

CSU/ERC GENERAL STALLION AGREEMENT

2026

Today's date:		**Please include a copy of the stallion's registration papers when returning this contact			
STALLION INFORMATION					
Registered Name:			Breed:		Registration No:
Barn Name:					Color:
Is Your Horse Insured?	Insurance Agency & Contact No:		Type of Insurance:		Birth date/Age:
Yes	No				
Is Your stallion a surgical candidate? Yes No					
OWNER INFORMATION					
Owner Name:			Email Address:		
Address:		City:		State:	ZIP Code:
Primary Phone:		<input type="checkbox"/> Mobile <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Business		Agent Name:	
Secondary Phone:		<input type="checkbox"/> Mobile <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Business		Agent Phone:	
In case of an emergency please provide us with a secondary contact name and number of a person that can authorize veterinary medical or surgical treatment.				Name:	
				Ph:	
Billing Options: <input type="checkbox"/> Traditional Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Email Billing Email:					
SERVICES DESIRED					
Services Desired: <input type="checkbox"/> Semen Collection & Processing for Fresh & Cooled Semen <input type="checkbox"/> Semen Freezing (Frozen Semen) <input type="checkbox"/> Epididymal Processing & Freeze <input type="checkbox"/> Frozen Semen Storage <input type="checkbox"/> Semen Evaluation, Fertility Evaluation, or Breeding Soundness <input type="checkbox"/> Other					

STALLION HEALTH & MANAGEMENT			
Prior to arrival at the CSU/ERC, we require stallions to be vaccinated for the following diseases. Please note <u>at least one</u> 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:			
Eastern & Western Equine Encephalitis	(Date)	FARRIER SERVICES Trimming or shoeing will be performed as needed or requested. Please note any special instructions and/or contact phone numbers for a farrier to call for instructions. ERC Farrier services will be billed directly by the farrier to the Stallion Owner. Add'l holding fee of \$25/hr may apply. Prepayment will be required. Trim Full Shoe Half Shoe Other Last Farrier Date: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____ (initial here) I am requesting NO FARRIER services to be performed on my mare. Must be checked and initialed.	
Tetanus	(Date)		
Influenza	(Date)		
Rhinopneumonitis	(Date)		
West Nile	(Date)		
Rabies (recommended)	(Date)		
Current Negative Coggins (w/ in 12 mo. Required)	(Date)		
Last Deworming (Type/Brand):	(Date)		
Equine Viral Arteritis (recommended)	(Date)		
Strangles (<i>Streptococcus equi.</i>) (optional)	(Date)		

STALLION HEALTH & MANAGEMENT

Please provide the following information to help us manage your animal. We require disclosure of any medical conditions that could affect management of the animal before acceptance in this program.

Medical Problems:

Current Treatments:

FEED INSTRUCTIONS

Please provide quantities as measured in flakes. Concentrates are weighed prior to each feeding. The standard diet at CSU/ERC is grass or alfalfa hay and a balanced concentrate.

Hay Type & Quantity (pounds):

Grain Type & Quantity (pounds) **Must provide 30-day supply if using Owner provided.*

Supplements & Quantity. **Must provide a 30-day supply, pre-bagged (if more than 1 supp.)**

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

This agreement ("Contract") is entered into on the last day of signature ("Effective Date") by and between the Board of Governors of the Colorado State University System, acting by and through Colorado State University, for the use and benefit of the College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences, Equine Reproduction Center (hereafter referred to as "CSU/ERC"), and the Owner identified on p.1 above. CSU/ERC agrees to provide services selected on p.1 for the Stallion identified on page 1.

