# **DRENCH RESISTANCE**

# Invest in your farm's future! Know your drench status by doing a reduction test.



Organise a full

# **Faecal Egg Count Reduction Test (FECRT)**

# Weaning is the time to do a FECRT

The purpose of a FECRT is to provide you with data on the drench effectiveness and resistance status of the parasite population on your property. This will help ensure that the drenches you use on your farm are highly effective. A significant driver of drench resistance is the continued use of ineffective drench products.

### "You can't afford to be drenching with a product that doesn't work!"

- Analysis of the major drench activities.
- Larval culture and identification of resistant worm species.
- Full report for effective drench selection and an animal health plan.

Contact your prime vet, or phone our helpful team to arrange a test today!



# Veterinary Centre by the Big Blue Cross

#### Your Local Veterinary Centre

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NOTE: All prices and promotions are valid until the end of month or while stocks last.



# Veterinary Centre



Our best wishes for a safe and successful farming year!

So often in the rush of business, we don't get a chance to thank you all for your support. Be assured we never take your partnering with us for granted, and it is always a privilege to work with you.



The New Year is a perfect time to design your **Animal** Health Plan for your farm!









# **Two Diseases** Two Vaccines



Toxoplasma is present on 100% of New Zealand farms, and Campylobacter on 88%\*1 – but both are equally important. These two diseases can cause abortion storms with losses up to 30%, or more, of lambs\*2,3.

Preventing them takes two vaccines. Maiden ewes require 1 dose of ToxoVax and 2 doses of CampyVax4 ahead of mating.

A booster of CampyVax4 is required in the following year, and an annual dose is recommended before mating is completed.

#### **ToxoVax**

- Controls the risk of Toxoplasma. **Live** vaccine.
- ✓ Up to 8% higher lambing percentages (3% national average).
- ✓ Vaccinate at least 4 weeks prior to first mating.
- One shot gives a lifetime immunity.
- MUST BE ORDERED AT LEAST 4 WEEKS IN **ADVANCE OF TREATMENT** to ensure availability.

#### CampvVax4

- Controls the risk of Campylobacter.
- Increase lambing by an average 9%
- Protect maiden ewes with TWO shots 4-6 weeks apart, and one booster shot in previously vaccinated ewes.

# lexidine

# **Flexidine**

For the treatment of lodine deficiency in sheep from mating to weaning.

Use 4-6 weeks pre-tup for lodine supplementation. in a sustained release formulation.

\* This is a prescription medicine only available following a veterinary consultation.

#### **Pre-Mating** Reminders

It is critical to get it right, as it is impossible to correct any mistakes until next season. The work pre-mating determines the potential performance of your flock for the upcoming season. Nothing can increase scanning percentages once the mating has finished!

#### Things to check include:

- Ram health and soundness
- Ewe body condition
- Feeding levels
- Trace element status
- Ability of the ewe to conceive and maintain pregnancy

#### Example for early April mating 2 Tooth/Hogget Pre-mating **Animal Health Programme**

5 Jan ORDER

ToxoVax

**Order** ToxoVax **EARLY!** 

5 Feb

CampyVax4 First Sensitiser Shot (1ml/subcut)

ToxoVax 2ml Dose Intramuscular 5 Mar

CampyVax4 Second Booster Shot (1ml/subcut)

**Flexidine** 

Matrix Hi-Min Oral Drench (Incl Selenium)

5 Apr **Put the Ram** out!

Don't leave your ewe flock unprotected ... it's not worth the risk!

# Fly Protection this Summer

**Veterinary Centre** 



#### Cyrex LIQUID

10 Litre

Flystrike Protection 6-12 weeks fully saturated dipping 3-8 weeks automatic jetting race Dilution 1:500

> 10 litre **\$1249**.00

#### Cvrazin K.O.

5 Litre Up to 14 weeks flystrike protection Dilution 1:500

5 litre \$659.90

\* Enquire about our bulk purchase deals!

# **Sheep Spray-On**



#### **CLiK Extra** Spray-On

20 Litre

14-26 weeks flystrike protection

20 litre \$1289.00 **BUY 2 for** \$1249.00

#### **CLiKZIN** Spray-On

20 Litre 6-9 weeks flystrike protection

20 litre \$729.00

#### **Zapp Encore** Spray-On 20 Litre

**LIQUID** 

5 Litre

Up to 14 weeks

flystrike protection

Dilution 1:500

5 litre

\$405.90

Minimum 8 weeks flystrike protection

20 litre **S669.00** 

## **NOVEL DRENCHES**



## **Control 5 Clostridial Diseases**

An optimum 2mg dose of selenium for supplementation of lambs from tailing



The proven performer for cost effective control of five clostridial diseases.

#### **CALF DRENCHES OVER 100KG**



**Mini-Dose** Hi-Min Pour-On 10 LITRE

**Matrix** 





**Alliance Low-Dose Triple Action** Pour-On 10 LITRE

S662

#### **YEARLINGS DRENCHES**





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Oamaru

Waimate

Omarama

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**Palmerston** 

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