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GUIDANCE DOCUMENT

CEM Quarantine Facility

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Contagious equine metritis (CEM) quarantine station facility checklist.

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WISCONSIN CEM QUARANTINE STATION FACILITY CHECKLIST

s. ATCP 10.07 and 10.37, Wis. Admin. Code

Station Name: _____

Premises Registration #: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Owner Name: _____

Accredited Veterinarian(s): _____

Facility Requirements: (please check the correct response)

		YES	NO	NA
1.	Is the CEM facility an established breeding barn or shed with appropriate space for test breeding and treating?			
2.	Is the CEM facility an enclosed building of sound permanent construction?			
3.	Is the CEM facility secure enough to ensure that horses will not escape?			
4.	Is the CEM facility secure enough to ensure that only authorized individuals will have access to the facility?			
5.	Is the CEM facility so constructed that it is capable of being effectively cleaned and disinfected?			
6.	Are there footbaths with approved disinfectants available at the entrance of the facility?			
7.	If NO for #6, are there dedicated boots or disposable shoe covers available?			
8.	Does the CEM facility have a stock (or comparable restraining device)?			
9.	Are there individual box stalls for housing of the imported stallions and mares?			
10.	Are there enough stalls that the horses shall be separated from each other by an empty stall or an empty area of at least 10 feet where horses cannot touch each other?			
11.	Are the stall walls constructed of a solid wall that is at least 8 feet (2.4 m) high?			
12.	If there are no stalls for the test mares, is there an area for their housing that allows them to be isolated from other equine animals?			
13.	Is it possible for surface drainage from the facility to flow into areas where other equines are being housed?			

		YES	NO	NA
14.	Is there protective clothing available for personnel who care for the horses?			
15.	Are all equipment and utensils used for feeding, watering, grooming and cleaning dedicated for use on an individual equine only?			
16.	If the equipment and utensils are shared between individual horses, is this equipment then disinfected with an approved disinfectant between uses?			
17.	Is the quarantine area clearly identified by posted signs?			
18.	Does the facility have in place a written protocol that restricts both visitors and pets into the quarantine area?			

19. What is the capacity of the facility; how many stalls are there for housing imported horses, while meeting the requirements either in number 9 or 10 above? _____

Comments: _____

 Equine Quarantine Station Veterinarian Signature

 Date

 District Veterinary Medical Officer Signature

 Date