

REGISTRATION FORM

Ohio Dairy Health Management Certificate Program

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Method of Payment:

Check or Money Order
(payable to **The Ohio State University**)

**Please send registration form and payment
by November 15, 2004 to:**

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DATES AND LOCATION

Twelve (12) 2-3 day modules will be held over a 3 year period (approximately 1 per quarter) commencing on December 2, 2004. Modules will generally convene on the campus of The Ohio State University in Columbus, Ohio. Modules will commence on a Thursday at either 9:00 a.m. or 1:00 p.m., and will generally conclude at noon the following Saturday (2 overnights).



PROGRAM STAFF

Course Coordinator: Bill Epperson, DVM, MS, Associate Professor & Extension Veterinarian-Dairy, epperson.1@osu.edu

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OVERVIEW

The Ohio Dairy Health Management Certificate Program is an educational series designed to offer advanced knowledge in an intensive workshop environment to dairy veterinary practitioners. The course provides a framework to develop applied skills in dairy health management and decision making. Participants will develop quantitative and personal skills that can be used to promote production medicine services. Course material can be applied to dairy farms of any size.

The course provides a curriculum that emphasizes application at every level. Out-of-class assignments constitute an important part of learning, and are designed to emphasize key learning objectives and allow participants to apply principles to their dairy clients. Instructors are available to assist between meeting sessions.

The curriculum is constructed in a step-wise manner, functionally building skills. Learning material and method of delivery will effectively permit participants to transform learning into applied skills to promote their careers in the dairy industry.

APPLICATION AND TUITION

Individual Tuition, which covers classroom costs, handout materials, travel to workshop farms, and meals, is \$5000 (US) per participant if paid by January 31, 2005 (6,000 if paid as installments). At-home computer access and Internet connectivity is required. Participants must provide their own transportation to and lodging while at the course. The course is open to any graduate veterinarian. \$2,000 is due with registration and is applied toward tuition. The balance may be paid as a lump sum (\$3,000) prior to January 31, 2005 or as yearly installments of \$2,000 each due November 15, 2005 and November 15, 2006. Refunds will only be available in extenuating circumstances, and will be handled on a per request basis.

Practice Plan Tuition allows a single multiple-person practice to send different veterinarians to different modules, under the rate and terms of Individual Tuition. The certificate of completion, if earned, will be issued in the name of the practice.

Individuals interested in applying should contact Dr. Bill Epperson, coordinator, at (614) 292-9453. Deadline for applications is Nov. 15, 2004. The number of participants will be limited. If the number of applications exceeds capacity, participants will be selected by order of application arrival. If the number of applicants is insufficient to support the program budget, OSU reserves the right to withdraw the course offering.

MODULE TOPICS

- ✓ Dairy record interpretation
- ✓ Dairy farm economics and business plans
- ✓ Dairy Nutrition – basic and applied principles
- ✓ Milk quality management and milking system analysis
- ✓ Dairy facilities and cow comfort
- ✓ Disease management and health monitoring
- ✓ Reproductive management
- ✓ Replacement heifer management
- ✓ Dairy herd expansion
- ✓ Personal effectiveness

Speakers in each module will include faculty from The Ohio State University College of Veterinary Medicine; the College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences; as well as experts from other colleges, industry, or practice.

For specific information about each module please visit our website at http://prevmed.vet.ohio-state.edu/ext_int.htm

