

About the Federal Select Agent Program

Mandated by Congress, the Federal Select Agent Program (FSAP) regulates the possession, use, and transfer of biological select agents and toxins that have the potential to pose a severe threat to public, animal or plant health, or to animal or plant products.

The program is managed jointly by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (part of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services) and the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (part of the U.S. Department of Agriculture).

For more information, visit www.selectagents.gov.

Key Functions Include:



Develop
Regulations



Implement
Regulations



Enforce
Regulations