

BREEDING BARN PRICES - 2024

Dry Mare Care -	\$28.00 per day- includes turn out daily
Wet Mare Care -	\$32.00 per day- includes basic baby care & creep feeding
Mare Fields-	\$20.00 per day
Mares Fields w/feed	\$24.00 per day
Basic Baby Training	\$900.00 per month (After weaning- hot walker, tie, wash etc)
Foaling on Farm	\$500.00 (includes use of Foalert)
Ship-In-Semen Chute Fee	\$400.00 – Cooled semen \$500.00 - Frozen semen

MARE CHECKS/ULTRASOUND:

Your mare will usually be examined every other day while she is in heat and being bred to be sure her follicle is progressing and ovulating. She will also be ultrasounded if she does not come into season or does not show to the teasing stud (silent), on a weekly basis to be sure that we are not missing her cycle. It is also necessary to ultrasound your mare prior to administering Lutalyze to insure that multiple follicles are not present. Mare check/ultrasound cost is \$25.00. Should it be necessary to sedate your mare for her safety, Rompun is generally used at a cost of \$12.00 per injection. Dormosedan if needed \$20.00. *After hours* between 6:00 PM and 6:00 AM ultrasound checks as needed for frozen semen and/or ship in semen will be \$40.00.

ULTRASOUNDS:

Your mare will be ultrasounded for pregnancy on or about the 15-16th day following ovulation. Depending upon the size and clarity of the embryo, most mares can be re-checked at 21, 30 and 45 days to be sure all is progressing normally. Most twins can also be pinched during this time frame if necessary. The first pregnancy ultrasound is \$65.00 and each following are \$40.00. It is strongly recommended that your mare remain on premises at least thru 21 days pregnancy or heartbeat is visible.

UTERINE CULTURES:

This procedure is usually done on-farm to all open mares to insure that we are not starting out with a problem in the uterus. These cultures are grown out in our incubator. The cost is \$50.00 for a clean culture and cytology and \$60.00 for dirty cultures/sensitivities on-farm. If you wish to have the organism identified the laboratory has an additional charge. Should your mare's culture indicate infection we can usually sensitize the organism, treat and breed the mare on the same cycle with about an 80% success rate depending upon the seriousness of the infection. Wet mares that do not conceive with their first cover are then cultured. Occasionally low grade endometritis or infection will not show

up until later in the breeding season. This is unusual but does occur. The mare must be in a good breeding cycle to get a fair and accurate culture result.

INFUSIONS AND LAVAGE:

The type of antibiotics used for your mare depends upon the sensitivity test that is run on the bacteria. Occasionally we have mares with low grade endometritis and/or poor uterine tone which is when a post infusion is strongly recommended. The cost of the infusion depends upon the antibiotics that are required and generally run from \$45.00 to \$60.00 per infusion. Dirty mares generally required a minimum of three infusions per cycle, hoping that her cycling time permits. The culture takes 48 hours to grow out in the incubator.

ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION:

Your mare will be bred on an every other day schedule until she ovulates. There are no collection fees for this, however there is a \$5.00 breeding insemination charge which covers our supplies.

REGUMATE:

This is administered orally at the correct dosage for your mare. A minimum of 1cc per 110 lbs. We also use Regumate on occasion for mares in transition (multiple follicles and/or irregular cycling) and also on mares that could be indicative of low progesterone levels post breeding. We put these suspect mares on Regumate until she is confirmed in foal and her progesterone levels are run. The cost for Regumate is \$4.00 per day.

LUTALYZE:

This is a prostin shot that can be administered to bring on heat cycles. It is often over-rated, over-used and not always effective, especially if your mare is in transition or just coming out of winter anestrus. This can be used effectively if your mare is cycling regularly and to short-cycle her if both ovaries are clean. Cost \$18.00 per shot.

FOALING:

Foaling your mare out is \$500.00. This includes Foalert monitor sewn on. Experienced and qualified staff on farm 24/7. Evaluation of your mare's colostrum to determine if it is sufficient for your newborn foal. Enema administered to the foal to help avoid meconium impaction. Umbilicus is dipped with Vetricyn Super 7 immediately post foaling. Umbilicus is monitored daily and dipped with Vetricyn Super 7 as needed to be sure it is healthy and closing. Mare is administered ivomection prior to the foal nursing to insure suboptimal protection for your foal. Placenta is monitored.

FECAL EXAMS:

These are done on farm by a qualified lab technician. Cost is \$15.00.

PROGESTERONE TESTING:

These need to be sent off (Fed-Ex) to independent laboratory for testing. Show mares, young mares, older problem mares are all tested once they are confirmed in foal 15-16 days. Suspect mares will remain on daily Regumate until it is confirmed the progesterone is at adequate levels to maintain pregnancy.