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Education System for FEI Veterinarians

Introduction

The FEI Education System is designed to ensure that all FEI Veterinary Officials can fulfil the requirements of their job descriptions, are up-to-date with the current FEI Rules and Regulations, and master the officiating know-how in their discipline. Its goal is to guarantee that FEI Officials apply a consistent approach to the veterinary matters, deliver high-quality officiating and provide a true level-playing field to competitors at all International equestrian Shows, while keeping the Welfare of the Horse as paramount in their practice at all times.

The FEI Education System offers function-specific career pathways, structured with a gradual four-level system. Veterinarians, upon successfully completing their initial transfer-up process, will be listed as Level 1 FEI Veterinarian Officials. They may later evolve up the pathway to higher levels and functions as OVs, EOVs and ETVs.

Competencies

To officiate at a given function and level, FEI Veterinary Officials must hold the relevant FEI Official Certificate, which ensures they currently have the following required competencies:

- ✓ Knowledge of FEI Rules and Regulations
- ✓ Knowledge of the Sport, the Discipline(s), the Horse and its well-being
- ✓ Experience in the Discipline(s) and the function
- ✓ Interpersonal and communication skills
- ✓ Fitness level required to correctly perform all duties relevant to the role
- ✓ English language proficiency



Competency-based Evaluation System

In order to assess, educate, certify and monitor competencies of FEI Veterinary Officials throughout their career, the FEI has implemented the Competency-based Evaluation System (CES). The CES ensures that both during the transfer-up and the maintenance phases of a given function/level, Officials have the required competencies to officiate at international level.

The transfer-up consists of:

- Requirements: to ensure candidates have the minimum level of knowledge and experience before starting their education.
- Education with examination(s): in line with the job description to prepare
 Officials in taking and assuming their roles and duties.
- o Certification: to validate Officials' competencies for a given function and level.

The maintenance consists of:

- The annual CES Online Assessment
- The triennial CES Maintenance Course
- The annual CES Officiating Review¹

Maintenance is mandatory for all FEI Veterinary Officials and their status is reviewed annually by the FEI on 15 December.

¹ The CES Officiating Review will be applied on 15 December 2026, by decision of the FEI Board on 18 June 2025.

All Officials are required to take their assessments and examinations personally.

The FEI reserves the right to verify (by whatever method the FEI may choose) that an assessment/examination has been personally completed by an individual Official. If the FEI concludes that the assessment/examination has not been personally completed by the relevant Official, the FEI can take such action as it deems necessary including, but not limited to the invalidation of the assessment/examination and/or the opening of disciplinary proceedings.

For more information about the Education System and the CES:

Please refer to the Annex **"FEI Education Processes"** (published <u>HERE</u>) covering the specificities of equivalency, entering the system, transfer-up, maintenance and reentering the system. For more information about the terminology used in the FEI Education System, please refer to the Annex **"FEI Education Terminology"** (published HERE).



Minimum Requirements for Eligibility to become an FEI Official

For their application to be considered, FEI Veterinary Officials must:

- ✓ Have an appropriate level of English, both written and spoken
- ✓ Be minimum 18 years old
- ✓ Be in good standing with their National Federation
- ✓ Be familiar with and accept the FEI General Regulations, FEI Veterinary Regulations and Annexes, and other relevant FEI manuals and guidelines
- ✓ Accept all applicable Codes and Codes of Conduct
- ✓ Be formally recommended by their National Federation

National Federations are responsible for informing the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department of any Official who is not in good standing with the National Federation.

Show Participation

Lists of FEI Veterinary Officials are available on the FEI website for the use of Organising Committees and other interested Stakeholders, and are updated on a daily basis.

FEI Veterinary Officials must abide by the applicable Codes of Conduct and commit to act according to the principles, Rules and Regulations of the FEI.

The duties of FEI Veterinary Officials are outlined in the FEI Veterinary Job Descriptions. However, these documents do not substitute FEI Rules and Regulations.



