



## Explanation of Foaling Management Services

### Service for Mare Foaling Management:

TEVC offers mare foaling management for a fee of **\$985.00/mare**.

\*\*Mares **MUST** have Equine Rotavirus vaccination series (8, 9, & 10 months)\*\*

(Board is an additional \$465.00 /month.)

- Services included: monitoring of the mare (use of surveillance cameras, Foalert system), individual box stall, and daily outdoor turn out (weather permitting, indoor arena if not) for exercise.

Post parturition foal care includes: **administration of 1 Liter of plasma**, treatment of umbilicus (2x/day), physical exam, monitoring of nursing, IgG level & PCV/TP at 15-24hrs of age, and probiotics on days one, four, and seven. Seven to nine days post foaling, a **uterine culture and cytology\*** will be performed on the mare to ensure she is free of infection.

**\*The culture/cytology procedure is NOT included in the base fee. See fee schedule.**

**Other Potential Costs:** Uterine therapy (antibiotic infusion, flushing, culturing, and biopsy), drugs (sedation, progesterone, ovulatory agents), courier fees to pick up semen at airport, shipping back disposable containers to stallion owners, caslicks procedure, and any other unforeseen emergencies. **See fee schedule.**

## Explanation of Breeding Services

**Breeding via Live Cover or Artificial Insemination with Chilled or Fresh Semen: \$400.00/mare, per heat cycle.** Services included: artificial insemination, oxytocin, palpations, and reproductive ultrasounds.

**Deep-horn insemination: additional \$50.00**

**Breeding via Artificial Insemination with Frozen Semen: \$550.00/mare, per heat cycle.** Services included: artificial insemination within 4-6 hours of ovulation, palpations, and reproductive ultrasounds.

Ultrasounds are utilized to determine the stage of estrous and timing of ovulation, allowing us to order semen or collect the stallion at optimal time. TEVC handles all communications and arrangements to have semen shipped direct to us.

It is the responsibility of the mare owner to have the contract signed and paid for with the stallion owners.

**The mare owner must submit a copy of the shipper's breeding contract/shipping restrictions.**

We will administer an ovulatory agent (additional \$68.50/dose applies) to ensure proper timing of ovulation to correspond with expected insemination. We will continue to ultrasound the mare's reproductive system until ovulation has occurred or it is determined another insemination is needed. Included in the package is one pregnancy ultrasound exam, performed 14 to 16 days post ovulation at TEVC.

Any follow-up/recheck ultrasounds (recommended at 30-40 days post breeding) are performed for an additional cost.

**\*Board/care fee is additional, as is the fee for returning shipping containers. Mare owners may consider purchasing their own disposable shipping containers to avoid additional shipping costs.**

\*Special requests/other treatments to mare will be performed at an additional cost.

\*TEVC does not board stallions to stand for breeding. Stallions must be hauled in for collection(s)/live cover.

## Service Terms and Conditions

This agreement is entered into this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, by and between Topline Equine Veterinary Care (hereafter referred to as TEVC) and the Mare Owner identified on page (1). TEVC agrees to breed the mare identified on page (1) by the method selected by the owner on page (1) to the stallion selected by the owner listed on page (1) and/or foal out the Mare identified on page (1).