1. The person signing this Contract represents and warrants that he/she/it is the true and lawful owner of the Stallion or Frozen Semen, or if not the owner, then has actual authority to act as Owner's agent for purposes of entering into this Contract, and to make any and all decisions regarding the animal and its veterinary care. The signatory shall be fully responsible for all charges incurred under this Contract and shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless CSU/ERC 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 Stallion Owner shall be deemed binding upon the person signing this Contract and the owner of the Stallion (hereinafter, individually and collectively referred to as the Stallion Owner).
2. Stallion Owner agrees that during the period CSU/ERC is in possession of the Stallion, good equine practice may suggest and/or require the Stallion be vaccinated, dewormed, and feet trimmed or shod. Therefore, during the term of this Contract, the Stallion Owner hereby grants to CSU/ERC the right and authority, based upon its independent judgment, to administer routine preventative medicine and to have the Stallion trimmed or shod at any time by a farrier selected by CSU/ERC. The Stallion Owner shall pay/reimburse CSU/ERC for the cost thereof upon invoice as set forth below. See Fee Schedule attached.
3. CSU/ERC strongly encourages all stallions to be tested for EVA (equine viral arteritis) and be vaccinated against the virus annually. Stallion Owner is responsible for any and all charges related to testing and vaccination.
4. The Stallion/Frozen Semen Owner hereby releases and shall indemnify and hold CSU/ERC harmless from any claim, demand or loss arising from any disease, injury or death to the Stallion/Frozen Semen out of any undertaking by CSU/ERC under the terms of this Contract. Further, Stallion/Frozen Semen Owner shall exonerate, protect, indemnify, defend, and hold harmless CSU/ERC from and against any and all liabilities, expenses, claims, fines, penalties, costs, attorneys fees, and damages of every kind (including, without limitation, those arising out of or attributed, directly or indirectly, to or resulting from any and all negligent acts or omissions of Stallion/Frozen Semen Owner, or of any person while the recipient mare(s) are under Stallion/Mare/Frozen Semen Owner's possession or control, whether caused by the sole negligent acts or omissions of Stallion/Mare/Frozen Semen Owner or by the concurrent negligent acts or omissions of Stallion/Mare/Frozen Semen Owner, arising out of or attributed, directly or indirectly, to the use, possession, transportation (except for transportation, delivery and pick up by CSU/ERC or Rocky Mountain Equine, LLC), condition, or storage of the stallion or 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 CSU/ERC and Rocky Mountain Equine, LLC. **WARNING:** Under Colorado Law, an equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities, pursuant to section 13-21-119, Colorado Revised Statutes.
 - a. Stallion/Frozen Semen Owner hereby releases and shall indemnify and hold CSU/ERC harmless from any claim, demand or loss arising from transport or transport regulations. Stallion/Frozen Semen Owner is responsible for knowledge and adherence to guidelines for intrastate, interstate, and/or international movement or export of mare/pregnant recipient/foal/stallion/embryo/oocyte/semen. CSU/ERC does not screen recipients for previous disease exposure or vaccinations (e.g., antibody titers). Stallion/Frozen Semen Owner shall exonerate, protect, indemnify, defend, and hold harmless CSU/ERC from any and all liabilities, expenses, claims, fines, penalties, costs, attorney fees, and damages of every kind associated with vaccinations and recent or previous exposure to disease and their impact on transportation.
5. **COOLED AND FROZEN SEMEN:**
 - a. CSU/ERC will follow standard laboratory procedures for processing semen for cooled and frozen semen. CSU/ERC does not guarantee the number of sperm cooled/frozen, quality or fertility of cooled/frozen semen.
 - b. Every attempt will be taken to deliver cooled/frozen semen to Stallion Owner in good condition, however once the shipment leaves CSU/ERC, CSU/ERC cannot be held responsible for delayed arrival or condition of cooled/frozen semen upon arrival to Stallion Owner.
6. **FOR FROZEN SEMEN STORAGE:**
 - a. CSU/ERC agrees to store Frozen Semen from said Stallion for use in reproductive procedures and long-term storage.
 - b. Beginning on the date semen arrives and is frozen and/or processed and entered into the computer

management program, storage fees will be applied from that date forward. **Billing will occur monthly for frozen semen storage.** When invoices for frozen semen are not paid to CSU/ERC through six billing cycles, a certified letter will be sent to Frozen Semen Owner requesting that Frozen Semen storage billing is brought current. Frozen Semen will be destroyed 30 days from date of certified letter, whether or not received/accepted by Frozen Semen Owner, if account is not paid in full. Any frozen semen storage account that is delinquent two or more times in a year will be subject to termination of the Contract at the discretion of CSU/ERC. CSU/ERC will attempt to maintain storage costs at current prices. CSU/ERC reserves the right to adjust prices accordingly as material costs increase or storage procedure changes. Owner will be notified of price increases in writing.

