About the Program:

- Available at no-cost to approved participants
- * Administered by a licensed veterinarian
- * Makes investigative farm visits
- Works collaboratively with farm's local management team
- Coordinates diagnostic or laboratory testing
- Delivers final report of findings and recommendations

Troubleshoots concerns such as:

- * Milk production and quality
- * Diagnosing and managing disease
- * Unexplained illness or death
- * Stray voltage
- * Water intake
- * Calf and heifer management
- * Other herd health issues

The Herd-Based Diagnostics Program is funded by assessments and fees administered in partnership with the Public Service Commission to Wisconsin's privately and cooperatively held public utility companies. The Herd-Based Diagnostics Program provides veterinary consulting and diagnostic testing services to Wisconsin dairy farmers, including issues related to stray voltage.



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WISCONSIN Farm Center

Herd-Based Diagnostics Program



Have herd health concerns?
We can help!

The Wisconsin Farm Center's Herd-Based Diagnostics Program provides confidential, no-cost veterinary consulting to Wisconsin dairy farmers.

Wisconsin Farm Center Phone: 800-942-2474 Email: farmcenter@wi.gov

How it works:

Farmer requests application by contacting Wisconsin Farm Center

Farm visit(s) to collect data and take necessary samples

Farmer returns completed application



Analyze farm data and lab testing results

Initial consultation with veterinarian





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