

Fixed Price Breeding Package Veterinary fee 2026

Artificial Insemination Chilled Semen AT SEH

Sussex Equine Hospital

Please find attached all the information regarding the breeding package for artificial insemination with chilled semen, together with a statement of agreement for the terms and conditions.

Artificial insemination (AI) is the technique used to manually deposit semen into the uterus of a mare at the optimal time in her oestrus cycle to achieve pregnancy. For artificial insemination with chilled semen, ideally, the mare will be inseminated within 24 hours prior to ovulation.

Checklist before insemination with your designated stallion:

- Which are the days for semen collections of the stallion and postage?
- Does the stallion's semen chill and travel well?
- How much notice must be given to the stallion owner/agent for semen collection and postage?
- Pregnancy rates using stallion's chilled semen.

Semen from stallions residing abroad must be accompanied by the appropriate health certification and packaging. If the health certification and packaging do not meet the obligations imposed by **Animal and Plant Health Agency (APHA)**, the veterinary surgeon is forced to detain the semen and liaise with the local authority to take non-compliance enforcement action, following the norms of **Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (DEFRA)** import equine chilled semen facilitation scheme. If the semen fails to meet APHA requests, a "Failed Delivery Chilled Repeat Cycle" will be charged.

Sussex Equine Hospital does not hold any liability if the chilled semen is not delivered on the optimal time for insemination. Therefore, if the semen fails to be delivered, a "Failed Delivery Chilled Repeat Cycle" will be charged.

Some stallion agents or owners require the semen transport container to be returned. Where requested, we can arrange the return on your behalf, with **Royal Mail** charges applied.

The cost of the **Fixed Price Breeding Package** for chilled semen is **£500 + VAT (£600)** for the first cycle. If the mare fails to become pregnant, the subsequent cycles will be charged at **£380 + VAT** per cycle. The fee for "**Failed Delivery Chilled Repeat Cycle**" is **£200 + VAT**.

For further information, do not hesitate to contact us on 01903 883050.

Fixed Price Breeding Package includes:

- Breeding soundness examination.
- Breeding management: consecutive palpations of the reproductive tract and ultrasound scans per rectum required to determine when it is the best time for breeding. And the following hormones administration:
 - Prostaglandin (pg): hormone used to shorten the oestrus cycle of the mare, inducing oestrus (heat).
 - Ovulation inductor (Chorulon (hCG) or Deslorelin): hormone used to induce the mare's ovulation.
 - Oxytocin: hormone that stimulates the contraction of the uterus and helps to evacuate fluid from the uterus.
- Endometrial/clitoral sample collection for culture and cytology, if needed.
- Artificial insemination.
- Evaluation of the semen supplied.
- Post-insemination follow-up: palpations and scans necessary to check for ovulation and for post-breeding problem.
- Caslick (vulvoplasty), if needed - procedure that improves the seal of the vulva (that acts as a barrier), reducing the chance of bacterial infection.
- Pregnancy diagnosis at 14 - 16 days and visit at home (within the practice area) if the mare is not at SEH.
- Twin squeezing: if twin pregnancy is detected at 14 - 16 days, reduction (squeezing) of one of the embryos is required.
- Coordination with stallion owner or semen agent regarding the semen shipment.
- Livery at Sussex Equine Hospital up to 7 days.

This package **DOES NOT** include:

- Any uterine treatment (e.g. uterine lavage, intrauterine antibiotic, etc.).
- Any other adjuvant treatment necessary not listed previously (e.g. anti-inflammatories, Regumate, etc.)
- Any laboratory fees.
- Endometrial biopsy.
- Subsequent pregnancy scans after 14 – 16 days (e.g. heartbeat, foetal sexing determination, placenta measurements, end of the breeding season pregnancy confirmation, etc.).
- Sedation if deemed necessary for the safety of personnel and the mare.
- Treatments unrelated to the mare's breeding.

