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My name is Chelsea Nieboer (Thiessen). I grew up on a farm in southern Alberta, where my parents still currently live. There were always lots of animals on the farm. The dogs, cats and horses were pets. We raised sheep, beef cattle, and occasionally, chickens or turkeys for profit. Growing up, I was very involved in different 4-H clubs and activities, including sheep and light horse projects. I was a member of the Wild and Woolly 4-H Sheep Club, the Lethbridge 4-H Light Horse Club, and the Coaldale 4-H Equestrian Club. 4-H was a large part of my life for more than 8 years. It offered me many opportunities, including competitive judging at Agribition in Regina, competing in a Horse Bowl competition at the Denver Stock Show, and an exchange trip to California. I also made many friends. 4-H helped shape me into the person I am today. After graduating from high school in 2003, I completed a year of bible college at Capernwray Harbour in BC. Following that, I completed the Nursing Education in Southern Alberta program, a shared nursing program between the Lethbridge College and the University of Lethbridge. I graduated with a Bachelor's Degree in Nursing in 2008. Since graduating, I have been working at the Chinook Regional Hospital on the Maternal Child/Gynecology unit, and in the Obstetrical Suite. I married my husband, Jeff, in 2006 and in fall of 2010, we had our first child. Our son, Cole is 11 months old.