JOIN THE VETERINARY SERVICES PROGRAM

IT'S FREE TO ENROL!

The Veterinary Services Program helps farmers get veterinary care for livestock raised for food or fibre.

NEW FOR 2022!

(One year pilot program.)

The Veterinary Services Program now includes a telemedicine service, which makes it easier for farmers to get veterinary advice.

Farmers will have access to recommended vaccines, parasite treatments and prescription medicines at no cost.

SERVICES IN THE PROGRAM:

- 1. Funds for private veterinarian consults
 2. Telemedicine consults
 3. Livestock medications

4. Some on-farm services

HOW CAN THE VETERINARY SERVICES PROGRAM HELP ME?

The Veterinary Services Program can help with these questions and issues facing Yukon farmers:

- **Diagnostic dilemmas** What's wrong with my animal? Is this normal? Why did my animal die?
- Caring for neonatal and young animals How do I keep young animals healthy? How do I set up for life-long health?
- **Parasite control** Do my animals have parasites? How do I treat them?
- Breeding and pregnancy What animals should I breed and how? Is my animal pregnant? How do I improve reproductive success?
- Preventative medicine and vaccinations What vaccines or supplements do my animals need? How can I protect my herd/flock from contagious illness?



WHAT IF I HAVE AN EMERGENCY?

- Telemedicine consults and on-farm services are only available by appointment during regular business hours.
- Private veterinarians may be able to assist with emergencies and surgeries. Funding is available to cover up to \$1,000 per year in fees.
- The Veterinary Services Program can help you plan for emergencies and provide training on humane euthanasia for animals that are suffering or in distress.



HOW TO ENROL IN THE VETERINARY SERVICES PROGRAM:

Visit Yukon.ca/livestock-health to apply for the program.

Previous participants are automatically re-enrolled each year.

To book a telemedicine consult, call 867-667-5600 or email animalhealth@yukon.ca.