1. The person signing this contract represents and warrants that he/she is the **true and lawful owner** of the mare, or if not the owner, then has actual authority to act as Owner's agent for the purpose of entering into this contract, and to make any and all decisions regarding the animal and its veterinary care. The Mare Owner represents that they are the lawful owner of any frozen semen used in procedures, and if not, the Mare Owner will provide TEVC with the contract information for the lawful owner. The signatory shall be fully responsible for all charges incurred under this contract and shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless TEVC from any and all claims, of every kind and nature, arising as a result of or in connection with this contract (including any claim that such person lacked the right or authority to execute this contract on behalf of the true owner). All references in this contract to the Mare Owner shall be deemed binding upon the person signing this contract, and the owner of the mare (hereinafter, individually, and collectively referred to as the Mare Owner).
2. Mare Owner agrees that during the period TEVC is in possession of the Mare and or Foal, good equine practice may suggest and/or require the Mare and or Foal to be vaccinated, dewormed, and feet trimmed or shod. Therefore, during the term of this contract, the Mare Owner hereby grants to TEVC the right and authority, based upon its independent judgement, to administer **routine preventative medicine** and to have the Mare and or Foal trimmed or shod at any time by the farrier selected by TEVC. The Mare Owner shall pay/reimburse TEVC for the cost thereof upon invoice as set forth below.
3. The Mare Owner hereby releases and shall indemnify and hold TEVC harmless from any claim, demand or loss arising from any disease, injury or death to the Mare and/or foal and/or in utero foal arising out of any undertaking by TEVC under the terms of this contract. Further, the Mare Owner shall exonerate, protect, indemnify, defend, and hold harmless TEVC, from and against any and all liabilities, expenses, claims, fines, penalties, costs, attorney's fees, and damages of every kind (including, without limitation, those arising out of attributed, directly or indirectly, to or resulting from any and all negligent acts or omissions of the Mare Owner, whether caused by the sole negligent acts or omissions of Mare Owner or by the concurrent negligent acts or omissions of Mare Owner), arising out of attributed, directly or indirectly, to the use, possession, transportation (except for transportation, delivery and pick up by TEVC), condition, or storage of the mare, irrespective of the legal theory upon which any such claim or suit may be based. This indemnification shall extend to the successors and assigns of TEVC.
4. Mare Owner is responsible for any **costs related to semen used for the mare.**
5. Mare Owner agrees to **pay, at time of arrival, a down payment of "base" fee, either \$400.00, \$985.00, or \$550.00, (whichever is applicable) and all charges in full, before departure of the Mare and/or Foal.** See Fee schedule attached hereto. At least 48 hours advance notice must be given prior to departure of the Mare and or Foal to allow preparation of required paperwork. The Mare Owner is required to make transportation arrangements for the mare and or Foal between the hours of 7:30am-5:00pm, Monday through Friday, unless previous arrangements have been made well in advance.
6. **Mares will not be released if the bill is not paid prior to departure,** unless prior arrangements have been made.
7. All invoice **balances are payable within 30 days of monthly or final invoice.** After 30 days from billing date, interest of 1.5% per month on the outstanding balance will be assessed. TEVC reserves the right to refuse or suspend service when any of the Mare Owner's accounts with TEVC are

past due. The Mare Owner agrees to pay all costs and reasonable attorney fees incurred by TEVC in attempting to collect any outstanding balance.

- 8. Mare Owner is responsible for **obtaining and paying for any insurance** desired on the Mare and/or foal and/or in utero foal. TEVC does not provide insurance.
- 9. Mare Owner is responsible for **parentage testing** of any foal.
- 10. Mare Owner is responsible for all **Breed Registry rules and regulations** including, but not limited to, brand inspections required by law.
- 11. If at any time TEVC determines, in its sole judgement and discretion, that the Mare and/or foal needs to be transferred to a referral clinic (Stillwater Equine Hospital or University of Minnesota) for medical or surgical treatment, the Mare Owner is responsible for all charges incurred. **These charges will be billed separately by the referral clinic** and must be paid in full before the animal may be returned to TEVC. TEVC will make reasonable efforts to contact Mare Owner in the event that such transfer is required; however, if the Mare Owner cannot be immediately reached, Mare Owner hereby authorizes TEVC to initiate such transfer and exam.
- 12. This **contract is non-transferable**. If the Mare and or Foal is sold, all unpaid fees become immediately due and payable and no refunds will be made.
- 13. TEVC reserves the **right to discontinue service** at its discretion and to terminate this contract upon 10 days advance written notice to the Mare Owner
- 14. The Mare Owner will be considered in default of its obligations under this contract if the Mare Owner fails to remit any payment within 30 days after invoice or otherwise fails to observe, to comply with, or to perform any term, condition, or covenant contained in this contract and such failure continues for 10 days after TEVC gives the Mare Owner written notice thereof. In the event of default by the Mare Owner, TEVC may terminate this contract as of the date specified in the notice, without prejudice to any other right or relief provided by law. Jurisdiction and venue for any action to enforce this contract, or for damages or any other relief arising from or in connection with it, shall originate exclusively in the District Court in and for the County of St. Croix, State of Wisconsin.
- 15. This **contract constitutes the entire understanding** between the parties and supersedes any previous contract or understandings, whether oral or written, concerning the subject matter of this contract. No services other than those expressly stated in this contract will be provided by TEVC without an express, written and signed amendment to this contract.

