

## **“Brite” or 47 “NUES” Metal Tags**

### **Metal Identification Ear Tags for CATTLE Brucellosis Vaccination Tags**

#### **HOW TO ORDER:**

- Contact the Nebraska Department of Agriculture at 402-471-6809.

#### **TYPES OF TAGS TO APPLY:**

- ORANGE tags – 9 character metal tags - ONLY for replacement heifer brucellosis vaccination purposes.
- SILVER tags – official ID for all uses in all other applications.

#### **TAG SPECIFICS:**

- Keep a record of **ALL** tag application and distribution from the vet clinic to the producer for at least 5 YEARS.
- Tags must be placed in the middle of the RIGHT ear.

#### **RECORDKEEPING ON ORANGE TAGS**

- Complete the official brucellosis calfhood vaccination record.
- Always include the producer’s name (first and last) or business name and complete physical address.
- Submit the vaccination record to NDA within 30 days after vaccination.
- Be sure to include the veterinarian’s accreditation number.
- Helpful recordkeeping links: [nda.nebraska.gov/adt/AIN840TagDistributionGuidance.pdf](https://nda.nebraska.gov/adt/AIN840TagDistributionGuidance.pdf)

#### **QUESTIONS ON THE ABOVE SPECIFIC PROCESSES?**

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