



Embryo Recovery/Transfer/Transport Agreement 2026/2027

THIS AGREEMENT is made the _____ day of _____

BETWEEN:

CHARLES STURT UNIVERSITY {ABN 83 878 708 551}, through the VETERINARY CLINICAL CENTRE, a body corporate established by the Charles Sturt University Act 1989, located at the School of Agricultural, Environmental and Veterinary Sciences of Agriculture Avenue, Wagga Wagga, NSW (the Veterinary Clinical Centre); and _____ (Client Name) of _____

(Client Address)

Background

- A. The Veterinary Clinical Centre of Charles Sturt University provides services associated with equine assisted reproduction.
- B. The client wishes to use the Veterinary Clinical Centre of Charles Sturt University for the purpose of assisted reproduction.
- C. The Veterinary Clinical Centre agrees to accept the nominated stallion for the purpose of assisted reproduction stallion services on terms of this Agreement.
- D. The client agrees to pay all fees and charges related to this event as set out under this Agreement.

AGREED TERMS

Representations by the client or their agent

- 1. The client or any person signing this agreement on behalf of the client represents that he is she is duly authorised to enter into and sign this Agreement as the client or for and on behalf of the client (as their agent) and that:
 - (a) the client is the sole owner of the stallion, or
 - (b) the client is authorised by all others who may have an interest in the stallion to enter this Agreement.

Required disclosures

- 2. The client agrees to disclose to the Veterinary Clinical Centre any underlying stallion health conditions, including but not limited to, a history of laminitis, PPID or EMS. In addition, the client agrees to notify the Veterinary Clinical Centre of any increase in rectal temperature, nasal discharge, diarrhoea, or illness prior to presentation at the Veterinary Clinical Centre.



3. The client is to disclose if the nominated mare is on a lease agreement and agrees to provide a copy of permissions relevant to breeding, and for the purpose of carrying a pregnancy or for the purpose of embryo retrieval.

Fees

4. The client agrees to pay the procedure fee (inc. GST) as outlined below) as set out in Item 1 of the schedule to this Agreement prior to admission for each breeding cycle
 - a) Embryo Flush **\$495.00**
 - b) Embryo Transfer (into owner provided mare) **\$495.00**
 - c) Recipient mare synchronisation (mare owner supplied) **\$165.00** management fee + additional scans and treatments.
 - d) A running total of additional charges will be invoiced at the conclusion of the package services.
5. The donor mare owner agrees to pay the breeding package fee as outlined in the Charles Sturt University Veterinary Clinical Centre breeding contract appropriate to the semen type utilised in the breeding of the nominated mare.
6. The client agrees to make a separate arrangement with the stallion owner to pay for service fees before the admission of the mare to the Veterinary Clinical Centre.
7. The client agrees to any further reproductive procedures deemed necessary (after consultation) by the vet and agrees to pay any additional charges involved with these procedures.
8. The client is responsible for all fees and other charges involved in the mare's care whilst in transit to and from the Veterinary Clinical Centre and while at the Veterinary Clinical Centre.
9. The client agrees to pay all charges prior to the discharge of the mare from the Veterinary Clinical Centre, or within the payment terms outlined at on the receipt of an invoice.
10. The donor mare owner agrees to supply recipient mare candidates, and is responsible for all fees and charges involved in the recipient candidate mares' care whilst in transit to and from the Charles Sturt University Veterinary Clinical Centre and while at the Charles Sturt University Veterinary Clinical Centre.
11. If the mare owner is unable to provide suitable recipient mares for embryo transfer the mare owner agrees to make appropriate arrangements with a third-party recipient transfer facility prior to the commencement of the agreed Charles Sturt University Veterinary Clinical Centre breeding package.



- a) In the event of the requirement to transport a retrieved embryo to a third-party recipient transfer facility the mare owner agrees to pay all costs associated with embryo dispatch and third-party courier transport arranged by Charles Sturt University Veterinary Clinical Centre, or alternatively will transport the retrieved embryo to the third-party recipient transfer facility themselves.
- b) Charles Sturt University Veterinary Clinical Centre will take all due care to arrange prompt delivery of any retrieved embryos to the third-party recipient transfer facility but takes no responsibility for the loss or damage of the embryo once received by or delivered to the third-party courier company.

Failure to pay fees

12. If the client fails to pay an invoice by the payment due date the Veterinary Clinical Centre may charge the client interest (at an interest rate of 10%p.a.) on any outstanding amounts if those outstanding amounts remain unpaid for more than thirty (30) days from the date of invoice.

Disclaimer and limitation of liability

13. Charles Sturt University Veterinary Clinical Centre and its staff will take all due care and provide attention to the client's horse whilst at the Veterinary Clinical Centre.
14. Whilst in the care of the Veterinary Clinical Centre the client acknowledges there is a risk to the mare of illness, injury including the minor risk of rectal tear and colic which both may have life threatening complications.
15. The client/agent agrees to not hold the Veterinary Clinical Centre responsible for any injury or illness to the mare.
16. The Veterinary Clinical Centre is not responsible for the quality or fertility of the stallion.
17. The Veterinary Clinical Centre cannot make any live foal guarantees, a pregnancy certificate can be supplied after positive pregnancy diagnosis from day 42 post ovulation.
18. The client acknowledges that assisted reproduction is an elective procedure and will not hold the Veterinary Clinical Centre or its staff liable for any complications or death associated with the following:
- a) Assisted reproduction.
 - b) Parturition.
 - c) Post-foaling complications.
19. Every effort will be made to contact the client prior to treatment for any unforeseen problem with the mare.