**By signing below, I acknowledge and agree to comply with the terms and conditions stated above. Further, I authorize TEVC to act as temporary agent on my behalf pursuant to paragraph (11) above should the Mare, her foal and/or pregnant recipient require emergency medical or surgical treatment and I authorize the release of medical and/or financial information from TEVC to the referral clinic/hospital.**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have executed this contract as of the day and year set forth first above.

Signature of Mare Owner/Agent:	Date:	Topline Equine Veterinary Care Jennifer Teigen, DVM 3087 130 <sup>th</sup> Ave Glenwood City, WI 54013 (715) 684-9442
Print Name:		
Signature of TEVC Authorized Representative Agent:	Date:	
Approved by:		

## Health & Management

We require disclosure of any medical conditions that could affect management of the animal before acceptance into this program.

The condition of your animal will be documented upon their arrival.  
Please provide the following information to help us manage your animal.

Pre-existing conditions (illness, injury, lameness, vices, etc):	Current Treatments (medications, etc.):
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Prior to arrival at TEVC, we require horses to be vaccinated for the following diseases. Please note at least one of the following: 1) approximate date of last vaccination or 2) vaccines needed upon arrival or 3) vaccines you do not want given. \*If no vaccination history is provided, animals will be vaccinated upon arrival at Owner's expense.

**Please include most recent vaccination dates below:**

			<b>Farrier Services</b>
Equine Rotavirus series 8, 9, 10mo. <b>*Req. for foaling out</b>	(Date)		Trimming or shoeing will be performed as needed or as requested. Please note any special instructions and/or contact phone numbers for a farrier to call for specific instructions. Farrier services will be billed directly by the farrier, to the mare owner. Trim <input type="checkbox"/> Full Shoe <input type="checkbox"/> Half Shoe <input type="checkbox"/>  Last Farrier Date:    /    / Other Notes: _____ _____  <b>Other health/management related notes:</b> _____ _____ <b>Shoes/blankets/etc. :</b> _____ _____
Eastern/Western Equine Encephalitis	(Date)		
Tetanus	(Date)		
West Nile	(Date)		
Rhinopneumonitis	(Date)		
Influenza	(Date)		
Rabies (optional)	(Date)		
Strangles (optional) (Streptococcus equi.)	(Date)		
Potomac Horse Fever (optional)	(Date)		
Last Deworming (Type/Brand)	(Date)		

## Board and Care Stipulations

Please choose the type of board:

**Outside** \$13.75/day or \$275/mo. |  **Stall** (under lights) \$18.50/day or \$465/mo.

**Mare & Foal Stall** \$24/day or \$520/mo. \*\*Foals boarded longer than 2 weeks will be broke to lead for a \$110 fee.

**Outside:** Free choice hay, grain twice daily, and water. Shelter is provided in the event of severe weather. Please note: outside board is not an option for pregnant mares due to foal, or mares coming in for breeding that are not cycling naturally, based on season/time of year in both instances.

May be kept with other horses |  Keep with \_\_\_\_\_ |  Must be kept separately

**Stall:** Individual box stall, cleaned daily, in heated barn. Daily turnout (weather permitting) or indoor arena.

May be turned out with other horses |  Turnout with \_\_\_\_\_ |  Must be kept separately

Other turnout instructions:

\*\*All horses will be turned out for exercise UNLESS you provide written instructions from a veterinarian stating that the horse is to remain confined.\*\* If you do not want your horse turned out and you do not have a veterinarian's statement, you will be expected to come daily to exercise your horse. \*If you choose not to come daily, this service will be provided at a higher boarding fee. (\$36.00/day or \$880.00/month) \*

**Board is due at the first of each month.**

**If boarded less than a month, board is due when the horse is picked up.**

## Feeding Instructions (Choose either TEVC standard diet, or indicate preferences)

<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Feed TEVC standard diet.</b> TEVC standard diet is free choice quality hay and a balanced concentrate twice a day.	
<b>Hay type:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Grass/Alfalfa Mix   <input type="checkbox"/> Grass   <input type="checkbox"/> Own (Must provide)	<b>Qty:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Free Choice   <input type="checkbox"/> ___ lbs./day
<b>Grain:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> TEVC mix ___ lbs.   <input type="checkbox"/> P Strategy ___ lbs.   <input type="checkbox"/> P Growth ___ lbs.   <input type="checkbox"/> A Performance ___ lbs.	
<input type="checkbox"/> A Grass Balancer ___ lbs.   <input type="checkbox"/> Own (Must provide, with instructions) ___ lbs. <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> AM   <input type="checkbox"/> PM</span>	
<b>Vitamin/mineral supplement (must provide):</b>	<b>Qty:</b> _____   _____ <b>X/day</b>
<b>Any special feeding instructions:</b>	

## Boarding Terms & Conditions

-If a horse being boarded at Topline Equine Veterinary Care (TEVC) becomes ill or injured and requires a veterinarian's attention, the management will call the veterinarian and the horse owners will be responsible for all charges. Owners will be notified as soon as possible.

