



Animal &  
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Agency

## APHA Briefing Note 06/22

# Upcoming changes to iSam and an invitation for OV and OV Admin user testing.

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### Purpose

1. To inform Official Veterinarians (OVs) and OV Admin about the upcoming changes to iSam, due to go live Summer 2022 and to explain how OVs can get involved in testing the new IT upgrade.

### Background

2. APHA have been working with IT suppliers to upgrade iSam. It will be accessible through more internet browsers (Safari, Firefox, Chrome and Microsoft Edge). Internet Explorer will not be a supported browser for iSam.
3. This change will impact all iSam users. It will look significantly different but functionally, it will behave in the same way.
4. APHA have been User Verification testing (UVT) throughout the changes allowing Subject Matter Experts (SMEs) within APHA to test iSam as the upgrade progresses through the various stages
5. OVs, Approved Tuberculin Testers (ATT) and OV Admin will still log onto iSam via the Government Gateway as they currently do.

### Action

6. APHA are looking for OV, ATT and OV Admin volunteers to review the upgraded iSam. This is where iSam users can provide vital feedback on the new layout, look and feel of the

upgrade and suggest future improvements. The review is not expected to take more than an hour to complete.

7. It is expected that this review will commence in April 2022.
8. If you would like to volunteer to be involved, please email the address below. Further information will then be provided in due course.

## Further Information

Any questions relating to the project should be directed to [samupgrade@apha.gov.uk](mailto:samupgrade@apha.gov.uk)

## Upgrade iSam Screens

### Workbasket view

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Practice work Search

Log off

Work List Assignee - DEight OV Admin Veterinary Practice - DS Official Veterinarian Practice 2019

To apply a filter please select one or more values from the list below and click 'Submit'

Name:  CPH:  Delivery Partner:

Due From:  Due To:  Work Area:

WSA:

Submit Clear Filters

Select Test Type... Create Test

Name	Location name	CPH/CPHH	Earliest Start	Due by	Test Arr	Work Area	Test Type	Spec Ins	Herd Type	Anms	WSA	Delivery Part	Alloc Date
<input type="checkbox"/> Scurname, Location 0		84/585/8500/01	10-Mar-19	10-May-19	01-Apr-19	TB	6M		Dairy	2	40424		26-Apr-19
<input type="checkbox"/> Mustard, E	English Mu	07/094/0117/01	27-Jul-19	27-Sep-19		TB	12M		Beef	0	40768	D8 Deliver	08-Dec-21
<input type="checkbox"/> Thunderclax	39 Check F	35/218/6777/01	31-Jan-20	31-Mar-20	09-Dec-21	TB	12M		Beef	0	41028	D8 Deliver	09-Dec-21
<input type="checkbox"/> Mustard, E	English Mu	07/094/0117/01	30-Apr-20	30-Jun-20		TB	6M		Beef	3	41299	D8 Deliver	21-Jul-20
<input type="checkbox"/> John, Merc	Field One	07/094/0117/05	08-Oct-20	29-Oct-20		TB	PRMT		Beef	0	41708		08-Oct-20
<input type="checkbox"/> Jones, Xav	Bayview	73/284/0216/01	14-Oct-21	14-Dec-21	14-Dec-21	TB	12M		Beef	0	46236	D8 Deliver	14-Dec-21
<input type="checkbox"/> Jones, Xav	Bayview	73/284/0216/01	14-Oct-21	14-Dec-21		TB	12M		Beef	0	46268	D8 Deliver	15-Dec-21
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<input type="checkbox"/> John, Merc	Knird Farm	07/094/0117/01	21-Dec-21	14-Jan-22		TB	PRMT	67	Beef	0	48643		21-Dec-21
<input type="checkbox"/> Jones, Bar	Mower Shed	07/094/0117/01	21-Dec-21	14-Jan-22		TB	PRMT	1	Beef	1	48645		21-Dec-21
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<input type="checkbox"/> Mustards,	TEST LOCAT	07/094/0117/01	21-Dec-21	14-Jan-22		TB	PRMT	0	Beef	0	47643		21-Dec-21
<input type="checkbox"/> Jones, Bar	Location W	07/094/0117/02	21-Dec-21	14-Jan-22		TB	PRMT	5	Beef	0	47645		21-Dec-21
<input type="checkbox"/> John, Merc	Field One	07/094/0117/03	21-Dec-21	14-Jan-22		TB	PRMT	0	Beef	0	48641		21-Dec-21
<input type="checkbox"/> Duckula, A	East Tent	07/094/0117/05	21-Dec-21	14-Jan-22		TB	PRMT	0	AFU (Enhanced) Herd	0	51643		21-Dec-21
<input type="checkbox"/> Mustards,	English Mu	07/094/0117/01	21-Dec-21	14-Jan-22		TB	PRMT	0	Beef	0	51639		21-Dec-21

Transfer From:

Transfer to:

Transfer Work Items

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# TB Skin Test

Name COLONEL English Mustard Location English Mustard Farm Activity ID WSA-40768

Take action Add Test Details

Populate CTS Data Recalculate Eligibility Print Working Form Save

File Options

1. Owner Details 2. Test Details 3. Test Results 4. Summary & Sign-Off

Enter the test details below and then click Save.

Test Arranged Date (dd/mm/yyyy)  Select time

TT1 Date (dd/mm/yyyy) 23/09/2019

TT2 Date (dd/mm/yyyy)

Complete Test  Part Test  No Eligible Stock

**Test Interpretation**  Standard  Severe

Reason for Test TB 12 Month Test

No. of Animals

Special Instructions

**Test Performer**

Tester Name

**Movement Records**

Have the movement records required to be kept under the current regulations been seen and appear substantially correct?

**Tuberculin Details**

Has the farmer been advised to enter use of Tuberculin into the medicines book?  Yes  No

**Tuberculin Batch Numbers:**

Avian

Bovine

**Comments / Additional Information**

Alternative Cattle location? (If different from above)

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