

Supply of Chilled Semen

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: Apart from the Service Fee, are there any other costs involved with the supply of chilled semen?

A: There is a semen collection fee of \$165 inc gst along with freight costs that is payable prior to semen shipping. Please see our current Shipping Rates (available on the Downloads page of our website).

Q: Who arranges the Delivery of the semen?

A: Providing the details have been completed on the Breeding Contract, we will arrange the delivery. If you have a particular freight company you would prefer to use, please notify us so we can arrange it.

Q: My mare is ready for breeding. What happens next?

A: You or the person organizing the insemination should contact us to keep us informed of your mare's cycle status. We will need confirmation one day prior to when the semen is required for insemination (preferably before 10am) and a 'Chilled Semen Order Form' should be faxed or emailed to us. This form is available from our Downloads page of our website.

Same day delivery is available but can be extremely expensive if relying on courier companies. Same day shipments must be booked in by 8am and a faxed 'Chilled Semen Order Form' must be received.

Q: My mare was pregnancy tested, but not in foal. What happens now?

A: If your mare fails to conceive, the process is repeated until a pregnancy is positively detected. If there are problems with the mare and/or the breeding season ends before a positive pregnancy test, your Stallion Service is carried forward to the next breeding season where the process is again repeated.

Q: My mare is pregnant! When do I get a service certificate?

A: Service Certificates are usually issued at the end of the breeding season during the months of April/May. We will require written confirmation of a 45 day positive pregnancy test, and the completed Mare AI Form from your veterinarian/AI technician prior to issuing the certificate. All accounts must also be paid before the Service Certificate is issued.