Who should attend?
- Pork producers
- Veterinarians
- Other allied industry consultants

Topics covered:
- Reproduction
- European situation
- OvuGel®
- Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea Virus (PEDV)
- Herd health improvement

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December 3
Northwest Community College
Sheldon, Iowa
Building A, Room 119
10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Advanced Swine Reproduction Seminar
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Registration 9:30 a.m. • 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Morning:

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Don Levis leads learn-by-doing discussion with the National Swine Reproduction Troubleshooting and Management Guide
The National Swine Reproduction Troubleshooting and Management Guide is a web-based program that helps pork producers, veterinarians, and other allied industry consultants solve reproductive problems. Although diseases (such as Porcine Reproductive and Respiratory Syndrome virus) can have significant effects on reproductive performance, numerous other non-disease factors can significantly decrease reproductive performance. The guide is user-friendly and written in a manner that can be easily understood by caretakers.

Afternoon:

12:30 Lunch

Dave Stender, ISU Extension Swine Field Specialist:
Dave presents European issues, regulations and management related to the sow herd and his perspectives on what might be important to Iowa herds.

Dr. Butch Baker, Iowa Pork Industry Center Director, DVM, MS - FSVM:
Butch gives an update on the Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea Virus (PEDV) and discusses sow herd health improvements through advanced gilt introduction strategy. He’ll offer his perspective about gilt entry impacting herd health and prioritizing prevention strategies.

Dr. Jason Ross, Assistant Professor, ISU Department of Animal Science:
Jason provides an update on Iowa State University research and a look at OvuGel® technology. By synchronizing insemination time in newly weaned sows, OvuGel, from JBS United Animal Health, facilitates the ability to provide single, fixed-time artificial insemination.

3:15 p.m.—Questions and answers