

FOAL CARE

Keep the veterinarian informed of your foaling date, status and pregnancy risk level. Establish a relationship prior to the delivery so your veterinarian can guide you through the process of foaling and welcoming a new addition to your barn as well as help you monitor the health and progress of the little one.

Post-foaling:

- save and weigh placenta
- veterinarian exam within 24 hours
- deworm mare 24- 48 hours after foaling
- test for serum IgG concentration in the first 12-24 hours
- dip umbilical stump 4 times daily for 2- 3 days
- monitor for passing of meconium, nursing, urination, conformation and activity level.

At 6- 8 weeks

- Deworm for ascarids with Strongid paste dosed to the foal's weight.
- Deworm every 8 weeks following initial deworming.

Vaccination guidelines:

DISEASE	Foal born of Vaccinated mare	Foal born of Unvaccinated mare
E W T	3 dose series 1 st dose at 4-6 months 2 nd dose 4 weeks after 1 st dose 3 rd dose at 10-12 months	3 dose series 1 st dose at 4-6 months 2 nd dose 4 weeks after 1 st dose 3 rd dose 4 weeks after 2 nd dose
West Nile	3 dose series 1 st dose at 4-6 months 2 nd dose 4 weeks after 1 st dose 3 rd dose at 10-12 months	3 dose series 1 st dose at 4-6 months 2 nd dose 4 weeks after 1 st dose 3 rd dose at 10-12 months
Rabies	3 dose series 1 st dose at 6 months 2 nd dose 4 weeks after 1 st dose 3 rd dose at 10-12 months	3 dose series 1 st dose at 3-4 months 2 nd dose 4 weeks after 1 st dose 3 rd dose at 10-12 months
Equine Herpesvirus (Rhino)	3 dose series 1 st dose at 4-6 months 2 nd dose 4 weeks after 1 st dose 3 rd dose at 10-12 months	3 dose series 1 st dose at 4-6 months 2 nd dose 4 weeks after 1 st dose 3 rd dose at 10-12 months

Influenza (intranasal)	2 dose series 1 st dose at 6-7 month 2 nd dose at 11-12 months Revaccinate at 6 month intervals	2 dose series 1 st dose at 6-7 month 2 nd dose at 11-12 months Revaccinate at 6 month intervals
Strangles (Strep Equi) (intranasal)	3 dose series 1 st dose at 6-9 months 2 nd dose 4 weeks after 1 st dose 3 rd dose at 11-12 months	3 dose series 1 st dose at 6-9 months 2 nd dose 4 weeks after 1 st dose 3 rd dose at 11-12 months