Community based gastrointestinal parasite control in small ruminants in Ethiopia

**Project Title:** P607 - Activity 2.2.1 Development and evaluation of herd health packages

**Description of the innovation:** Instead of advocating for farmer level training and parasite control, this approach tackles the problem at community level leading to quicker impact. We tested the method and produced a training module for vets/paravets on community based gastrointestinal parasite control in small ruminants, which they can use to train farmers.

**New Innovation:** Yes

**Stage of innovation:** Stage 2: successful piloting (PIL - end of piloting phase)

**Innovation type:** Production systems and Management practices

**Geographic Scope:** National

**Number of individual improved lines/varieties:** <Not Applicable>

**Country(ies):**
- Ethiopia

**Description of Stage reached:** Positive impact at community level demonstrated, with willingness of communities to engage in process to find modalities to have system sustainable embedded in communities

**Name of lead organization/entity to take innovation to this stage:** ILRI - International Livestock Research Institute

**Names of top five contributing organizations/entities to this stage:**
- ICARDA - International Center for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas

**Milestones:** No milestones associated

**Sub-IDOs:**

**Contributing Centers/PPA partners:**

**Evidence link:** https://tinyurl.com/y3onfrva

**Deliverables associated:**
- D7463 - Training module for vets/paravets on community based GIT parasite control in small ruminants to train farmers (https://tinyurl.com/y9c8ugab)

**Contributing CRPs/Platforms:**
- Livestock - Livestock