Whether you’re a distributor or producer, you know the latest FDA rules and regulations concerning Veterinary Feed Directive drugs can be confusing, time-consuming and costly. Cargill Feed Management Systems™ has developed a new VFD module specifically for Feed Mill Manager software users that takes the labor, guesswork and worry out of VFD compliance.

**Feed Mill Manager VFD Software Module**
- Specifically designed for Feed Mill Manager versions 12 and 14
- Plug-and-play integration into existing software
- Enables order tracking and record keeping for VFD orders
- Saves valuable time and labor; eliminates messy, inefficient and insufficient manual paperwork
- Appropriate for feed mills and distributors as well as producers who mix their own feed
- Built around scalable Microsoft® technologies platform
Three levels of powerful, flexible VFD management solutions.

Basic Edition
- Ensures VFD orders are marked and recorded
- Prompts user to verify valid VFD certification

Deluxe Edition
Includes the features of Basic Edition PLUS:
- VFD data entry
- VFD filtering by animal group
- Order entry validation
- Report generation
- Multiple touch-point verification

Premium Edition
Includes the features of Deluxe Edition PLUS:
- Integration to other external VFD systems such as GlobalVetLINK
- VFD orders can be electronically transmitted directly into Feed Mill Manager

What you need to know to be VFD compliant.

What is a VFD?
- A VFD is a certificate signed by a licensed veterinarian that authorizes the use of a VFD drug or combination VFD drug in or on an animal feed

What animals are the VFD drugs approved for?
- Major species, including cattle, horses, swine, chickens and turkeys
- Aquaculture

What forms can a VFD take?
- A VFD can be either a written hardcopy or electronic authorization

What does a VFD allow?
A VFD allows:
- Feed mills to deliver feed with a VFD drug or combination VFD drug to a customer
- Animal producers to feed a VFD feed to their animals at one or more locations

What is the purpose of the new VFD rules?
The new VFD rules were enacted by the FDA to:
- Eliminate the use of VFD drugs in food-producing animals for growth promotion, feed efficiency or increased milk production
- Ensure VFD drugs are used only for therapeutic reasons; resolve a specific animal health issue

When do the new FDA rules take effect?
- FDA rules concerning VFD compliance take effect Jan 1, 2017

What are my compliance responsibilities as a producer?
- Only use animal feed bearing or containing a VFD drug or a combination VFD drug based on a VFD issued by a licensed veterinarian
- Comply with both expiration and duration dates on the VFD
- Provide a copy of the VFD order to the your distributor if the veterinarian sends the distributor’s copy of the VFD through you
- Maintain a copy of the VFD order for a minimum of 2 years
- Provide VFD orders for inspection and copying by FDA upon request

Where can I find a list of the drugs affected by the new FDA rules?
- Visit fda.gov to find a list of current VFD drugs as well as drugs transitioning from OTC to VFD Status

Where can I learn more about the new VFD rules?
- Visit fda.gov for rules and information concerning VFD compliance

Install VFD Module NOW before January 1, 2017 rules take effect!

Most distributors and producers find the Deluxe or Premium editions of the VFD module offer all the powerful tools and flexibility they need to be fully VFD compliant. To find out more about integrating the appropriate VFD module into your version of Feed Mill Manager before the January 1, 2017 rules take effect, contact your Cargill Feed Management Systems™ account executive today! Or call 952-984-4700.