Permitted Treating Veterinarians

Requirements

- ✓ Provide the name of two Veterinarians who support their application (one must be listed at least as Level 2 Official Veterinarian)
- ✓ Accept the Permitted Treating Veterinarian Codex

Education

✓ Pass the online Permitted Treating Veterinarian Course with examination(s)

Status

On passing the examination(s) and fulfilling all requirements, applicants are listed as Permitted Treating Veterinarians in the FEI Database

Roles at FEI Shows

According to FEI Veterinary Regulations Art. 1097, Permitted Treating Veterinarians are eligible for the following roles at FEI Shows:

- ✓ Treating Veterinarian
- ✓ Team Veterinarian
- ✓ Athlete's Private Veterinarian
- ✓ Holding Box Veterinarian
- √ Veterinary Control Officer

Maintenance

✓ Pass the Permitted Treating Veterinarian Online Assessment every three years



Level 1 Official Veterinarians

Requirements

- ✓ Be formally recommended by their National Federation
- ✓ Achieve an English proficiency grade of A2 or higher
- ✓ Be listed as Permitted Treating Veterinarian
- ✓ Have a minimum of three years equine veterinary experience

Education

✓ Pass the online Transfer-up Level 1 Course for Official Veterinarians with examination(s)

Status

On passing the Level 1 examination(s) and fulfilling all requirements, applicants are listed as Level 1 Official Veterinarians in the FEI Database.

Roles at FEI Shows

Level 1 Official Veterinarians are eligible for officiating at FEI Shows, as set forth in Annex IX of the FEI Veterinary Regulations.

Maintenance

✓ Pass a CES Online Assessment every year



Level 2 Official Veterinarians

Requirements

- ✓ Achieve an English proficiency grade of A2 or higher
- ✓ Be listed as a Level 1 Official Veterinarian
- √ Have a minimum of five years equine veterinary experience

Education

- ✓ Pass a Transfer-up Level 2 Course for Official Veterinarians
- ✓ <u>For the first discipline</u>: Shadow officiate at three (3) FEI Shows with at least two different FEI Mentor Officials who must be at least Level 3 or 4 Official Veterinarians*. A positive recommendation is required for each shadow officiating.
- ✓ Complete the education process within three years after application.
- ✓ <u>For every additional discipline</u>: Shadow officiate at one (1) FEI Show with an FEI Mentor Official who must be at least a Level 3 or 4 Official Veterinarian*. A positive recommendation is required for each shadow officiating.

*Level 2 Official Veterinarians may be authorised by the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department to act as FEI Mentor Officials.

Status

On passing the Level 2 examination(s) and fulfilling all requirements, applicants are listed as Level 2 Official Veterinarians in the FEI Database.

Roles at FEI Shows

Level 2 Official Veterinarians are eligible to officiate at FEI Shows as set forth in Annex IX of the FEI Veterinary Regulations.

- ✓ Confirm licensure and good standing with the Veterinary Regulator of registration, via the Annual Disclosures Declaration
- ✓ Pass a CES Online Assessment every year
- ✓ Pass a CES Maintenance Course every three years
- ✓ Officiate as Veterinary Delegate or Additional Veterinary Delegate at minimum one (1) FEI Show every three years



Level 3 Official Veterinarians

Requirements

- ✓ Achieve an English proficiency grade of B1 or higher
- ✓ Be listed as Level 2 Official Veterinarian for a minimum of three years
- ✓ Have officiated as Veterinary Delegate, Additional Veterinary Delegate, Foreign Veterinary Delegate, President of the Veterinary Commission, Member of the Veterinary Commission at a minimum of 10 FEI Shows

or

- ✓ Be listed as Level 2 Official Veterinarian for nine consecutive years
- ✓ Have officiated as Veterinary Delegate, Additional Veterinary Delegate, Foreign Veterinary Delegate, President of the Veterinary Commission, Member of the Veterinary Commission at a minimum of six (6) FEI Shows

Education

- ✓ For the first discipline: On fulfilling all Level 3 Official Veterinarians requirements, applicants have passed the transfer-up education.
- ✓ <u>For every additional discipline</u>: Shadow officiate at one (1) FEI Show with an FEI Mentor Official who must be at least a Level 3 or 4 Official Veterinarian*. A positive recommendation is required for each shadow officiating.

*Level 2 Official Veterinarians may be authorised by the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department to act as FEI Mentor Officials.

Status

On fulfilling all Level 3 requirements and education, applicants are listed as Level 3 Official Veterinarians in the FEI Database.

Roles at FEI Shows

Level 3 Official Veterinarians are eligible to officiate at FEI Shows as set forth in Annex IX of the FEI Veterinary Regulations.



