

# Equine influenza

## Key advice for horse owners

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### Vaccination

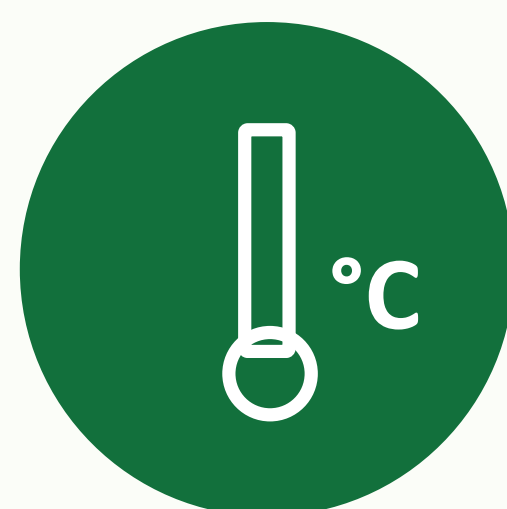
Vaccination helps protect your horse and others.

- ✓ Reduces the chance of infection
- ✓ Can lessen the severity if infected
- ✓ Can help limit spread

#### For the strongest protection:

- ✓ Vaccinate every six months
- ✓ If the last booster was over six months ago, speak to your vet

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### Recognising symptoms

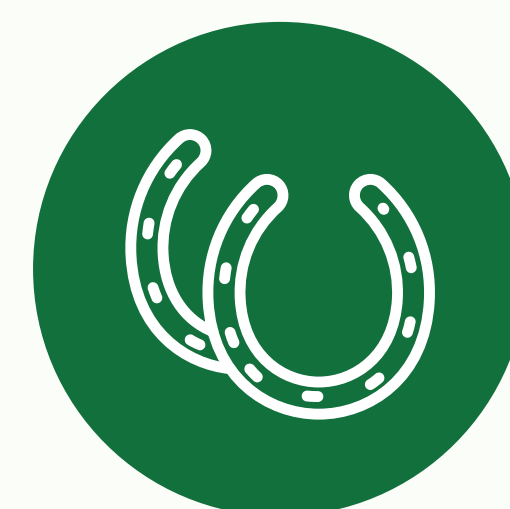
Look out for:

- ✓ Temperature above 38.5°C
- ✓ Persistent or harsh cough
- ✓ Nasal discharge

#### We recommend:

- ✓ Take and record temperatures daily
- ✓ Contact your vet immediately if you spot any signs

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### Reducing risk on your yard

Make sure staff, liveries and visitors follow good hygiene practices.

#### Remember:

- ✓ Equine flu spreads easily, including through the air
- ✓ It can also be carried on clothing, hands and equipment
- ✓ Isolate new arrivals for 14 days
- ✓ Avoid contact with horses that may be unwell
- ✓ Display clear biosecurity guidance around the yard



**Concerned about your horse?  
Contact your vet immediately**



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