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2024 MARE BREEDING CONTRACT/SHIPPED SEMEN

This document is an arrangement between *Nebraska Equine Veterinary Clinic* and a mare owner defining the charges for breeding a mare with shipped cooled semen. **A single breeding fee (Chute Fee) of \$536.00 per mare** that includes all heat cycles for the breeding season of 2024. This charge applies only to mares that are brought to the clinic for breeding. A mare boarding **charge of \$36.16** will be charged daily.

This single charge will include **all rectal palpations, all reproductive ultrasound exams, all artificial inseminations, and the handling of semen through shipment of semen. Ultrasound exam for pregnancy diagnosis at 14 to 18 days of pregnancy and again at 30 to 35 days of pregnancy will be included but additional follow-up pregnancy exams or ultrasound exams are NOT included and will be charged separately.**

This single charge **will not include** any additional veterinary procedures that may be performed based on the needs of an individual mare. An abbreviated list of such procedures that would require additional fees* is as follows:

- 1) Uterine Biopsy
- 2) Uterine Culture with Antibiotic Sensitivity
- 3) Hormone therapy to time breeding and/or ovulation
- 4) Uterine flush
- 5) Uterine infusion/treatment
- 6) Caslick procedure
- 7) Twin reduction
- 8) Hormone analysis (Progesterone level)
- 9) Sedation
- 10) Other Medications

The mare must be **current on all vaccinations** (Eastern and Western Encephalitis, Rhino, Influenza, Tetanus, Strangles, Rabies and West Nile) prior to being checked into the clinic. If not, these will be administered at check in at an additional **charge of \$121.13**. If the mare is coming from a farm where an active illness is present, the mare owner must inform the clinic prior to the mare being checked in.

It is the mare owner's responsibility to pick up and deliver or arrange pick-up and delivery of semen being transported by airplane counter to counter. If semen arrives after hours there may be an additional after-hours breeding fee. This will be at the discretion of the veterinarian at the time of semen arrival and insemination. The return of the semen container used for semen transport **will be the responsibility of the mare owner**. If the mare owner wishes the clinic to return the semen shipping container, a fee for shipping and handling will be charged.

Financial policy regarding payment schedule: You may begin this contract at any time during the 2024 breeding season, but it **will not be retro-active** on any reproductive work done prior to the contract. The **\$536.00 breeding fee is due at the time the contract is signed and immediately goes into effect**. The remainder of the bill (mare boarding, additional treatments, and shipping expenses) is due at the time the mare is released from the clinic to go home, unless previous arrangements have been made between the owner and the veterinarian or office manager.

Please fill out the following information and sign indicating that you have read the 2024 Mare Breeding Contract/Shipped Semen Contract and agree to the above information.

Payment of \$536.00 made with (Please circle one)

Check Visa Master Card Discover American Express

Credit card number _____

Expiration date: _____ Zipcode: _____

(Or please call our office with your credit card information prior to admitting your mare)

YOUR NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL: _____

PHONE #: _____ WORK #: _____

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

Mare Information:

Registered Name: _____ Call Name: _____ Registration# _____

Age: _____ Breed: _____ Color: _____

Date of last foaling or last heat cycle: _____ Date of Vaccinations: _____

Stallion and Collection Information *This area must be filled out completely.

Stallion's Registered Name: _____ Registration#: _____

Contact person: _____ Phone Number: _____

Location (State) _____ Additional Phone Number: _____

Days of the week the stallion is collected: _____

Time of day in which the semen must be ordered by: _____

Any additional stallion information (preferred collection days, availability, how much noticed required):

Note: Some breeding farms require a 24–48-hour notice when ordering a semen shipment.

*Additional fees that may be incurred that are **not** included in the Breeding Contract. Please note this list is not an exhaustive list and those prices are dependent on the individual mare's needs per instance.

Hormone Therapy

1. Lutalyse \$24.64
2. H.C.G. \$24.64
3. Estrumate \$24.64
4. Oxytocin \$17.33
5. Deslorelin \$73.89

Sedation

1. Depending on amount and product used \$34-\$64

Other Common medications

1. Dexamethasone \$28.34
2. Buscopan \$30.78

Diagnostic Work

1. Progesterone Level \$61.30
2. Uterine culture and antibiotic sensitivity \$183.25 plus shipping fees
3. Uterine Biopsy \$175.00 plus shipping fee

Other Breeding Work

1. Intra Uterine flush \$56.70-\$130.20 per flush
2. Intra Uterine Treatment/Infusion \$48.30-\$173.25 per treatment
3. Caslick Procedure \$91.35 (includes local anesthetic)
4. Pinch Twin/Twin Reduction \$70.55
 - A. additional medications are typically given during procedure:
 - Banamine I.V. \$22.17
 - Banamine paste dispensed to owner \$43.11
 - Buscopan I.V. \$30.78

Stallion Collection Training

1. Additional fees will be charged for the training of stallions for collection

Shipping Fees

1. Shipping fees are charged for any item Nebraska Equine ships, rates vary by service used, weight of item, and shipping times.