## **FOALING PROGRAM**



Our foaling program provides late term pregnancy monitoring of the mare, specific neonatal care, and a veterinarian attending foaling. *Mares and foals will receive the following care:* 

- Weekly monitoring for placentitis and placental dysfunction using trans-rectal ultrasonography and measurements of the combined Utero-Placental Thickness
- Monitoring mammary secretions for rising calcium carbonate concentrations to predict the day of foaling
- O Foaling attendants monitoring foaling mares 24/7
- O
  Board certified veterinarian in equine reproduction attending each foaling
- Complete placental exam after foaling
- O Routine enema and umbilical care for the foal

- O Determination of colostrum quality to help maximize antibody absorption in the first hours of life
- O Quantitative IgG and foal exam following delivery
- Foaling stalls measuring 14' by 24' with night

  Vision capabilities and internet streaming video
- O Dedicated 50' by 50' foot grass neonate paddock

This pasture is solely for neonatal foals in the first few days post foaling. It can be used to monitor leg conformation, to limit excessive turnout, and to restrict exercise for foals with conformational abnormalities during therapy.

- Outdoor 50' by 150' runs for mares and foals as increased exercise is warranted
- Approximately 35 acres of fenced grass pasture for turnout of groups of mares and foals







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