

Course description for:

Bovine Wet Lab

Instructor: Clinical Veterinarian, Agricultural Attendant and/or Animal Health Technician

Session Dates: As needed upon request.

Session Length: 3 hour

Who Should Attend: All students and researchers who need to work with bovine for their research project.

Prerequisite: Animal User Training Course or equivalent

Training Session Objectives:

1. Orientation to facility.
2. Learn how to safely handle, move and restrain cattle.
3. Learn how to use the squeeze chute and understand other restraint methods.
4. Be familiar with different methods of identification in cattle.
5. Learn how to recognize common signs of pain, distress, injury or illness.
6. Learn how to obtain a blood sample. (if required).
7. Learn how to safely handle needles and syringes.
8. Learn how to perform an IM injection (if required).
9. Learn how to obtain a fecal sample.

Location: Glenlea Dairy Barn

Min/Max # of People: 1 to 4

Additional procedures may be taught as required.