

SOP 12 - Vaccinating Animals for Specific Diseases

Purpose: Vaccinating will help avoid compromising the herd when introducing new or returning animals. They will also control the spread of disease within a closed herd.

• Do you vaccinate your cattle? YES or NO (Circle one)

• Consult with Dr. _____ (herd veterinarian) to establish any vaccination programs based on the herd’s cattle health management plan.

○ Refer to vaccination programs provided by: _____.

• Determine the specific vaccines that must be administered and the time at which vaccines and boosters must be administered to each new animal (refer to vet directions).

• _____

• Vaccinate calves as indicated by herd veterinarian and product labels.

• Document products, group of animals and any other information that is required for your vaccination program and record all required information contained in Record 10 (Livestock treatment records).

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Disease:	_____
Vaccine:	_____
	(name) (dose) (mode)
Boosters:	_____
	(days from original)

- Animals to be vaccinated:
Calves Heifers Cows **(circle one)**
Age/production stage: _____
- Separate animals by: _____
- Mix and draw up vaccine: _____ (individual or bulk)
- Change needle every _____ animals (if using vaccine gun)
- Administer vaccine promptly once mixed (if reconstituted)
- Enter all treatments in computer or hard copy (Record 10)

