

COVID-19 Guidelines - KY Healthy at Work

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VERSION 1.0 – Effective June 8, 2020 Requirements for Horse Shows In addition to the **Healthy at Work Minimum Requirements**, horse shows must meet the requirements below in order to reopen and remain open:

Social Distancing Requirements for Horse Shows

- Horse shows must ensure that the number of people on horse show grounds or in a ring does not exceed the number that can safely socially distance at six (6) feet or more away from one another - this may result in a smaller amount of competitors that would normally be allowed.
- **NA – Not using stalls** Horse shows must ensure that stalls, if used, are large enough to permit six (6) feet of social distancing between exhibitors; if not, every other stall must be used.
- Horse shows must ensure that horse trailers are parked a minimum of six (6) feet apart to the greatest extent practicable.
- Horse shows must arrange judges' and other officials' spaces to ensure that they can maintain six (6) feet of social distance from others.
- Horse shows must limit attendance to: essential staff, volunteers, and service providers; judges; trainers; participants/riders; groomers, and; owners. If a participant is a minor, their parents or primary caregivers may attend with them.
- Horse shows must not permit the public, spectators, fans, family members (other than parents/caregivers of a minor), or outside media on competition grounds.
- Horse shows must use online registration, check-in, and payment to the greatest extent practicable.
- Horse shows must configure any competition offices or check-in spaces to ensure that both staff and competitors can remain six (6) feet apart to the greatest extent practicable. Horse shows should consider markings showing six (6) feet of distance as well as plexiglass or other physical, non-porous barriers in these spaces.
- Horse shows must stagger horse arrival, check-in, entry, exit, and horse departure times to avoid participants, staff, and volunteers congregating.

Temperature and Health Screening Requirements for Horse Shows

- Horse shows must require temperature and health screenings for all volunteers, officials, competition staff, service providers, and participants consistent with the Temperature and Health Screening Guidance in the Healthy At Work Minimum Requirements. These screenings may either be self-administered at home or administered on-site prior to entry.

Cleaning and Disinfecting Requirements for Horse Shows

- **NA – No indoor facilities used.** Horse shows must ensure that their facilities, including stalls, locker rooms, common areas, breakrooms and restrooms are properly cleaned and ventilated. Horse shows are encouraged to open exterior doors and windows to increase ventilation.
- Horse shows should provide hand sanitizer, handwashing facilities, tissues and waste baskets in convenient locations to the greatest extent practicable.
- **NA –** Horse shows must limit the use of shared equipment (e.g., tack, grooming supplies, lead shanks) to the greatest extent practicable. If equipment must be shared, horse shows must sanitize that equipment between each use.
- **NA –** Horse shows making restrooms or locker rooms available must ensure frequently touched surfaces are frequently cleaned and disinfected (e.g., door knobs and handles).

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Requirements

- Horse shows must require a facemask or face covering for all staff, officials, volunteers, service providers and participants when not mounted on a horse. Horse shows do not have to require participants on horseback to wear a mask, but the horse shows should permit them to do so if they wish. Horse shows must not disqualify or penalize a participant for wearing a facemask or face covering while competing.
- Horse shows should ensure that gloves are worn by any essential staff or volunteers when handling shared show equipment and that those gloves are replaced after each use. Training and Safety Requirements for Horse Shows
- Horse shows must train essential staff to use PPE. This training includes: when to use PPE; what PPE is necessary; how to properly put on, use, and remove PPE; how to properly dispose of or disinfect PPE; how to inspect PPE for damage; how to maintain PPE, and; the limitations of PPE.
- Horse shows must establish log-in procedures for essential staff and participants and maintain that information for potential contact notification.

COVID-19 Recommendations for MSED A Schooling Shows

Office

- Entries online only if at all possible
- Any changes to be done electronically
- Require temperature checks for all volunteers, officials, competition staff and essential workers to be done by EMT or designated individual. Anyone with a temperature of 100.4 or higher may not enter the facility. Keep a log with temps recorded.
- Anyone who:
 - -exhibits COVID-19 symptoms,
 - -has tested positive for COVID-19 within last two weeks, or
 - -has been in contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 within the last two weeks
 - Cannot enter the competition grounds
- Organizer will provide masks, gloves and hand sanitizer to volunteers.
- Riders, trainers to provide their own PPE
- Social distancing in office. Mark areas to line up maintaining social distancing outside the office area.
- No spectators or non-essential personnel such as guests are allowed on the competition grounds.
- Parents of minor children are permitted.

Stabling – NO STABLING AT HORSE AID LIVE

Trailer In

- Park far enough apart to allow social distancing. Do not hang around after finishing your competition.

Dressage

- Visual bit checks only. No touch. Any questionable equipment will be visually checked by TD at the barn or trailer after their test.

- Scribe and Judge must maintain social distancing. Wear gloves, mask. Divider of plexiglass between them. Score collector will carry a bag or plastic bin for score sheets so she does not handle paper.
- Scoring team to wear gloves and/or use hand sanitizer frequently when handling score sheets
- Recommend riders wear gloves/use hand sanitizer when picking up score sheets
- Scores to be posted online. If scores are posted on a board, only 1 person at a time may look at the board with mask on. Others must line up 6 feet apart with masks on.

Show Jumping

- Judge and timer to practice social distancing. Judge wears gloves/use hand sanitizer when handling paper scoresheets
- Ring crew wears mask and gloves/use of hand sanitizer when handling jumps. Sanitizer to be used on jump cups between divisions
- Scoring may take place at the SJ ring on computer (to reduce handling of paper)
- Assigned times for course walks and rides
- Social distancing with masks worn by all during course walks

Cross Country – NO CROSS COUNTRY AT HORSE AID LIVE

- Scores to be posted online.
- Ribbons to be distributed with minimal handling.
- Food vendors discouraged to prevent mingling. Prepackaged food may be considered but competitors are encouraged to bring their own food, drinks.
- Lunches for volunteers should be prepared ahead of time and distributed at the briefing.
- Anyone with fever, symptoms must stay home. If a person is not well during the event, they must have temperature checked by EMT and referred to Covid 19 testing site as indicated.
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- **Hand sanitizer to be available at Portalets competition rings, secretary's office and in stabling area.**

Enforcement Authority

- The Competition organizer has the authority to remove from the facility any person who does not comply with the regulations and requirements in effect at the competition. Stewards/Technical Delegates must report the removal of any person from competition grounds for non-compliance with regulations and requirements in effect at the competition in the TD Report.
- **Waiver/Release & Indemnity Agreement**
- **Provide emergency contact information and execute an updated Waiver and Release of Liability, Assumptions of Risk and Indemnity Agreement required by USEF and MSED, as a condition of participation. This must be signed by all competitors, volunteers, Officials, competition staff, trainers and parent of minor competitors.**