

NOTES & COMMENTS:

- You will be outside for part of this training please dress accordingly
- Lunch is provided both days, if you have special dietary needs please let us know at the time of registration
- Please bring rubber washable boots and coveralls for use in the barn

Hotels in the Area:

Sleep Inn and Suites

1600 S. Madison St. Lancaster
608-885-8026

Napps Motel

645 12th St. Hwy, US-18, Fennimore
608-822-3226

The Fenway House Hotel

1096 Lincoln Ave., Fennimore, WI
608-822-3782

The Extension Marathon County website contains more information on this program and other programs that we offer.

Join Extension in learning how to Artificially Inseminate your own cattle.

This two-day workshop is designed for educating beef and dairy producers about:

- The benefits of using Artificial Insemination instead of a bull
- The importance of proper heat detection and the tools available to help you detect heat
- Learning various estrous synchronization protocols to use in their herds.

This course includes both classroom and on farm activities.

Extension would like to thank Majestic View Dairy the use of their facility and animals



Artificial Insemination Training



WHEN AND WHERE

9 am-3 pm both days
Wednesday, March 25th, 2026,
Thursday, March 26th, 2026,
at

Grant County Fairgrounds Youth & Ag Building

916 E. Elm St.
Lancaster, WI

ENROLLMENT LIMITED TO FIRST 15 PAID REGISTRANTS

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED WITH PAYMENT BY
MARCH 11TH, 2026

\$125/PERSON

COMPLETE REGISTRATION FORM OR REGISTER
ONLINE. SEND IN PAYMENT OR PAY ONLINE

AGENDA DAY 1:

9:00 am *Registration and Introductions*

9:30 am *Reproductive Anatomy and Physiology*

This section will quickly review the key components of the female reproductive tract. We will also cover the hormones involved in regulating the estrous cycle, and their function.

10:00 am *Heat Detection and Heat Detection Aids*

This section will discuss the science and "art" of proper heat detection and heat detection aids

10:30 am *Reproductive tracts, semen handling and AI Equipment, Repro and Injection Model*

During this session participants will work with reproductive tracts and practice handling and thawing semen and loading it into the insemination gun.

12:00 pm *Lunch (provided)*

1:00 pm *Practice with cows*

3:00 pm *Adjourn*

AGENDA DAY 2:

8:30 am *Optional: Reproductive tracts and semen handling*

9:00 am *Estrous Synchronization*

This section will explain the hormones used in synchronization and what effect they have on the estrous cycle.

9:45 am *Pregnancy Detection*

This section will explain different methods of pregnancy detection.

10:15 am *Bull Selection*

This section will explain how to read sire proofs, and how to select bulls that are right for your herd.

10:45 pm *Written Exam, Evaluations, and Award Certificates*

11:30 pm *Lunch (Provided)*

12:00 pm *Practice with cows*

3:00 pm *Adjourn*

Artificial Insemination Training Registration

FEE: \$125 PER PERSON

Class Fee includes written training materials, instruction, and lunch both days.

Register online: <https://go.wisc.edu/ai> or return the form by March 11th

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____

PAYMENT:

Please make checks payable to Extension

MAIL TO:

Attn: AI Cert Program
Extension
1100 Lake View Dr. Suite # 500
Wausau, WI 54403

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