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## Breeding Shed Requirements and Policies

Breeding Shed will Open February 15, 2022 and Close July 4, 2022

**BREEDING SESSIONS: 7:30 AM AND 2:00 PM DAILY**

Booking Hours: 7:00 am – 4:00 pm Monday thru Friday - 7:00 am to 2:00 pm Saturday and Sunday

### Breeding Shed Requirements:

- All Mares must have proper identification when presented for breeding (halter name plate or neck strap) in order to be bred
- All Maiden Mares must be jumped prior to their first visit
- All State and Federal requirements must be met
- Per the office of the State Vet, we must be paperless in the breeding shed.
- **Please send all required paperwork via email, fax or text prior to your session.**
- Mares should arrive at the breeding shed promptly for their scheduled session
- Walmac staff will come to the van to collect your mare and take her into the shed
- Walmac will make every reasonable attempt to impregnate your mare but reserves the right not to breed the mare at any given session if the mare is deemed a danger to the stallion and/or staff
- After her cover, Walmac staff will return the mare to your attendant at the van

**MARE REQUIREMENTS:** A Breeding Shed Form must be received by the office before the mare is bred; requirements are as follows:

**DOMESTIC MAIDEN MARES:** A negative aerobic uterine culture is required within 30 days prior to their first visit. A negative aerobic uterine culture is required for a third visit and every subsequent visit thereafter (not including doubles) All Maiden mares must be jumped prior to their 1<sup>st</sup> visit

**DOMESTIC BARREN MARES:** A negative aerobic uterine culture is required within 30 days prior to their first visit. A negative aerobic uterine culture is required for a third visit and every subsequent visit thereafter (not including doubles)

**FOALING MARES:** No culture is required for the first visit. A negative aerobic uterine culture is required for a second visit and every subsequent visit thereafter (not including doubles)

**IMPORTED MAIDENS AND MARES IMPORTED FROM NON-CEM AFFECTED COUNTRIES:** All fillies of foreign origin will have to have two (2) sets of negative CEM cultures (minimum of 72 hours elapsing between the samples being collected) from the clitoral fossa, clitoral sinus(es) and one (1) CEM culture from the endometrium. This swab may be included with either of the required sets of swabs or in the case of a pregnant mare, the swab may be collected after foaling. The first three (3) mares bred after the imported filly must be CF tested 15-25 days post-breeding. A negative aerobic uterine culture is required within 30 days prior to the first visit. A negative aerobic uterine culture is required for a third visit and every subsequent visit thereafter (not including doubles). The mare must be jumped prior to their 1<sup>st</sup> visit

**IMPORTED FOALING AND BARREN MARES/MARES IMPORTED FROM CEM AFFECTED COUNTRIES:** Contact the State Veterinarian's office in Frankfort, Kentucky regarding testing procedures and acquisition of quarantine releases for the 2022 Breeding Season. A Copy of the Quarantine Release (and CEM endometrium culture result if not included on the Quarantine Release) must accompany the mare on her first trip to the breeding shed. The first three (3) mares bred after the imported mare will be required to have a CF test drawn 15-25 days post-breeding. A negative aerobic uterine culture is required for barren mares within 30 days of the first visit and again on the third visit and every subsequent visit thereafter (not including doubles). A negative aerobic uterine culture is required for foaling mares on the second visit and every subsequent visit thereafter (not including doubles).

**DOUBLE:** A Breeding Shed Form must accompany the mare each time she is presented to be bred.

**Walmac will REQUIRE all Mares coming to the Breeding Shed to be vaccinated for Equine Herpes Virus Type-1 (i.e. Rhinomune, Pneumabort -K, etc.) between 7-90 days of being covered by a Walmac Stallion.**

Date of Vaccination: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Vaccination: \_\_\_\_\_

Administered by: \_\_\_\_\_