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A quick outline of steps.

- 1 Heat check and put the boar away. This will stimulate the females into standing heat.
- 2 Wait 20-30 minutes. The delay will allow the female to cycle into refractory heat.
 - a. Standing heat starts the cervical contractions.
 - b. After 20-30 minutes the contractions will continue but will become weak allowing the cannula to traverse the cervix more easily.
- 3 Lubricate foam tip of the catheter including the inside to coat the end of the cannula.
- Load the guide catheter in an upward motion into the cervix with a good strong push and a
 twist in the female to be bred. (If breeding in crates you can load the catheter in up to 10
 females and then move to the next step.)
- 5 Pull back on the guide catheter to straighten the cervix.
- 6 Slowly move the cannula forward. You will feel a pop each time you pass through a fold.
 - a. If for some reason the cannula does not want to go forward, let her relax and try again, after a short break. Do not twist or pull back then forward with the cannula. This will stimulate the female back into standing heat. Only push forward.
- Once the cannula is moved all the way forward. Attach the bottle / tube / bag and squeeze the bottle / tube / bag quickly.
- After insemination pull the cannula back into the foam tipped guide catheter. Then remove the catheter from the female by pulling on the outside catheter not the cannula.