- ✓ Confirm licensure and good standing with the Veterinary Regulator of registration, via the Annual Disclosures Declaration
- ✓ Pass a CES Online Assessment every year
- ✓ Pass a CES Maintenance course every three years
- ✓ Officiate as Veterinary Delegate, Additional Veterinary Delegate, Foreign Veterinary Delegate, President or Member of the Veterinary Commission at a minimum of one (1) FEI Show every three years



Level 4 Official Veterinarians

Requirements

- ✓ Achieve an English proficiency grade of B2 or higher
- ✓ Be endorsed by the National Federation
- ✓ Be in good standing with the FEI
- ✓ Be listed as Level 3 Official Veterinarian for a minimum of three years
- ✓ Have officiated as Veterinary Delegate or Foreign Veterinary Delegate at a minimum of five (5) FEI Shows (CIs, CIOs, Children's Classics, Challenge Finals, Nations Cups or Regional Championships)
- ✓ Be selected by the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department

Education

✓ Pass the Transfer-up Level 4 Education with examinations for FEI Veterinarians:

First phase:

- Pass problem-solving case studies
 If passed, the Official is invited to an online interview
- Pass an online interview
 If passed, the Official is provisionally transferred up to Level 4 and invited to the second phase

Second phase:

Pass one (1) three-day in-person course at FEI HQ
 If passed, the transfer-up to Level 4 is confirmed

If the Level 4 Education phases have already been completed and passed for another FEI Function, the Official must only fulfill the Requirements for the additional function to be transferred up to Level 4.

Status

On passing the Transfer-up Level 4 Education with examinations for FEI Veterinarians and fulfilling all requirements, applicants are listed as Level 4 Official Veterinarians in the FEI Database.

Roles at FEI Shows

Level 4 Official Veterinarians are eligible to officiate at FEI Shows as set forth in Annex IX of the FEI Veterinary Regulations.



- ✓ Confirm licensure and good standing with the Veterinary Regulator of registration, via the Annual Disclosures Declaration
- √ Pass a CES Online Assessment every year
- ✓ Pass a CES Maintenance course every three years
- ✓ Officiate as Veterinary Delegate, Additional Veterinary Delegate, Foreign Veterinary Delegate, President or Member of the Veterinary Commission at minimum one (1) FEI Show every three years



Level 2 Endurance Official Veterinarians

Requirements

- ✓ Achieve an English proficiency grade of A2 or higher
- ✓ Be listed as Level 1 Official Veterinarian.
- ✓ Have a minimum of five years equine veterinary experience
- ✓ Complete the online Endurance Foundation Course

Education

- ✓ Pass a Level 2 Transfer-up Course for EOVs with examination(s).
- ✓ Shadow officiate at six (6) FEI Endurance Shows with at least three different FEI Mentor Officials who must be Level 3 or 4 Endurance Official Veterinarians acting as Foreign Veterinary Delegate or President of the Veterinary Commission*. A positive recommendation is required for each shadow officiating.
- ✓ Complete the education process within three years of application.

*Level 2 Endurance Official Veterinarians and/or Members of the Veterinary Commission may be authorised by the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department to act as FEI Mentor Officials.

If an examination is not passed, the applicant is given the opportunity of a re-attempt after one year.

Status

On passing the Level 2 examination(s) and fulfilling all requirements, applicants are listed as Level 2 Endurance Official Veterinarians in the FEI Database.

Roles at FEI Shows

Level 2 Endurance Official Veterinarians are eligible to officiate at FEI Shows as set forth in Annex IX of the FEI Veterinary Regulations.

- ✓ Confirm licensure and good standing with the Veterinary Regulator of registration, via the Annual Disclosures Declaration
- ✓ Pass a CES Online Assessment every year
- ✓ Pass a CES Maintenance course every three years
- ✓ Officiate as Member of the Veterinary Commission at a minimum of one (1) FEI Endurance Show every three years



Level 3 Endurance Official Veterinarians

Requirements

- ✓ Achieve an English proficiency grade of B1 or higher
- ✓ Be listed as Level 2 Endurance Official Veterinarian for a minimum of three years
- ✓ Have officiated as Members of the Veterinary Commission at a minimum of 10 FEI Endurance Shows

Education

- ✓ Pass a Level 3 Transfer-up Course for EOVs.
- ✓ Shadow officiate at three (3) FEI Endurance Shows with at least two different FEI Mentor Officials acting as Foreign Veterinary Delegate or President of the Veterinary Commission. A positive recommendation is required for each shadow officiating.
- ✓ Complete the education process within three years of application.

