Beef Cattle Quarantine Protocol

A beef cattle quarantine protocol guide for isolating new or returning cattle before they join the herd, to reduce the spread of disease. Print it and keep it handy where the work gets done.

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1. Pick a separate pen away from the herd
2. Keep separate feed and water
3. Use dedicated tools and clothing
4. Work quarantined animals last
5. Observe animals daily and record notes
6. Test or vaccinate as your veterinarian advises
7. Keep records of any illness
8. Release only after veterinarian approval

YOUR NOTES

TIP Set up the quarantine pen before animals arrive and ask your veterinarian how long and what testing suit your herd.

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