

Southeast Cattle Handling for Women Producers: Advanced BQA Training and Farm Safety

Agenda:

Day 1 September 6

9:00 - 9:30 Welcome and Introductions, Pre-Evaluations

9:30 - 10:25 BQA Classroom Lecture

10:25 - 10:35 BREAK

10:35 - 11:30 Beef Media Training

11:30 - 12:30 LUNCH

12:30 - 2:00 Rotating Breakout Session 1

- Cattle handling (principles of low stress cattle handling, working in sorting pens, moving cattle)
- Chute side (moving cattle through chute, working in/around chute, injection administration, working cattle, loading, unloading)

2:00 – 2:30 BREAK

2:30 – 5:00 Rotating Breakout Session 2

5:00- 6:00 Reproductive Issues and Dystocia Model Demonstration

6:00 - 6:30 BQA Certification Test and Wrap-Up

6:30 Social and Dinner

Day 2 September 7

8:00 - 8:30 Coffee and Donuts/Breakfast Networking Time

8:30 - 9:45 Classroom (Tractors, Trailers, Fencing)

9:45 - 10:00 BREAK

10:00 - 11:30 Rotating Breakout Sessions 1

- Truck and Trailer Driving (hooking up, backing, safety checks)
- Tractor and Equipment (Driving, Maintenance Checks, Using Spear, Hooking up implements, hay baler)

11:30 - 12:30 LUNCH

12:30 - 2:00 Rotating Breakout Session 2

2:00 - 3:30 Fencing (building fence, repairing fence)

3:30 - 4:30 Wrap Up and Post Evaluations Adjourn - Safe Travels Home!

