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Buddy Fairchild has shown symptoms of allergies, mostly coughing during peak allergy seasons including corn pollination time and harvest. Pasture would be his ideal environment. Dust from dry lots or large bales should be avoided. Watering down his hay and using a small hole hay net would be best for him. Including omega-3 fatty acids/fish oils and vitamin E regularly in his diet can help keep his immune system healthy and to fight inflammation of the respiratory tract.

Dexamethasone has been given periodically during harvest season when allergens have been worse. On physical examination, Buddy had normal heart rate and sounds, normal lung sounds and respiratory rate, good body condition, and normal temperature. His eyes and nose were clear with no discharge. Overall, Buddy appeared healthy and fit.

Thank you,

Dr. Aimee Anderson