-TEVC's regular veterinarian and farriers will be used unless a prior arrangement has been made and agreed upon by the client and TEVC.

-Dean and Jennifer Teigen, Topline Horse Company, or Topline Equine Veterinary Care management assume no liability for accident, sickness, or death of a horse, but will exercise reasonable judgement in care and supervision of the horse. Owner and guests understand unforeseen accidents and injury are possible and no horse is safe. Owner and guests are also aware that adverse weather or unfamiliar people and surroundings may affect a horse and are fully prepared to accept those hazards at one's own risk.

-I have inspected the property and I find it safe and suitable for its intended purpose. The management will keep medical records. Routine deworming and vaccination schedule or any other problems or needs can be discussed with the management or Dr. Jennifer Teigen.

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Print Name:		
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Approved by:		

## Fee Schedule (effective January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022)

<b>Board/Care (*fees may fluctuate due to cost of hay and propane in 2021-2022*)</b>	
Mare Under Lights in Stall	\$ 18.50/day or \$ 465.00/month
Mare with Foal in Stall	\$ 24.00/day or \$ 520.00/month
Mare Outside/Pasture	\$ 13.75/day or \$ 275.00/month
Intensive Care	\$ 275.00/day
Trailer-in Facility Day Fee	\$ 36.00/day
No Turnout/Special Exercise Requirements	\$ 36.00/day or \$ 880.00/month
Foal Halter Breaking (fee automatically applies to foals boarded longer than two weeks)	\$ 110.00/foal

<b>Mare Management &amp; Foaling Services</b>	
<b>Mare Breeding w/fresh or cooled semen</b>	Base: \$ 400.00/mare/cycle, plus board
<b>Mare Breeding Live Cover</b>	Base: \$ 400.00/mare/cycle, plus board
<b>Includes:</b> Reproductive ultrasounds, palpations, oxytocin, breeding. *Deep-horn insemination is an additional \$50.00	

<b>Mare Breeding w/frozen semen</b>	Base: \$ 550.00/mare/cycle, plus board
<b>Includes:</b> Palpations, and artificial insemination within 4-6 hrs before/after ovulation.	

<b>Mare Foaling Management</b>	Base: \$ 985.00/mare, plus board
<b>Includes:</b> Exam, initial Foalert transmitter, monitoring, administration of 1 Liter of plasma to foal, foal umbilicus care, foal tests (IgG, PCV/TP), probiotics.	
<b>Stall Deposit (Non-Refundable, required to "hold" stall)</b>	<b>\$ 100.00</b>
Re-suture Foalert Transmitter Fee	\$ 66.00
Replace Foalert Transmitter Fee	\$ 132.00

<b>Mare Services</b>	
Ultrasound & Palpation	\$ 55.00/exam
Banamine Injection	\$ 16.00/dose
Prostaglandin	\$ 15.00/treatment
Ovulatory Agent	\$ 68.50/treatment
Oxytocin	\$ 3.00/mL (or) 15.00/day
Regumate (Progesterone) Administration	\$ 4.00/day (or) \$ 225.00*/bottle (1000mL) dispensed, additional \$100.00 administered
Prep Mare for Procedures	\$ 12.00
Uterine Lavage	*\$23.00/Liter
Uterine Infusion	*\$ 23.00/treatment, plus antibiotic used
Uterine Culture/Cytology Procedure (Includes: Prep, Uterine Swab, Culture/Cytology.) *Sensitivity test (for positive cultures) additional fee applies, depends on laboratory.	\$ 114.50
Caslicks Procedure	\$ 110.00

<b>Miscellaneous Services</b>	
Courier Transport – to pick up semen shipped airport	\$ 80.00/trip
Coggins Test	\$ 45.50
Health Certificate	\$ 34.50

\*Subject to change based on fluctuations in price of supplies.