

Retained Placenta

Metritis (Abnormal Discharge)

Protocol RP:

Temperature normal, cow looks okay

1. Continue to monitor temperature, rumen fill, urine ketones and hydration daily.
2. Lutalyse at 14 days fresh and repeat 14 days later.

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Metritis and sick

Protocol RPS:

Temperature > 103.0 F or cow sick

1. Protocol RP plus:
2. Systemic antibiotic: Excenel – Naxcel 2 cc per 100 lbs body weight once a day for 4 days or Polyflex 20 cc in muscle once a day for four days or LA200 4.5 cc per 100 lbs body weight under the skin, 20 cc per injection site. Do not repeat. Observe labeled hold outs.
3. Anti inflammatory drug: Aspirin Boluses 2-4 boluses twice a day for 3 days or; Flunixinamine (Banamine) 1.5 cc per 100 lb body weight in vein once a day for two days. Observe hold outs.
4. If dehydrated: 2 liters Hypersaline in vein and 10 gallons electrolytes pumped orally.