

INVITATION TO A LIVE WEBCAST



Dairy Dilemma: Balancing Milk Production and Cow Health

July 16, 2024, at 7 p.m. (EDT)

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8:00

8:30

BC (PDT)

AB/SK (MDT)

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NL (NDT)

Simultaneous presentation in English and French.



Dairy cows are increasingly being dried off at higher milk production levels, raising concerns about their health and welfare during the dry period. This elevated production can result in problems such as udder engorgement and milk leakage, thereby increasing the risk of new clinical mastitis cases as cows transition into the dry-off phase.

To gain insight into the optimal management of dairy cows' health and welfare during their dry-off period, join our webcast featuring a dairy production medicine specialist.

Presented in English with French subtitles

Part 1

Challenges and solutions in drying off high-producing dairy cows

This presentation will explore the complexities involved in drying off dairy cows. During this webcast, we will discuss the challenges posed by high milk production at the end of lactation, with a focus on selective dry cow therapy and the effective methods to reduce milk production before drying off, aiming to ensure cow health and optimize dairy management practices.

Part 2

The effect of Bovikal[®] Dry on udder health and performance, and economics

This presentation will focus on the results of a large-scale randomized clinical trial conducted in commercial dairy farms, examining the effects of Bovikal[®] Dry on udder health, early lactation performance, and overall economic benefits in dairy cows. During this webcast, we will present key findings and implications for dairy management practices.

Presented by:

Luciano Caixeta, DVM, PhD

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Following part 1 of our specialist's CE-accredited presentations, we invite you to stay on for 10 minutes to learn about Bovikal[®] Dry.

Unveiling Bovikal[®] Dry

Join us in this short presentation to learn about Boehringer Ingelheim's latest product, soon to be launched in Canada. Understand how Bovikal[®] Dry can positively impact the lactation cycle of dairy cows, supporting their health and productivity. Get a first-hand look at its unique features and benefits!

English presentation

Phil Meadows, DVM

Technical Services Veterinarian, Boehringer Ingelheim

French presentation

Anne-Claire Brisville, DVM

Technical Services Veterinarian, Boehringer Ingelheim

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MEET OUR SPEAKERS



Luciano Caixeta

DVM, PhD

Luciano Caixeta is an Associate Professor of Dairy Production Medicine at the College of Veterinary Medicine at the University of Minnesota. Luciano was born and raised in Brazil where he was involved in beef cattle production from a young age. He obtained his DVM degree from the College of Veterinary Medicine at the Universidade Federal de Goiás in his hometown of Goiânia, Brazil. Upon completing his DVM training, he moved to Cornell University where he completed a residency in production medicine and a clinical fellowship at the Cornell University Hospital for Animals. He also obtained his PhD degree in animal sciences from Cornell University. Before joining the U of M in 2017, Luciano was a clinical instructor in Dairy Population Health Management at the Colorado State University for two years. Dr. Caixeta's research program focuses on investigations about metabolic and infectious diseases during the transition period, the development and utilization of immunotherapeutics, and in the use of holistic approaches to understand the networks that form the complex biological systems of living animals (dairy systems biology).



Phil Meadows

DVM

Dr. Meadows is a Technical Services Veterinarian with Boehringer Ingelheim Animal Health Canada. He was raised on his family's dairy farm and eventually became a partner in the business. In 1994, he decided to sell the cows and return to school. He graduated from the Ontario Veterinary College in 2001 with a DVM degree then practised in Mitchell, Ontario, for over 20 years in a mixed animal practice before joining Boehringer Ingelheim in September 2022. During his years in practice, his primary focus was dairy production medicine where he developed a passion for milk quality and delivered milk equipment evaluation and milking staff training for many dairy producers across Ontario and Manitoba. In his free time, he has a passion for flying single-engine planes and keeps active at a local CrossFit gym.



Anne-Claire Brisville

DVM

Dr. Brisville graduated from the École nationale vétérinaire d'Alfort in France in 2006 and is a large animal internal medicine specialist since 2012 (Diplomate ACVIM (LAIM)). After completing her residency at the University of Montreal, she practised in private practice, mainly with dairy cattle, on the South Shore of Québec City. She has also taught and practised at the University of Queensland in Australia. Since 2017, she has been a technical services veterinarian with the bovine team at Boehringer Ingelheim. Her current professional interests include infectious diseases, metabolic balance, and pain management in cattle.

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