20. If the client cannot be contacted, the Veterinary Clinical Centre will treat the mare as necessary at the client's expense and the client agrees to pay any expenses incurred by the University Veterinary Clinical Centre under clause 16 of this Agreement.
21. Subject to clause 19, the Veterinary Clinical Centre's aggregate liability to the client under or in respect of this Agreement whether in contract, tort (including negligence), statute or any other cause of action is limited to the value of the total fees paid by the client for the service fees to which the cause of action relates.
22. Nothing in this Agreement operates to limit or exclude liability that cannot by law be limited or excluded.
23. The Veterinary Clinical Centre shall not be liable to the client for any consequential loss, including loss of profits, loss of revenue, loss of any contract value, loss of anticipated profit or damages for lost opportunity.

Insurance

24. The client must effect and maintain the insurance policies set out in Item 3 of the schedule and any other insurance policy required by law in connection with the provision of the Services throughout the term of this Agreement.

Notices

25. Any notice under this agreement shall be in writing and may be given by post, email or by delivery to the party's address as set out in Item 3 schedule.

Governing law

26. This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of NSW.

Entire agreement

27. This Agreement is the entire agreement between the parties in relation to its subject matter, and replaces all previous agreements, understandings and arrangements in relation to the same subject matter.



- I acknowledge that I have read the above and understood the nature and consequences of the procedures/treatments. I understand that the treatments/procedures may involve some risk and I give my consent for the treatments/procedures to be performed.
- I agree to pay all costs incurred in undertaking these treatments/procedures including those associated with livery and any additional cost whilst the animal is at the Veterinary Clinical Centre

Client/agent(Tick): Client Agent

Name (print):

Signed (Client/Agent)

_____ Date

Witnessed by:

Name (print):

Signed

_____ Date

Schedule

Item 1. Fee Structure

Procedure fee:

Embryo Flush	\$495
Recipient Mare Synchronisation (Client supplied mare)	\$165
Embryo Transfer into client owned recipient	\$495.00

2026/2027 agistment rates at the Veterinary Clinical Centre.

Mares	Yard: \$38.50/day	Stable \$99.00/day (subject to availability)
Mares with foals at foot	Yard: \$44.00/day	Stable \$115.50/day (subject to availability)
Stallions	Yard: \$44.00/day	Stable \$99.00/day (subject to availability)

Note. All horses on agistment are fed a hard feed and horse quality lucerne hay twice daily.



Item 2. Contact Details

The Veterinary Clinical Centre's contact details

Name:

Address:

Telephone number:

Email:

Client's contact details

Name:

Address:

Telephone number:

Email:

Item 3. Insurance

Is the animal insured(Tick): Yes No

Name as listed on insurance documentation:

Insurance provider:

Is the foal insured(Tick): Yes No

Foal name as listed on insurance documentation:

Insurance provider:

Do you have Semen/sperm insurance(Tick): Yes No

Insurance provider:

Do you have embryo insurance (Tick): Yes No

Insurance provider:



CSU MARE IDENTIFICATION RECORD

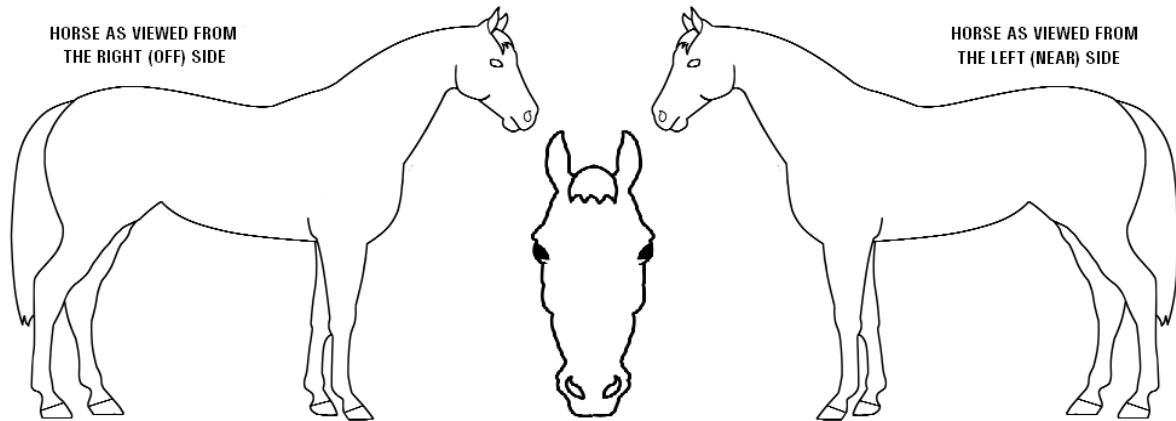
Mare Name:

DOB/Age:

Microchip Number:

Breed:

Colour:



Owner:

Stallion Details:

Phone: (M)

(B.H)

1. Stallion Name:

Email:

Stallion Owner/Agent:

Insurance Provider:

Phone: (M)

(B.H)

Contract type:

Fresh/Chilled A.I

Frozen A.I

Embryo

Location of Stallion/Semen:

Date of Arrival:

Brands: O/S

N/S

Neck Brand

Has your mare been scanned before:

Y

N

2. Stallion Name:

Stallion Owner/Agent:

Phone: (M)

(B.H)

Location of Stallion/Semen:

Mare Status:

Maiden

Dry

Wet

Foal At Foot Details:

Vaccination History:

Tetanus Date:

Strangles Date:

EHV Date:

Hendra, Date of last vaccination:

Drench Date and Drench used:

Date of Birth:

Sex:

F

M

Colours/Markings:

Comments/Further History:

Foaling History:

Last foaling date:

Due:

Foaling complications:

Y

N

Details:

Caslicks:

Y

N

Retained Membranes:

Y

N

Swabs:

Y

N

Swabs taken:

VCC STAFF ONLY:

Date of Arrival:

BCS: /5

Package Type:

Date: