Cattle Disease Identification Guide

A cattle disease identification guide that helps handlers notice common warning signs and know when to isolate an animal and call a veterinarian. Print it and keep it handy where the work gets done.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

1. Observe herd behavior and appetite
2. Note breathing and nasal discharge
3. Check eyes, mouth and feet
4. Look at manure and urine
5. Watch gait and posture
6. Check udder and calf condition
7. Isolate the animal if concerned
8. Call your veterinarian for diagnosis

YOUR NOTES

TIP This guide is for spotting problems only, so always leave diagnosis and treatment decisions to your veterinarian.