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Transition Cow Tuesdays

Transition Cow Management Webinar Series

Tuesdays from Nov. 2 to Dec. 14, 2021

12:30-1:00pm

These webinars are short and to the point, just 30 minutes. Grab your lunch and join us.

Have you...

- ...been working with the farm transition cow program but want to know more about the how, what and why?
 - ...wanted to improve the transition cow performance of your herd but need to know where to start?
 - ...wanted to increase the skills you bring to the farm or your farm employer?
 - ...been wondering where you'll find the time to attend a course or workshop?
- If so, this webinar series is designed for you.

Dates and Topics:

Nov 2 - Transition Cow Nutrition

This session discusses why the transition diet has a tremendous impact on cow health and milk production, and how to ensure adequate nutrition is supplied at each phase of transition.

Nov 9 - Feeding the Transition Cow

The mechanics of providing feed in conjunction with transition cow behavior is a crucial aspect in providing adequate nutrition. We'll discuss factors in feeding management during this session.

Nov 16 - Selective Dry Cow Therapy

Learn how dry cow therapy impacts transition cow management. We will discuss the basics of selective dry cow therapy.

Nov 23 - Facility Considerations

Housing can make or break a cow's transition period and her next lactation. Both her physical and behavioral needs will be discussed.

Nov 30 - Calving

Parturition is critical step in transition. This session will discuss the basics of cow behavior, calving assistance, and physiology.

Dec 7 - Post Calving Monitoring

This session will outline the steps for monitoring cow health post calving.

Dec 14 - Evaluating Transition Management

This session will cover Dairy Comp items to track and measure success of the transition program.

Register:

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