Further comments:

All mares that have been inseminated need to have a pregnancy diagnosis scan at 14-16 days to confirm a single pregnancy; it is the owner's responsibility to arrange for this to be carried out, if the mare is not at Sussex Equine Hospital after insemination.

Although not included, we strongly recommend an additional pregnancy ultrasound around day 28 to confirm a viable pregnancy and detect a visible heartbeat.

When livery exceeds 7 days, additional charges will be applied as:

- £25 + VAT per day for mares
- £27 + VAT per day for mares with foals at foot

These rates apply when mares can be turned out with other animals.

- When individual turnout or stabling is required, the following rates will be applied as:
 - £35 + VAT per day for mares individual paddock
 - £37 + VAT per day for mares with foals at foot individual paddock
 - £40 + VAT per day for mares stable
 - £43 + VAT per day for mares with foals at foot stable

AGREEMENT STATEMENT

By signing this agreement, you confirm that you have read and understood the information provided in this document regarding the Fixed Price Package for Breeding procedures performed by Sussex Equine Hospital. By signing this agreement, you also acknowledge your financial responsibilities, declared in this document.

Please complete all the required information on this document and sign this agreement. Submit the signed agreement via email to secretary@sussexequine.co.uk and call 01903 883050 to pay for this package or use other payment methods as shown below. **The breeding work on your mare will not be performed until we receive the signed agreement and payment.**

Mare's information: Name: .Maona / .numalena VDL.....

Passport & Microchip Number: .528210004721836.....

Designated Stallion:

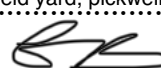
Opportunity (Breen stud)

"I, the undersigned, confirm that I have read and understood the information provided in this document and my financial responsibilities (breeding cycles advance payment and all the remaining veterinary fees directly related to the practice on receipt of invoice). Therefore, I wish that the above animal enrolls in the **Fixed Price Breeding Package Veterinary fee 2026 for Chilled Semen**. I consent to the above animal being managed by an attending veterinary surgeon from Sussex Equine Hospital (e.g. endometrial sample collection, hormonal administration, vulvoplasty procedure). I understand that some reproductive treatments are off license for horses and that the above horse will be signed out of the food chain on their passport."

Owner's information:

Name: .Georgia Bowtell..... Telephone / Mobile No.: .07.725 46.11.35.....

Address: .Millfield yard, pickwell lane, RH17 5RH.....

Signature:  Date and Place: .10/08/26.....

☐ Direct Debit Payment

I confirm that I wish for all the other fees not included in the Fixed-Price Breeding Package to be collected by **Direct Debit**. By selecting this option, I authorise Sussex Equine Hospital to collect payment in accordance with the agreed fee structure.