If an examination is not passed, the applicant is given the opportunity of a re-attempt after one year.

Status

On passing the Level 3 examination(s) and fulfilling all requirements, applicants are listed as Level 3 Endurance Official Veterinarians in the FEI Database.

Roles at FEI Shows

Level 3 Endurance Official Veterinarians are eligible to officiate at FEI Shows as set forth in Annex IX of the FEI Veterinary Regulations.

- ✓ Confirm licensure and good standing with the Veterinary Regulator of registration, via the Annual Disclosures Declaration
- ✓ Pass a CES Online Assessment every year
- ✓ Pass a CES Maintenance course every three years
- ✓ Officiate as Foreign Veterinary Delegate, President or Member of the Veterinary Commission at minimum one (1) FEI Endurance Show every three years



Level 4 Endurance Official Veterinarians

Requirements

- ✓ Achieve an English proficiency grade of B2 or higher
- ✓ Be endorsed by the National Federation
- ✓ Be in good standing with the FEI
- ✓ Be listed as Level 3 Endurance Official Veterinarian for a minimum of three years
- ✓ Have officiated as Foreign Veterinary Delegate or President of the Veterinary Commission at a minimum of five (5) FEI Endurance Shows
- ✓ Be selected by the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department

Education

✓ Pass the Transfer-up Level 4 Education with examinations for FEI Veterinarians:

First phase:

- Pass problem-solving case studies
 If passed, the Official is invited to an online interview
- Pass an online interview
 If passed, the Official is provisionally transferred up to Level 4 and invited to the second phase

Second phase:

Pass one (1) three-day in-person course at FEI HQ
 If passed, the transfer-up to Level 4 is confirmed

If the Level 4 Education phases have already been completed and passed for another FEI Function, the Official must only fulfill the listed Requirements for the additional function to be transferred up to Level 4.

Status

On passing the Transfer-up Level 4 Education with examinations for FEI Veterinarians and fulfilling all requirements, applicants are listed as Level 4 Endurance Official Veterinarians in the FEI Database.

Roles at FEI Shows

Level 4 Endurance Official Veterinarians are eligible to officiate at FEI Shows as set forth in Annex IX of the FEI Veterinary Regulations.



- ✓ Confirm licensure and good standing with the Veterinary Regulator of registration, via the Annual Disclosures Declaration
- ✓ Pass a CES Online Assessment every year
- ✓ Pass a CES Maintenance course every three years
- ✓ Officiate as Foreign Veterinary Delegate, President or Member of the Veterinary Commission at a minimum of one (1) FEI Endurance Show every three years



Level 2 Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials

Requirements

- ✓ Achieve an English proficiency grade of A2 or higher
- ✓ Be listed as Level 1 Official Veterinarian
- √ Have minimum five years of equine veterinary experience
- ✓ Complete the online Endurance Foundation Course

Education

- ✓ Pass a Level 2 Transfer-up Course for EVTs with examination(s).
- ✓ Shadow officiate at three (3) FEI Endurance Shows with at least two different FEI Mentor Officials who must be Level 3 or 4 Endurance Official Veterinarians acting as Foreign Veterinary Delegate or President of the Veterinary Commission*. A positive recommendation is required for each shadow officiating.
- ✓ Shadow officiate at three (3) FEI Endurance Shows with at least two different FEI Mentor Officials who must be Level 3 or 4 Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials acting as President of the Veterinary Treating Commission**. A positive recommendation is required for each shadow officiating.
- ✓ Complete the education process within three years of application.
 - *Level 2 Endurance Official Veterinarians and/or Members of the Veterinary Commission may be authorised by the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department to act as FEI Mentor Officials.
 - **Level 2 Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials and/or Members of the Veterinary Treating Commission may be authorised by the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department to act as FEI Mentor Officials.

If an examination is not passed, the applicant is given the opportunity of a re-attempt after one year.

Status

On passing the Level 2 examination(s) and fulfilling all requirements, applicants are listed as Level 2 Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials in the FEI Database.

