

Why Use Our Recipients?

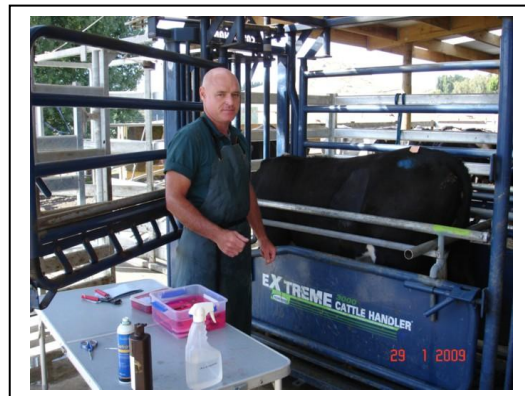
EmbryoCo works with the Nankervis Family in Hawkes Bay to provide recipient cattle. The recipients are crossbred beef heifers, most commonly Hereford Friesian crosses, and are all over 18 months of age when implanted.

There are several advantages of using the Nankervis recipients:

1. We have been getting average pregnancy results of over 75% from 400 transfers per season. (This is an indication of average results. Individual results can vary for many reasons).
2. In comparison, you may expect pregnancy results of between 50% and 70% on farm, the average being about 60%. An extra 15% can be valuable.
3. You only have to buy the recipients that get pregnant. In your own programme you would need to schedule at least three times as many recipients as actually get pregnant.
4. You only buy the pregnant recipient after 10 to 12 weeks pregnancy. If you were using your own recipients you would have owned them for 14 to 16 weeks by then.
5. We do all the oestrus synchronisation, heat detection and pregnancy testing at a very reasonable price, which we average over the programme and charge at only \$35 per embryo implanted (For the additional costs of transferring embryos see our price list).
6. The recipients give few, if any, calving problems provided they are correctly managed.
7. Embryos are transferred surgically at the purpose built facility. This, and the excellent management, results in the high pregnancy rates.
8. If you are importing frozen embryos, they will be valuable to you. Every extra pregnancy is an additional return on your investment. Our system gives your embryos the very best chances of producing calves.



Kerry Nankervis and daughter Jenna



Ready to transfer surgically

Pregnant Recipients are \$1450 plus GST each (check current price with us as this can vary). Price is inclusive of BVD testing and full BVD vaccination. Price does not include transport of the pregnant recipient.

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