

# LANEQ333

## Handle and present stallions under supervision



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### Overview

This standard is about handling the stallion for teasing, covering and presentation to clients, under supervision.

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

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

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#### Performance criteria

*You must be able to:*

- P1 Handle stallions for routine hygiene procedures
- P2 Take the appropriate precautions to prevent sexually transmitted diseases
- P3 Present the teaser to the mare to establish receptivity for covering
- P4 Present the stallion to the mare for covering as directed
- P5 Report any problems in handling the stallion or covering to the appropriate person
- P6 Present the stallion to clients for inspection
- P7 Monitor and maintain the health and safety of horses, self and others during the work.

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### Knowledge and understanding

*You need to know and understand:*

- K1 The implications of over use of stallions
- K2 The safety precautions when handling stallions
- K3 Stallion psychology and behaviour
- K4 The different methods of teasing
- K5 The importance of hygiene and bio-security
- K6 The equipment to be used on stallions
- K7 Regulations regarding swabbing
- K8 Venereal diseases and their symptoms
- K9 Codes of Practice for prevention and control of venereal diseases and notification to relevant authority
- K10 The breeding of the stallion, progeny, his stud fees and conditions
- K11 Records required for management and legislative purposes
- K12 Risks to horses, yourself and others and how these can be minimised
- K13 Your responsibilities under relevant animal health and welfare and health and safety legislation/codes of practice.

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