Role at FEI Shows

Level 2 Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials are eligible to officiate at FEI Shows as set forth in Annex IX of the FEI Veterinary Regulations.



- ✓ Confirm licensure and good standing with the Veterinary Regulator of registration, via the Annual Disclosures Declaration
- ✓ Pass a CES Online Assessment every year
- ✓ Pass a CES Maintenance course every three years
- ✓ Officiate as Member of the Treating Veterinary Commission at a minimum of one (1) FEI Endurance Show every three years



Level 3 Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials

Requirements

- ✓ Achieve an English proficiency grade of B1 or higher
- ✓ Be listed as a Level 2 Endurance Veterinary Treating Official for a minimum of three years
- ✓ Have officiated as a Member of the Treating Veterinary Commission at a minimum of 10 FEI Endurance Shows
- ✓ Have completed two (2) case reports with one metabolic report and one orthopedic report, from situations taking place at FEI Shows

Education

- ✓ Pass a Level 3 Transfer-up Course for EVTs.
- ✓ Shadow officiate at three (3) FEI Endurance Shows with at least two different FEI Mentor Officials acting as President of the Treating Veterinary Commission. A positive recommendation is required for each shadow officiating.
- ✓ Complete the education process within three years of application.

If an examination is not passed, the applicant is given the opportunity of a re-attempt after one year.

Status

On passing the Level 3 examination(s) and fulfilling all requirements, applicants are listed as Level 3 Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials in the FEI Database.

Roles at FEI Shows

Level 3 Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials are eligible to officiate at FEI Shows as set forth in Annex IX of the FEI Veterinary Regulations.

- ✓ Confirm licensure and good standing with the Veterinary Regulator of registration via the Annual Disclosures Declaration
- ✓ Pass a CES Online Assessment every year
- ✓ Pass a CES Maintenance Course every three years
- ✓ Officiate as President or Member of the Treating Veterinary Commission at a minimum of one (1) FEI Endurance Show every three years



Level 4 Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials

Requirements

- ✓ Achieve an English proficiency grade of B2 or higher
- ✓ Be endorsed by the National Federation
- ✓ Be in good standing with the FEI
- ✓ Be listed as Level 3 Endurance Veterinary Treating Official for a minimum of three years
- ✓ Have officiated as President of the Treating Veterinary Commission at a minimum of five (5) CEIs
- ✓ Be selected by the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department

Education

✓ Pass the Transfer-up Level 4 Education with examinations for FEI Veterinarians:

First phase:

- Pass problem-solving case studies
 If passed, the Official is invited to an online interview
- Pass an online interview
 If passed, the Official is provisionally transferred up to Level 4 and invited to the second phase

Second phase:

Pass one (1) three-day in-person course at FEI HQ
 If passed, the transfer-up to Level 4 is confirmed

If the Level 4 Education phases have already been completed and passed for another FEI Function, the Official must only fulfill the listed Requirements for the additional function to be transferred up Level 4.

Status

On passing the Transfer-up Level 4 Education with examinations for FEI Veterinarians and fulfilling all requirements, applicants are listed as Level 4 Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials in the FEI Database.

Roles at FEI Shows

Level 4 Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials are eligible to officiate at FEI Shows as set forth in Annex IX of the FEI Veterinary Regulations.



- ✓ Confirm licensure and good standing with the Veterinary Regulator of registration via the Annual Disclosures Declaration
- ✓ Pass a CES Online Assessment every year
- ✓ Pass a CES Maintenance Course every three years
- ✓ Officiate as President or Member of the Treating Veterinary Commission at a minimum of one (1) FEI Endurance Show every three years



Testing Veterinarians

Requirements

For Permitted Treating Veterinarians and Level 1 OVs:

- ✓ Achieve an English proficiency grade of A2 or higher
- ✓ Be endorsed by the National Federation
- ✓ Be in good standing with the FEI
- ✓ Have minimum five years of equine veterinary experience
- ✓ Be selected by the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department

For Level 2, 3 or 4 Official Veterinarians, Endurance Official Veterinarians and Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials:

- ✓ Be endorsed by the National Federation
- ✓ Be in good standing with the FEI
- ✓ Be selected by the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department

The FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department sets the number of Testing Veterinarians per National Federation in accordance with the FEI testing plan.

