

G6. Information Exchange

Goal 6: *The establishment of an information exchange allows Lower Hudson PRISM partners and other professionals to strategically manage and integrate information relevant to the management of invasive species and offer that information to any person, group, agency (partner and non-partner alike).*

Priority Strategies:

1. Coordinating Partners
2. Education and Outreach

YEAR ONE (2014)		
Objectives	Actions	Outputs
<p>6.1. Gather and organize information relevant to the management of invasive species from Partners, within the New York State PRISM regions, and outside PRISM regions.</p>	<p>6.1.1. Identify centralized sources of IS information and existing education materials: iMap, NYIS.info, NYISRI, Invasive.org, eddmaps.org, beetlebusters.info, hungrypests.com, power point presentations, Sentinel Plant Network, IS description cards, leaflets, publications, case studies, anecdotal knowledge, bmps, management plans, etc</p> <p>6.1.2. Encourage partners to submit information to iMapInvasives</p>	<p>6.1.1a. Start a database of resources and source material.</p> <p>6.1.2a. By 2015 20% partners who map invasives will have provided data to iMap Invasives.</p>
<p>6.2 Share information relevant to the management of invasive species from Partners, within the New York State PRISM regions, and outside PRISM regions.</p>	<p>6.2.1. Compile an inventory list of partner activities related to invasive species. List is accessible to all partners. Encourage partners to voluntarily host other partners to share information in onsite meetings, trainings or shadowing and to share equipment and software, i.e. ESRI GIS software. <i>Note: the who, what, where, when, and how</i></p> <p>6.2.2. Partner invasive species management projects are posted on the LHPRISM website</p> <p>6.2.3. Shared information of</p>	<p>6.2.1a. 30% of partners who can contribute to this list have done so in the first year.</p> <p>6.2.1b. Use inventory list to create a geodatabase of partners, activities, and expertise <i>Note: Where are the partners working, what are they doing, what do they have access to. ie to be used in early detections and rapid response, resource sharing</i></p> <p>6.2.2a. at least 3 projects are listed or highlighted each year in LHPRISM webpage <i>Note: Past projects will be archived on website</i></p>

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	<p>workshops, trainings, volunteer events, symposia and conferences relevant to invasive species management.</p> <p>6.2.4. Develop a call for proposals for a symposium planned for 2015</p> <p>6.2.5.- Share information during PRISM Partner meetings</p>	<p>6.2.3a. Develop a calendar of events for trainings, volunteer events, workshops, symposia.</p> <p>6.2.4a. Release call for proposals to all partners by final year one PRISM meeting.</p> <p>6.2.5a. Time on PRISM meeting agenda is reserved and used for information sharing</p>