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EQUINE VACCINATION GUIDELINES: FOALS AND YEARLINGS

| Vaccine | Foals | Yearlings | Comments |
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| Tetanus Toxoid* | First dose at 5-6 months of age. Booster in 4 weeks | Annual | If foal from unvaccinated dam, give first dose as soon as possible and booster 4 weeks later |
| Eastern & Western * Encephalomyelitis | First dose at 5-6 months of age. Booster in 4 weeks | Annual | If foal from unvaccinated dam, give first dose at 3-4 months of age and booster 4 weeks later |
| Rabies* | Give at 7-8 months of age | Annual | State regulations require this vaccine to be given by a licensed veterinarian for the horse to be classified as vaccinated |
| West Nile Virus* | First dose at 5-6 months of age. Booster in 4 weeks | Annual or biannual | Booster and biannual vaccination only recommended if using inactivated vaccine |
| Equine Herpes Virus 1 &4 | First dose at 5-6 months of age. Booster in 4 weeks | Biannual in Spring & Fall (every 6 months) | If foal from unvaccinated dam, give first dose at 3-4 months of age and booster 4 weeks later |
| Equine Influenza Virus | Intranasal vaccine at 9 and 11 months of age | Biannual in Spring & Fall (every 6 months) | If foal from unvaccinated dam, give first dose at 3-4 months of age and booster 4 weeks later |
| Strangles | *Vaccinate at 5-6 months of age | *Vaccinate every 6-12 months | *Vaccination should be based on risk-assessment and consulted with your veterinarian |

*These are considered CORE vaccines by the American Association of Equine Practitioners and should be apart of every horses yearly vaccine rotation.

Regional variations in vaccines recommendations exists. Depending on the region of the country, some vaccines not listed here may be necessary. Also the frequency of these vaccines may vary depending on exposure in certain instances. Consult with your veterinarian regarding these variation potentials.