5. MODEL CURRICULUM: SCIENTISTS, ACADEMICS, BIOSAFETY ORGANIZATIONS

A. Instructional Focus

This model curriculum is targeted at scientists, researchers, academic institutions and members of other biosafety organizations who use the BCH to find and share scientific, technical and capacity-building information.

B. Curriculum Outline

Materials highlighted in bold should be considered the focus of the training.

Recommended Training Materials:

- MO01 Introduction to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety
- IM01 Introduction to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety
- MO02 Introduction to the Biosafety Clearing-House
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- MO03 Surfing the BCH Central Portal
- MO04 Finding Information in the BCH Central Portal
- MO06 Using the Management Centre
- MO08 Sharing Biosafety Information
Recommended Case Studies:

- CS01 Mexican trader importing cotton seed
- CS08 Scientist looks for information on commercially available GM cotton
- CS09 Scientist seeks information on importing LMOs
- CS11 Medical researcher seeks information on AIA
- CS13 National Development Agency seeks information on existing Capacity Building programs
- CS15 Person looks for information about a GM food product
- CS16 Organization registers a contact person
- CS17 Organization registers biosafety newsletter
- CS18 Academic institution registers biosafety course and workshop
- CS22 Risk assessor seeks information on virus resistant papaya

Recommended Ready Reference Guides:

- RR01 BCH Quick Start
- RR02 Common Acronyms
- RR03 BCH Record Types
- RR04 BCH Icons
- RR05 Short Glossary
- RR06 Management Centre
- RR08 Introduced Traits
- RR09 Contact Points: People and Organizations
- RR10 Information Resources
- RR11 Unique Identification