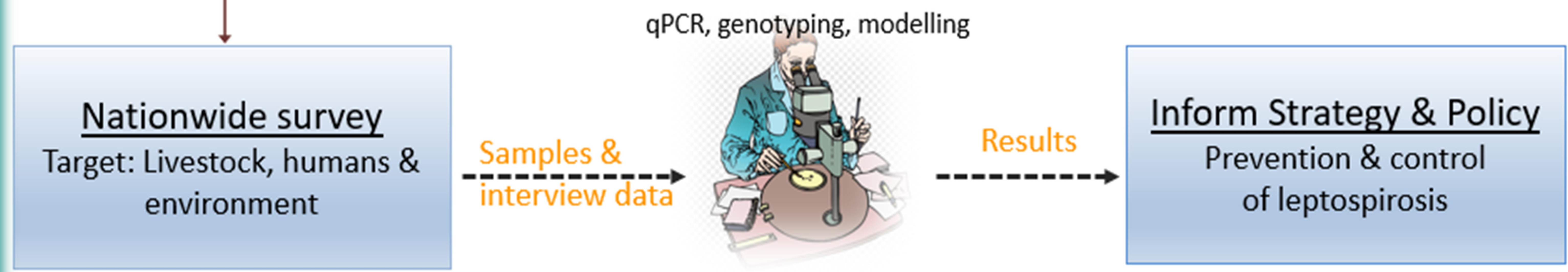
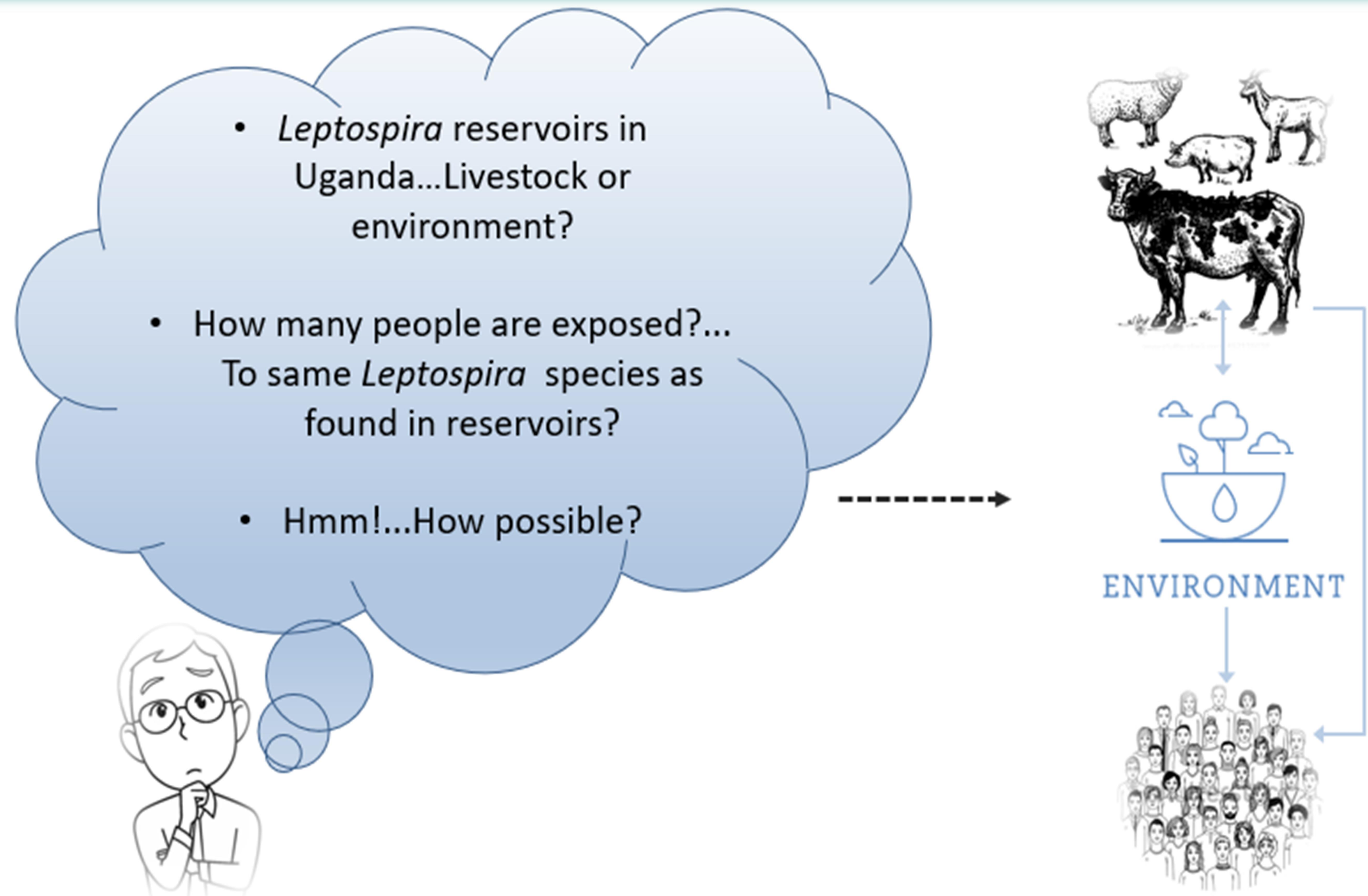
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## Background

- *Leptospira*: bacteria that cause leptospirosis, a zoonotic disease endemic in the tropics
- Annual global morbidity of about 1,000,000 cases

## Gaps

- Livestock are implicated for human leptospirosis in Uganda
- Prevention and control requires understanding which livestock species are reservoirs, and how humans get infected



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