- c. Semen Owner agrees to pay all charges associated with shipment of semen to/from CSU/ERC. The Semen Owner also agrees to pay any express mail courier/airline shipping charges, courier service charges, and return freight charges. Insurance during shipping must be organized in advance through the shipping entity. **CSU/ERC does not provide insurance.**
 - d. CSU/ERC shall make every effort to maintain the Frozen Semen in proper storage conditions pursuant to this Contract, with proper care, handling and protection according to reasonable standards and practices of the equine industry.
 - e. The Semen Owner agrees to assume all responsibility for the Frozen Semen and shall bear all risk of loss or damage to the Frozen Semen, whether by loss, infection, theft or otherwise and by any cause whatsoever, and agrees to hold CSU/ERC (or any person employed by or associated with CSU/ERC) harmless on any and all damages associated therewith.
7. Stallion Owner agrees to **pay all charges in full** before removing Stallion and/or frozen semen. See Fee Schedule attached hereto. Stallion will not be released if insufficient notice is given, or the bill is not paid prior to departure. The Stallion Owner is required to make transportation arrangements for departure between the hours of 7:30 am to 4:30 pm Monday through Friday, unless previous arrangements have been made well in advance.
 8. Stallion Owner is responsible for **obtaining and paying for any insurance** desired on the Stallion and/or frozen semen stored and/or frozen embryos. CSU/ERC **does not** provide insurance.
 9. Stallion Owner is responsible for **parentage testing** of any embryo transfer foal.
 10. Stallion Owner is responsible for all **Breed Registry rules and regulations** and including, but not limited to, brand inspections required by law. Stallion Owner shall promptly furnish proof of ownership, breed registry and brand inspection upon request by CSU/ERC.
 11. CSU/ERC may initiate emergency medical or surgical treatment, including transfer to the Johnson Family Equine Hospital or another veterinary facility, if deemed necessary. CSU/ERC will make reasonable efforts to contact the Stallion Owner before treatment or transfer. The Stallion Owner is responsible for all associated costs, billed directly by the treating facility.
 12. This **Contract is non-transferable**. If the Stallion is sold, all unpaid fees become immediately due and payable and no refunds will be made. This Contract is subject to the laws of the State of Colorado.
 13. CSU/ERC reserves the **right to discontinue service** at its discretion and to terminate this Contract upon 2 days' notice to Stallion Owner. This can include behavioral and safety concerns related to Stallion while in the care of CSU/ERC. Stallion must be halter broke; meaning caught in a stall with reasonable effort and able to lead safely from stall to collection area and in general terms be safe to work around. There will be no refunds on services provided PRIOR TO or during this Contact if terminated by either Party.
 14. By signing this Contract, I hereby grant CSU/ERC the irrevocable right and permission to photograph and/or record my Mare/Donor Mare/Foal/Stallion in connection with CSU/ERC and to use the photograph and/or recording for educational, research or promotional purposes but not limited hereinto. I waive any right to inspect or approve the use of the photograph and/or recording and acknowledge and agree that the rights granted to this release are without compensation of any kind. I also hereby grant CSU/ERC the irrevocable right and permission to collect and obtain both non-invasive and/or disposable samples from my Mare/Donor Mare/Foal/Stallion for the purpose of research or education while being managed at the ERC. Opt-out of photo/videography (*must initial*)
 15. Each party agrees to **comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, codes, regulations, rules, and orders**. This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of Colorado, and any legal action concerning the provisions hereof shall exclusively be brought in the District Court in Larimer County, Colorado. If it is determined that a brand inspection ticket is required in order to authorize any transfer or transport of animals under this Contract, Stallion Owner hereby authorizes and appoints CSU/ERC to execute any required documents on Stallion Owner's behalf.
 16. Payment is due upon dismissal or within 30 days of the invoice in the case of continued services. Late payments incur a \$25 handling fee and 1.5% monthly interest. Failure to remit payment within 30 days after invoice or to perform any term, condition, or covenant of this Contract—continuing for 10 days after written notice—constitutes

GENERAL STALLION SERVICES FEE SCHEDULE

Board/Care	
Daily Stallion Board	\$39.50/day
<i>Includes daily turn out, blanketing (when needed w/ owner provided blankets, owner provided supplements)</i>	
Daily Stallion Board – Level II	\$55.00/day
<i>Stallion board will be increased to this daily rate when no services are performed or requested for 7 days.</i>	
Enhanced Care	\$ Varies with type and frequency requested
Stallion Services (Fee for Service)	
Cooled Semen Shipment – Includes Overnight Shipping	\$450
Cooled Semen Shipment – Same Day Airline	\$675
Breeding Soundness Evaluation	\$750
<i>BSE includes 2 semen collections and basic semen evaluation, sperm morphology, testicular measurement, bacterial cultures, and formal DVM letter regarding stallion breeding status.</i>	
Semen Collection & Basic Evaluation	\$225
Semen Processing for Fresh/Cooled Semen	\$350 (carry-out)
Semen Processing for AI (on-site)	\$325 (on-site Stallion)
Test Cool (no BSE)	\$635 (Stallion must be cleaned out)
Test Freeze (no BSE)	\$850 (Stallion must be cleaned out)
Semen Processing & Freezing (base*)	\$775
Semen Freezing – Additional Extender Packet	\$135 / packet
Cooled Semen Evaluation	\$220 (24/48 hr motility, formal letter)
Frozen Semen Evaluation	\$220 (0, 10, 60 min motility & concentration, formal letter)
Natural Breeding (live cover)	\$275
Phantom Training (<i>per 45 min. session</i>)	\$365
<i>If training exceeds 45 min, rate will increase by \$45 for each additional 15 minutes.</i>	
Unsuccessful Collection	\$165
Epididymal Sperm Recovery	\$775
Epididymal Sperm Freeze (base*)	\$700
Morphology	\$90
Culture	\$90/ per culture
Frozen Semen Handling Fee	\$50
Disposable Shipping Container – Single Use Purchase	\$45
Dry Shipper Rental (frozen semen)	\$100
<i>*Additional extender packets billed as required based on sperm number</i>	
Miscellaneous Services	
Daily Treatment Fee	\$7.00
Shipping (Frozen Semen)	\$275 (can vary based on specifications)
Owner grain or supplement allocation	\$60 each
Storage (per stallion in storage)	
Bulk Semen Storage	\$30 per month up to 400 straws
	\$45 per month for 401 – 800 straws
	\$60 per month for 801 – 1,999 straws
	\$75 per month for ≥ 2000 straws
ICSI Only Storage	\$50 per year up to 8 straws only with intended use of ICSI . Bill at arrival and then yearly in January.