



# Better Training for Safer Food *Initiative*

Training course on “Animal Welfare in pig production”

Working Group N.3

**CASE STUDY PRESENTATION**

# Piglets

## Non-compliance and bottlenecks

Group 3

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## Non-compliance

Enough space during farrowing

Sufficient material for the sow to nest

Thermal comfort for both piglets and sow

Minimum age at weaning 21 d instead of recommended 28 d

Tail-docking

Hygiene and air quality

Straw/material for piglets

## Indicators for non-compliance

Documentation of the age of weaning

Measuring the temperature close to the animals

Mortality rate of piglets

Foot lesions, carpal lesions

Floor condition and bedding material

Hygiene of the floor, equipment and animals

Check management procedures for all-in all-out system, routines for cleaning and disinfection etc.

Check the number of tail-docked animals



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