

Ontario Pig Health Check-up CONSULTATION CHECKLIST



To be completed and submitted with veterinarian claim for reimbursement.
Consulting veterinarian and pig owner to sign.

Name of Pig Owner: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Premises Identification Number: _____

Note: You can register with the Provincial Premises Registry online www.ontariopid.com or by telephone 1-888-247-4999.

Date of consultation: _____ Length of consultation: _____ min/hr

Type of consultation: On farm/on site Virtual/telemedicine

Number of pigs owned: Breeding sows: _____ Breeding boars: _____ Piglets/weanlings: _____

Market hogs: _____ Pet pigs: _____

Indicate whether the suggested topics were covered or were not applicable. It is understood not all topics may be applicable to the pig owner and also that one consultation may not be sufficient to cover all the topics listed. Participants should **strive to cover at least 70% of the relevant topics. Sections 1 through 4 are mandatory** with the exception being Reproduction Management if not applicable to the pig herd.

TOPICS	YES	NO	N/A
SWINE HEALTH, WELFARE AND BEHAVIOUR - MANDATORY			
Signs of poor health			
Treatment protocols and withdrawal times			
Husbandry procedures – castration, tail docking and tail biting, teeth, and tusks			
Proactive herd health – vaccines, parasite control, pest control			
Injection procedures			
Medical equipment/first aid supplies			
Discuss signs, prevention, and significance of reportable animal diseases such as PRRS, PED, ASF			
BIOSECURITY AND DISEASE PREVENTION - MANDATORY			
Visitors and workflow			
Cleaning and disinfection			
Introduction of new animals			
Hospital pens			
REPRODUCTION MANAGEMENT – MANDATORY IF APPLICABLE			
Body condition scoring for breeding stock			
Boar care and breeding			
Gestation and complications			
Farrowing and lactation			
FEED, PASTURE MANAGEMENT, AND WATER - MANDATORY			
Nutrition based on growth/life stage			
Feed quantity and quality			
Feed safety – Concerns around feeding food waste			
Feeders			
Nutrition on pasture			
Water quantity and quality			

TOPICS	YES	NO	N/A
HOUSING AND MANAGEMENT OF FACILITIES			
Housing systems – gilts, sows, piglets, grower/finisher, boars			
Space allowances			
Hospital pens			
Temperature, ventilation, and air quality			
Lighting			
Flooring and bedding			
Feeding and watering areas			
Enrichment			
Outdoor housing – fencing, shade and wallows			
HANDLING			
Pig handling concepts			
Behaviour and signs of stress			
Handling and restraint systems			
TRANSPORTATION			
Fitness for transport			
Handling during loading or unloading			
Loading/unloading facilities			
Identification methods			
MARKETING AND SLAUGHTER			
Market weight			
Withdrawal times			
Biosecurity at abattoir			
EUTHANASIA AND DEADSTOCK			
Decision-making around euthanasia			
Methods			
Deadstock disposal			
OTHER TOPICS – PLEASE SPECIFY			
GENERAL COMMENTS - FEEDBACK ON THE PROCESS AND SUGGESTED TOPICS			

By signing below, we confirm participation in the above noted Pig Health Check-up on the date and duration noted. Digital signatures are acceptable.

Signature of pig owner: _____

Signature of consulting veterinarian: _____

TO BE COMPLETED BY CONSULTING VETERINARIAN

Name of Consulting Veterinarian: _____

Clinic Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

In your opinion, how likely is the pig owner to maintain a vet-client-patient relationship with you or your veterinary clinic?

- Very likely Somewhat likely Somewhat unlikely Not likely

Would you like to be included in the Canadian Animal Health Surveillance System contact list? Yes No