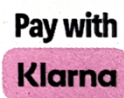
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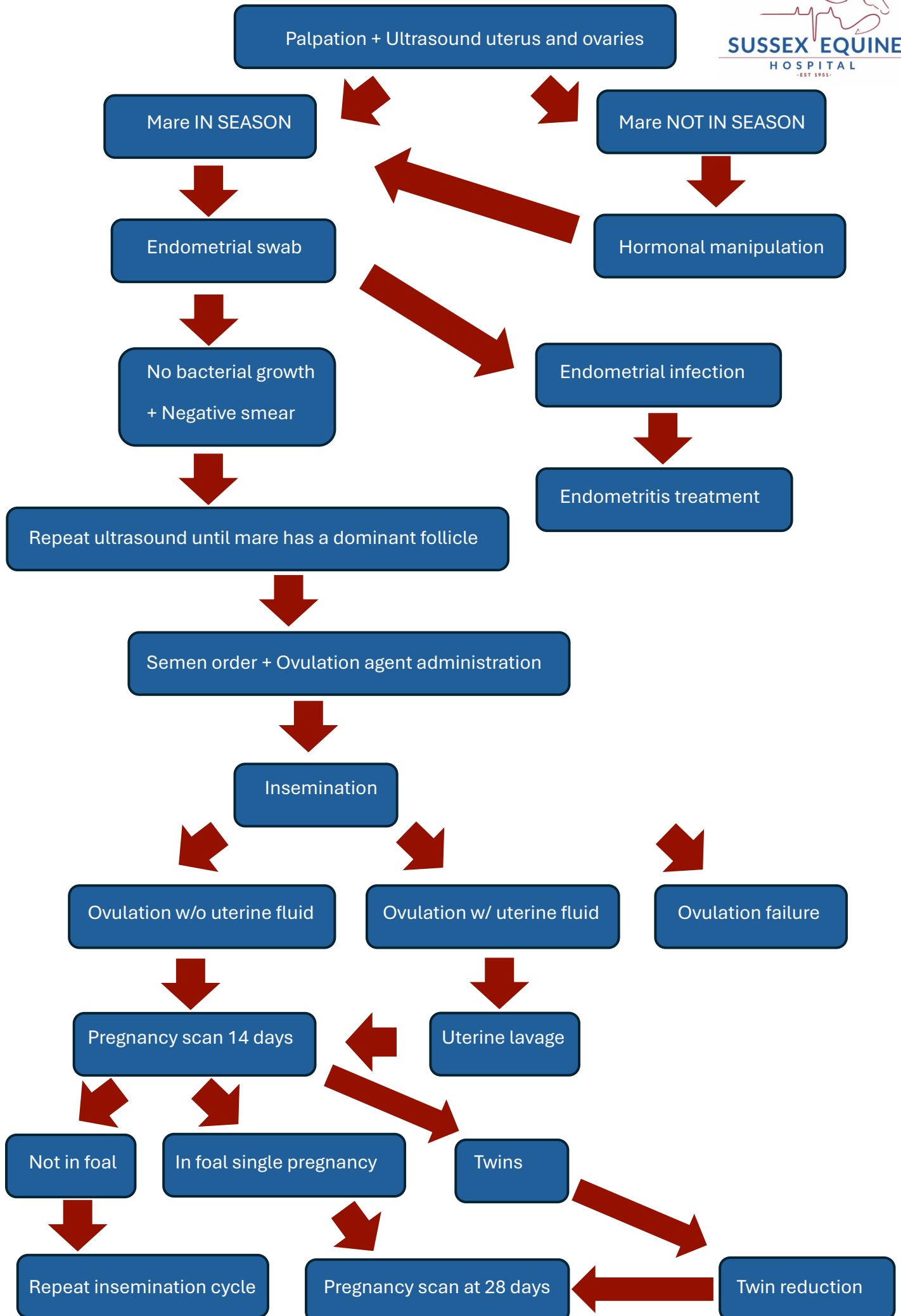


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Sort Code: 40-42-18



Routine Artificial Insemination flow chart





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Breeding Soundness Examination
Infertility Investigations
Semen Collection
Dummy Training
Semen Analysis and Processing
Semen Freezing
Artificial Insemination (fresh/chilled/frozen)
Embryo Transfer
Ovum Pick-UP (OPU)
Reproductive Surgery
Twin Management
Foetal Sexing
Oviductal blockage treatment
Hysteroscopy
Genetic Salvage
Pregnant Mare Monitoring
Foal Care

Board Certified Specialists in Animal Reproduction, Internal Medicine, Surgery and Sport Medicine
HBLB accredited Laboratory
RCVS accredited Practice
BEVA accredited Practice for Artificial Insemination (Fresh, Chilled and Frozen)

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18 Albert Road
Bournemouth
BH1 1BZ

Service user number

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Please pay Easy Direct Debits Limited re IVC Services Direct Debits from the account detailed in this Instruction subject to the safeguards assured by the Direct Debit Guarantee. I understand that this Instruction may remain with Easy Direct Debits Limited re IVC Services and, if so, details will be passed electronically to my bank/building society.

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The Direct Debit Guarantee



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