

1. WHY SHOULD I MEASURE ANTIBIOTIC USAGE ON DAIRY FARMS?

- The use of antibiotics on dairy farms is essential for effective treatment of some bacterial diseases and to maintain animal welfare.
- Antibiotic usage in dairy cattle varies among farms (Leite de Campos et al., 2021) however if you can't measure antibiotic usage, you can't manage it.
- If the farm has cow treatment electronic records available, then there is a way to measure and compare antibiotic usage.

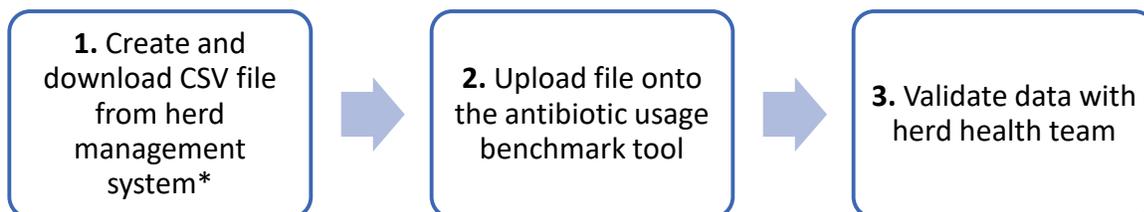
Benefits for veterinarians

- Increase engagement with clients
- Identify common diseases
- Enhance protocol compliance

Benefits for producers

- Identify animal health issues
- Compare antibiotic usage with similar farms
- Meet consumers expectation on use antibiotics

The **Antibiotic Usage Benchmark Tool (AUBT)** is an *easy, practical*, and *engaging* way to measure antibiotic usage on dairy farms. Only 3 simple steps with easy-to-follow instructions:



* Currently compatible with Dairy Comp 305, PCDART and BoviSync, without the need of a backup file.

Start using the **Antibiotic Usage Benchmark Tool** now:

<https://dairyantibioticbenchmark.msu.edu>