Farrowing SOP

Use this Farrowing SOP as a quick reference for following a standard procedure for farrowing care. Follow the steps in order, adapt them to your barns, and check source guidance for details.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

1. Prepare and clean the farrowing room
2. Move sows in per plan
3. Check sows regularly near due date
4. Watch progress and call for help when needed
5. Dry and warm newborn pigs
6. Make sure each pig nurses
7. Record births and notes
8. Handle placentas and dead pigs properly
9. Clean up and wash hands

YOUR NOTES

TIP Review it with new staff before the first farrowing, and confirm any assistance steps with your veterinarian.

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