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Management Procedures to Prevent Disease Transmission

1. Management practices that apply to all animals.
 - a. Dip ear tagger and tattooer in Nolvasan between calves.
 - b. Use a different A.I. sleeve anytime a cow is examined rectally or to be bred.
 - c. Use a NEW needle for every injection.
 - i. After the injection to any animal, if blood is visible in the stem of the syringe, discard the syringe and use a new one for the next animal.
 - ii. A needle has to be attached to a syringe before inserting it into the vial or bottle.
 - d. Baling guns should be rinsed-off with water and any debris removed between animals. If it was used on an animal suspected of having a respiratory problem, dip it into a solution of Nolvasan after it has been cleaned, followed by another rinsing with water.