You need to have an approved BD-16 on file with the Georgia Department of Agriculture (GDA) before you complete any work on a producer’s farm for Johne’s program reimbursement.

This form is to be used by a Johnes Certified, Accredited Veterinarian to request a $300.00 payment for completion of an approved risk assessment and farm management plan for a producer. This form is to be used only after GDA approves the BD-16 and the risk assessment has been completed and approved by the Designated Johnes Coordinator. For information on risk assessments/farm management plans contact Dr. Mel Pence at the address below.

Receipt of an approved BD-16 reserves funding for veterinary reimbursement for completion of a risk assessment/farm management plan. After the risk assessment/farm management plan have been completed and approved, this form needs to be signed by the veterinarian and mailed to GDA Animal Health office at the address below.

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