2017 CAPS Timeline and Important Dates

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2015	States survey for exotic pests – calendar year 2015 agreements
July 2015	Assessment of new pests for consideration to 2017 pest lists begins
August 2015	Work and Financial Plans for 2016 due to Field Operations August 15 Survey Summary Form completed before work plan will be reviewed
December 2015	Pest List Working Group reviews Commodity pest lists for 2017 Guidelines 2017 OPEP Prioritized Pest List analysis completed 2017 Prioritized Pest List to NSC for review
December 2015- January 2016	PDMT prepares for Annual NCC Meeting
February 2016	Annual NCC Meeting, February 2-3, Phoenix, AZ CAPS Program review from previous year (2015) and direction for next year (2017)
February-March 2016	PDMT begins review and update of Survey Guidelines for 2017
March 2016	2017 CAPS Survey Guidelines to NCC for review on CAPS R&C site All survey data for 2015 to be entered in NAPIS database before March 31 ADODRs review CAPS Accountability Report for data entry requirements CY15 Annual Accomplishment Report due to Field Operations before March 31 CY15 SF425 Federal Financial Report (annual financial status report) due March 31 CY15 SF270 Request for Advance or Reimbursement (final request for funds) due March 31
April 22, 2016 Earth Day	2017 CAPS Survey Guidelines published on CAPS R&C site 2017 CAPS Approved Survey Methods published
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September 2016	National Operations Manager reviews States' proposed 2017 survey work and financial plans for alignment with CAPS mission, policies, and priorities

October 2016	Final Revisions to 2017 Survey Work and Financial Plans due to Field Operations by October 18* Survey Supply database opens to accept 2017 orders
November 2016	Complete Cooperative Agreement packages due to Field Operations by November 18*
	Survey Supply database closes for 2017 orders
December 2016	Pest List Working Group reviews Commodity pest lists for 2018 Guidelines
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	2018 Prioritized Pest List to NSC for review
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^{*} Time frame for final revisions and cooperative agreement packages may change based on budget considerations.

2015-Green

2016 - Red

2017-Black

2018 - Blue