

LARGE ANIMAL VETERINARY SERVICES EQUINE PREVENTATIVE HEALTH CARE RECOMMENDATIONS

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Deworming Schedule:

Deworm all horses every six weeks with fecal examinations once or twice yearly or as otherwise determined by the doctor.

Give Quest Plus on months **3, 6, 9, and 12**. Give Anthelcide EQ or Panacur spaced six weeks between each Quest Plus. This deworming regimen may be modified depending on individual farm and horse variations.

		<u>Date Given</u>
Winter	Panacur/Anthelcide EQ	_____
	Quest Plus.....	_____
Spring	Panacur/Anthelcide EQ	_____
	Quest Plus.....	_____
Summer	Panacur/Anthelcide EQ	_____
	Quest Plus.....	_____
Fall	Panacur/Anthelcide EQ	_____
	Quest Plus.....	_____

Vaccination Schedule:

Foals:

- Deworm at 2-4 weeks of age, then monthly, alternating between Strongid (pyrantel) and Panacur (fenbendazole). Dose according to current weight. Continue this regimen until one year old.
- Begin vaccinations at 3-4 months of age or as otherwise determined by the doctor.
- Booster vaccines 4 weeks later, then follow adult schedule.

Adult Horses:

- Rabies / Coggins (EIA): Once yearly
- Tetanus, Eastern & Western Equine Encephalomyelitis: Every 6 months
- West Nile: Every 6 months
- Influenza/Rhinopneumonitis: Every 6 months
- Strangles: Given yearly prior to likely exposure.

Notes:

- Pregnant Mares should receive Rhinopneumonitis at 5th, 7th, and 9th months of pregnancy. Routine vaccines to be given approximately one month before foaling.
- Tetanus Antitoxin should be given to day old foals, but not given to horses previously immunized with Tetanus Toxoid.
- Dental Care: Assessed during Wellness Exams every 6 months and treatment performed as needed.
- Hoof Care: Performed at least quarterly, generally every six to eight weeks (hooves assessed during Wellness Exams every 6 months)