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ABEC RECIPIENT - MARE AGREEMENT FOR EMBRYO TRANSFER 2022-2023 SEASON

This is an Agreement dated between Agnes Banks Equine Clinic Pty Limited ACN 145 333 446 and (the Client) of (Address):

..... State: Postcode: Contact Number:

(name and address must be completed) Donor Mare: Donor Mare:

1. After the 28 day pregnancy test the recipient mare should be collected from ABEC. Owners will be notified of a positive pregnancy test. Agistment fees shall apply from this point @ \$41.53 / day (inc GST)
2. Recipient mare is to be brought back for a 45 day pregnancy test
3. Care of your pregnant recipient mare – proper care of your recipient mare will maximise the chances of the birth of a healthy foal. Guidelines include;
 - a. Pregnant recipient mares should be kept in an area separate from other non-pregnant mares, young stock, and geldings to minimise infectious disease risk.
 - b. Recipient mares should not be put into stressful situations if at all possible (long transport, changing of herd, nutritional stress etc.)
 - c. Recipient mares should be kept in a paddock with good feed and / or supplemented feed as needed especially during late-term pregnancy
 - d. Tetanus / Strangles vaccination is recommended 4 weeks before projected foaling date
 - e. If recipient mare is caslicked, it needs to be opened about 4 weeks before estimated foaling date
 - f. Recipient mare is to have regular de-worming and feet care.
 - g. Foaling paddocks should be kept clean and safe. Supervision of foaling is optimal.
4. ABEC does guarantee that the recipient mare is pregnant at 28 days when mare goes home but DOES NOT guarantee the recipient mare will produce a live foal. Please remember that 4-6% of pregnancies will not be carried to term for various reasons, many of which cannot be determined. This is a risk that horse breeders take with each pregnancy and is the reason that ABEC cannot offer refunds on embryos transferred. In the unlikely event of the recipient mare aborting the foetus please notify ABEC as soon as possible.
5. In a small number of cases ongoing medication may be required. You must follow your Veterinarians instructions.
6. We recommend you consider insuring the pregnancy
7. Recipient return – ABEC recipients can be returned after weaning the foal. We will accept them back into our herd on or after Aug 1st of the next breeding season. It is expected that the recipient mare will be returned in similar condition to which it left ABEC.
8. ABEC will not be held liable for any accounts payable for veterinary fees, transport fees or agistment fees due for the recipient mare – this is the responsibility of the person leasing the mare.

I have read the information above and I agree to the Terms & Conditions of ABEC policy regarding the leasing of ABEC owned recipient mares. Please sign below and fax (02) 4578 1458 or email back to ABEC at clinic@abec.net.au

Signed (Owner): Date: