

Date: _____

Animal Health Risk Assessment and Management Plan (RAMP)

FAX TO: (519) 846-8178

Farm Name: _____

DFO License #: _____ DHI Herd #: _____

Veterinarian: _____

Section 1: General Johne's Disease (JD) Risk Management

1. Date of last JD herd test (ddmmyy)
(Leave blank if herd has never been tested)

2. Have you ever had any JD clinical OR test positive cows in your herd?
 No Yes Don't know

3. Did you purchase animals in the last 5 years?
 No (0 pt)
 Yes from 1 herd (10 pt.)
 Yes from multiple herds (20 pt)

If YES then:

3.1. Did you buy any of the following in the last 5 years?
(Check all that apply)
 Cows (20 pt)
 Heifers (5 pt)
 Bulls (5 pt)

3.2. Did you ask about JD when purchasing animals?
 No (10 pt)
 Yes (2 pt)

Maximum score is 60. Your section score is

Section 2: Calving Area Risk Management

(Higher score indicates higher risk).

1 4 7 10
1. Single or multiple cows in calving area?
2. Manure build up, risk for calf exposure?
3. Manure soiled udders and legs of cows?
4. Calving area used for sick or lame cows?
5. Calving area used by JD clinical or test positive cows?
6. Birth of calves in areas other than designated calving area?
7. Likelihood of calves nursing cow(s)?
8. Length of time calves stay with cow(s)?

Maximum score is 80. Your section score is

Section 3: Heifers – Preweaned Risk Management

(Higher score indicates higher risk)

1 4 7 10
1. Are calves fed low risk cow or artificial colostrum?
2. Are 3 to 4 litres of colostrum consumed in first 6 hours?
3. Are calves fed low risk whole milk or milk replacer?
4. How often is non-saleable milk (high risk) fed?
5. Are calves housed in individual or group pens?
6. Exposure to cow manure in calf housing area?
7. Exposure to cow manure by watering or feeding utensils?

Maximum score is 70. Your section score is

Section 4: Heifers - Weaned to First Calving Risk Management

(Higher score indicates higher risk)

1 4 7 10
1. Are heifers exposed to cows/cow manure at any time?
Weaned heifers
Bred heifers
2. The overall heifer hygiene and cleanliness score.
Weaned heifers
Bred heifers

Maximum score is 40. Your section score is

Section 5: Cows - Risk Management

(Higher score indicates higher risk).

1 4 7 10
1. Cow area environment hygiene score.
Dry cows
Milking cows
2. Cow cleanliness.
Dry cows
Milking cows
3. Do you spread cow manure on crops in the same season as they are fed?
Dry hay No (0 pt) Yes (5 pt)
Alfalfa silage No (0 pt) Yes (5 pt)

Maximum score is 50. Your section score is

Total Risk Score / 300

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Recommendations for changes on this farm:

(Maximum of 3 per RAMP suggested)

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3.	

Date: _____

Herd Owner: _____

DFO License #: _____

DHI Herd #: _____

Herd Owners Signature:

Herd Veterinarian: _____

Veterinarian's CVO License #: _____

Veterinarian's Signature: