

- (5) Practicing Veterinarians shall not have contact with an entered horse within 24 hours before the scheduled post time of the race in which the horse is scheduled to compete except for the administration of furosemide under the guidelines set forth in ARCI-011-020 F.) unless approved by the official veterinarian. Any unauthorized contact may result in the horse being scratched from the race in which it was scheduled to compete and may result in further disciplinary action by the stewards.
- (6) Any horse entered for racing must be present on the grounds 5 hours prior to the post time of the race they are entered in.

D. Veterinarians' Reports

- (1) Every veterinarian who treats a racehorse at a facility under the jurisdiction of the Racing Authority shall submit a Veterinarian's Medication Report Form to the official veterinarian or other Regulatory Authority designee in a manner specified by the Regulatory Authority and in an approved format which includes:
 - a) The name of the horse treated;
 - b) Any medication, drug, substance, or procedure administered or prescribed;
 - c) The name of the trainer of the horse;
 - d) The date and time of treatment; and
 - e) Any other information requested by the official veterinarian.
- (2) The Veterinarian's Medication Report Form shall be signed by the practicing veterinarian, or, where reported electronically, shall be submitted by the practicing veterinarian.
- (3) The Veterinarian's Medication Report Form must be filed by the treating veterinarian not later than the time designated by the Regulatory Authority on the next race date following administration or prescription of any medication, drug, substance, or procedure.
- (4) Any such report is confidential to the extent allowed by state law. Access to a report is limited to the regulatory veterinarians and its contents shall not be disclosed except in the course of an investigation of a possible violation of these rules or in a proceeding before the Stewards or the Regulatory Authority, or to the trainer or owner of record at the time of treatment.
- (5) A timely and accurate filing of a Veterinarian's Medication Report Form that is consistent with the analytical results of a positive test may be used as a mitigating factor in determining the nature and extent, if any, of a rules violation.

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Version 2.1 to 3.0 ARCI 4/3/04 NAPRA 4/3/04: Amended new rule language

Version 3.2 to 3.3 ARCI 12/7/05: Added and modified rule language

Version 5.2 to 5.3 ARCI Board 12/7/12 Limits who can authorize veterinary care and time period in which practicing veterinarians have access to horses scheduled to race.

Version 6.1 to 6.2 ARCI Meeting of the Members 3/24/2016 Amended ARCI-011-010 (B) language pertaining to Medical Labeling.

Version 6.3 to 7.0 ARCI Board of Directors 12/09/2016 amended ARCI-011-010 to include section B "Appropriate Role of Veterinarians" and re-numbered accordingly

Version 8.1 to 8.2, ARCI Board of Directors 12/08/2017, amended ARCI-011-010 D