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Sheep Vaccination and Worming Program

Vaccinations:

Lambs:

At Birth

Nasalgen 1cc (1/2cc per nostril)

1 week of age

Castrate and dock tails

Tetanus Antitoxin ½ cc SQ

2-4 weeks of age

Vision CD&T 1cc SQ (If starting CD&T before 4 weeks old booster again before 8-10 weeks old)

8-10 weeks of age (4-6 weeks after previous vaccines)

Vision CD&T booster 2cc SQ

Nasalgen 1cc (1/2cc per nostril)

14-16 weeks of age (4-6 weeks after previous vaccines)

Vision CD&T booster 2cc SQ

Nasalgen 1cc (1/2cc per nostril)

Ewes:

Vision CD&T annual booster 2cc SQ (1 month prior to lambing)

Worm spring and fall (1 month prior to lambing)

Nasalgen 1cc annually (1 month prior to lambing)

Hoof trimming

Rams:

Vision CD&T 2cc SQ annually

Annual Breeding Soundness Examination and bleeding for Brucella Ovis

Nasalgen annually (1cc per nostril)

Hoof trimming

Worming:

Performing a fecal test prior to administering any dewormer is the best method for determining if your animals have a parasite problem. Fecal exam every 6 months is sufficient in most areas (once in the spring and again in the fall). From the exam we will be able to tell you the type and amount of internal parasites and then the most appropriate treatment. A follow up fecal exam 2 weeks after the medication has been administered is the best way to measure the success of the deworming medication. Testing frequency may need to be increased according to the infection level, number of animals, and the size of the pasture in which they are kept. Begin testing animals at 2-3 months of age.

- 1. Ivomec drench or injectable
- 2. Panacur drench
- 3. Valbazen drench (Not for use in pregnant animals)