

## Equine Preventative Care Health Plan

### ADULT HORSES (> 1 year of age)

#### Vaccinations

	Spring	Fall
<b>CORE Vaccines</b> Highly Recommended	EWT-WN  Rabies	EWTF* West Nile Virus
<b>Recommended in some cases**</b>	Influenza <a href="#">EHV/ Rhinopneumonitis</a> Strangles	Influenza <a href="#">EHV/ Rhinopneumonitis</a> Strangles
<b>Targeted Use</b>	Potomac Horse Fever Rhodococcus equi vaccine	Potomac Horse Fever Rhodococcus equi vaccine

\* [Eastern and Western Encephalitis](#), Tetanus, and West Nile virus

\*\* See "[Equine Vaccines](#)" for detailed information.

All equine vaccination [recommendations conform to AAEP guidelines](#).

#### De-worming

Spring dose of Quest Plus + Annual Equine Parasite Analysis (EPA), with additional measures based on results.

#### Gelding

Stallions may be **gelded** any time after a year of age; many owners wait until two (2) years

#### Dental Care

A dental exam is recommended at least once per year to assess proper eruption of teeth (juveniles) and evidence of normal wear, broken teeth, etc. (adults).

### BROOD MARES AND STALLIONS

#### Broodmare vaccinations:

- 5<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 9<sup>th</sup> month of pregnancy with Rhinopneumonitis vaccine (this is **NOT the same** [EHV vaccine](#) as given during normal spring checkup)
- EWT-WN within the last 60 days of pregnancy

### **Pregnancy diagnosis**

Post breeding, pregnancy can best be made as early as 17-20 days with ultrasonography. ([Read more here](#))

### **Post-partum (after delivery)**

Mare should be checked within the first 24 hours post-foaling (usually at the time of "foal check")

- Adequate milk supply
- Passage of placenta
- Body condition
- Signs of colic

**Stallions** should be vaccinated for Rhinopneumonitis every 2 months during the breeding season

Maintain normal **de-worming protocols during breeding and gestation**. If not prescribed, check with manufacture of de-wormer to be sure is safe for pregnant mares (ivermectin, pyrantal, etc) ([recommendations](#))

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