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# Center for Smart Agriculture

## Organic Farming



### **Module 7: Animal Husbandry**

### **Session 3: Animal health and breeding goal**



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Animal Health is a balance between disease pressure (the presence of germs and parasites) and the resistance (immune system and self-healing forces) of the animal. The farmer can influence both sides of this balance: reduce the quantity of germs by maintaining good hygiene, and strengthen the animal's ability to cope with

<sup>2</sup>  
germs



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Prevention before Curing. ▪ Controlling Parasites with Herbal Remedies. Herbal medicines are widely used in many countries. Some traditional farming communities have a vast knowledge of local plants and their healing properties. Plants can definitely support the healing process, even if they do not eliminate the germ of the disease directly.



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## ELEMENTS OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

1. Feeding the animals properly

2. Providing proper shelter to the animals

3. Ensure proper breeding of animals

4. Ensure proper protection of the animals against fatal and minor diseases.





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