

CARING FOR DAMAGED TAILS

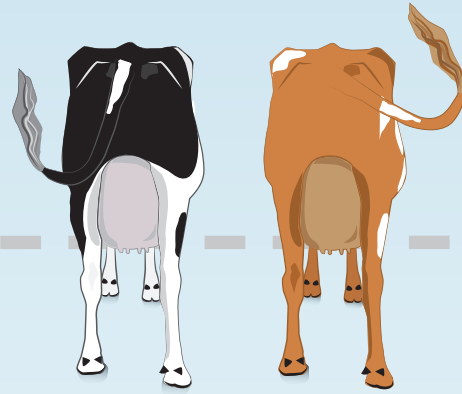
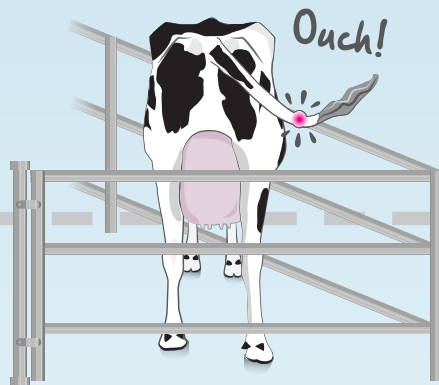
Tail injuries are painful and sometimes require vet treatment

Regulations require any shortening of damaged tails to be carried out by a vet.

If you see a newly damaged tail that needs shortening

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Draft the cow out



Call your vet

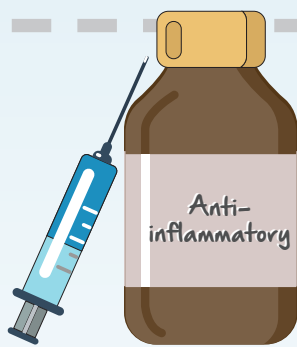
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Name.....
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Discuss aftercare and additional pain relief with your vet



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Record the injury



Many farmers now get their vet to do a tail audit every season to identify issues with handling or facilities



Review the cause to prevent damage to other tails

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💡 Keep tail hair trimmed to prevent tails getting caught in equipment and prevent the build up of muck which can lead to tail injuries

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