Education

For Permitted Treating Veterinarians and Level 1 OVs:

- ✓ Attend a Transfer Up Course for Level 2 Official Veterinarians.
- ✓ Attend a Testing Veterinarians Course.
- ✓ Pass the Testing Veterinarian online examination.
- ✓ Shadow officiate at one (1) FEI Show with a Testing Veterinarian acting as FEI Mentor Official. A positive recommendation is required.
- ✓ Pass the Testing Veterinarian practical examination.
- ✓ Complete the education process within three years of application.

For Level 2, 3 or 4 Official Veterinarians, Endurance Official Veterinarians and Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials:

- ✓ Attend a Testing Veterinarians Course.
- ✓ Pass the Testing Veterinarian online examination.
- ✓ Shadow officiate at one (1) FEI Show with a Testing Veterinarian acting as FEI Mentor Official. A positive recommendation is required.
- ✓ Pass the Testing Veterinarian practical examination.
- ✓ Complete the education process within three years of application.



If the online examination and/or the practical examination is not passed, the applicant is given the opportunity of a re-attempt once, within two years.

Status

On fulfilling all requirements, completing all education and passing all examinations, applicants are listed as Testing Veterinarians in the FEI Database.

Roles at FEI Shows

According to FEI Veterinary Regulations, Testing Veterinarians carry out EADCM sampling at the FEI Shows to which they are appointed, as set forth in the FEI Veterinary and EADCM Regulations. They can be assisted in their duties by Testing Technicians.

- ✓ Confirm licensure and good standing with the Veterinary Regulator of registration, via the Annual Disclosures Declaration
- ✓ Pass a CES Online Assessment every year
- ✓ Attend a Testing Veterinarian Course every three years
- ✓ Officiate as Testing Veterinarian at a minimum of one (1) FEI Show every three years



National Head Veterinarians

Requirements

- ✓ Be listed as Permitted Treating Veterinarian
- ✓ Be nominated by their National Federation

Education

For PTVs and Level 1 Official Veterinarians:

✓ Attend an in-person Transfer-up Course for Level 2 Official Veterinarians

For Level 2, 3, 4 Official Veterinarians. Endurance official Veterinarians & Endurance Veterinary Treating Officials

✓ On fulfilling all National Head Veterinarians requirements, applicants have passed the transfer-up education

If an examination is not passed, the applicant is given the opportunity of a re-attempt after one year.

Status

On fulfilling all requirements, completing all education and passing all examinations, applicants are listed as National Head Veterinarians in the FEI Database.

Role

National Head Veterinarians' role is defined in FEI Veterinary Regulations Article 1108.

Maintenance

✓ Maintain status as Permitted Treating Veterinarian or Official Veterinarian



Measuring Veterinarians

Requirements

- ✓ Be listed as Level 2, 3 or 4 Official Veterinarian
- ✓ Be selected by the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department

Education

✓ Shadow officiate at two (2) Measuring Sessions with two different FEI Mentor Officials acting as Measuring Veterinarians. A positive recommendation is required for each Measuring Session.

Status

On fulfilling all requirements, completing all education and passing all examinations, applicants are listed as Measuring Veterinarians in the FEI Database.

Roles at FEI Shows

According to FEI Veterinary Regulations, Measuring Veterinarians are appointed by the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department to verify the height of the Ponies at FEI Measuring Sessions.

Maintenance

✓ Maintain status as Official Veterinarian



Examining Veterinarians

Requirements

- ✓ Be listed as Official Veterinarian (Limb sensitivity)
- ✓ Be listed as Level 2, 3 or 4 Endurance Official Veterinarian or Endurance Veterinary Treating Official (Hyposensitivity)
- ✓ Be selected by the FEI Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department

Education

✓ Shadow officiate at two (2) FEI Shows with two different FEI Mentor Officials acting as Examining Veterinarians. A positive recommendation is required for each officiating.

Status

On fulfilling all requirements, completing all education and passing all examinations, applicants are listed as Examining Veterinarians in the FEI Database.

Role at FEI Shows

According to FEI Veterinary Regulations, Examining Veterinarians are appointed by the Veterinary & Equine Welfare Department to carry out the Examination of Horses for abnormal limb sensitivity.

Maintenance

✓ Maintain status as Official Veterinarian, Endurance Official Veterinarian, Endurance Veterinary Treating Official