
Overview

This standard is about escorting horses to competitions and caring for them while they are there. You will be required to comply with the appropriate competition rules and etiquette.

The work described in this standard would be carried out following agreement of responsibilities with a supervisor.

You will need to be fully aware of the importance of animal health and welfare and health and safety in connection with this work.

You will need to be able to recognise hazards and assess risks within the workplace.

**Performance
criteria**

- You must be able to:*
- P1 Assist with complying with the appropriate competition regulations and etiquette at all times
 - P2 Assist with the care for the horses on arrival as directed
 - P3 Provide feed, water and exercise as directed before, during and after competition
 - P4 Prepare the horses for competition at the appropriate time in accordance with specified instructions
 - P5 Maintain the health and safety of horses, self and others during the work.

Knowledge and understanding

You need to know and understand:

- K1 Competition rules and regulations and the importance of adhering to them
- K2 Acceptable behaviour and etiquette for individuals at competitions
- K3 Horse passports and identity requirements
- K4 Reactions of horses to competition environment
- K5 How to provide feed, water and exercise whilst at competitions
- K6 How to prepare a horse for a competition
- K7 Hazards likely to be encountered when handling horses at competitions
- K8 Risks to horses, yourself and others and how these can be minimised
- K9 Your responsibilities under relevant animal health and welfare and health and safety legislation/codes of practice.

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