

Live Animal Transportation in Air Cargo

Refresher Course – Update and Recertification in accordance with IATA LAR

1 DAY COURSE | MIN PARTICIPANTS | Available Languages : DE+EN+FR

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Description

Stay up to date and refresh your expert knowledge in the air transport of live animals! Our one-day refresher course builds on the basic course and offers a practice-oriented opportunity to deepen your knowledge and learn about all new legal requirements and regulatory changes introduced since your initial training.

In this course, you will not only refresh your understanding of established procedures and safety standards, but also gain insight into newly introduced regulations, requirements, and safety measures for the air transport of live animals. You will receive a comprehensive overview of the latest provisions from the International Air Transport Association (IATA), the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO), the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES), as well as EU Regulation (EC) No. 1/2005 and other relevant frameworks. This refresher course is specifically designed for participants who have already completed the basic course and need to align their knowledge with the latest legal requirements and best practices. You will learn how to continue ensuring the safe and efficient transport of live animals while complying with the most recent regulatory developments.

Target group

- Air freight forwarders and staff in logistics, shipping, and handling departments who are regularly involved in the coordination of animal transports and wish to expand their expertise.
- Personnel from airlines, airports, and ground handling services responsible for the acceptance, storage, and onward transport of live animals.
- Animal owners, breeders, and zoological institutions that regularly transport animals by air or are involved in transport-related decision-making.
- Veterinarians and all companies involved in the transport of live animals.

Class location: Classroom training in Europe, or worldwide in-company

Included: course material, certificate

Learning objectives

- Updating regulations and legal requirements to ensure the safe and species-appropriate transport of live animals in line with the latest regulatory changes.
- Enhanced risk identification and management: recognizing and minimizing new risks and hazards throughout the transport process while complying with all current requirements.
- Optimization and adaptation of standard operating procedures: reviewing and updating existing processes, including documentation, to meet the latest regulatory standards and ensure the safe shipment of live animals.
- Advanced understanding of transport containers: updating knowledge of the latest design principles and ensuring correct application in accordance with current regulations for different animal species.
- Deeper understanding of animal behavior and stress reduction: expanding knowledge of animal behavior during transport to minimize stress and ensure species-appropriate conditions in line with the latest standards.
- Updating loading, unloading, and care processes: reviewing and improving procedures for loading and unloading, as well as the provision of food and water, to enhance animal welfare in accordance with current guidelines.
- Updated emergency and delay management strategies: developing and implementing new approaches to handle emergencies and delay quickly and professionally under the latest regulatory requirements.
- Preparation for audits and compliance checks: ensuring that all updated processes and knowledge can be properly documented and demonstrated during audits and compliance assessments.

Course outcomes

- Upon successful completion, you will receive an internationally recognized certificate confirming your expertise in the safe transport of live animals in accordance with the latest regulatory requirements.

