

Yearly Worming Plan

Time of Year	Adult Treatment Plan
March	Start of grazing season: Worm egg count for Redworm and Roundworm.
June	Worm egg count for Redworm and Roundworm. Salvia test to check for tapeworm for high risk horses.
September	Worm egg count for Redworm and Roundworm.
December	Salvia test to check for tapeworm or treat using Praziquantel. Treat for encysted redworm using Moxidectin or blood test to check for Redworm larvae including the encysted stage. (Equest Pramox can be used as a combined wormer, or Equest only if Tapeworm test is low). If your horse has had low faecal worm egg counts throughout Summer/Autumn with no change to management or their grazing group, then Moxidectin is not required. A tapeworm saliva test can be done and if required, treatment with Praziquantel.

Time of Year	Yearling to 3 Years of Age Treatment Plan
February	(1 year old) Worm egg count for Redworm and Roundworm.
May	Worm egg count for Redworm and Roundworm.
August	Worm egg count for Redworm and Roundworm.
November	Worm egg count for Roundworm. Salvia test to check for tapeworm or treat using Praziquantel. Treat using Moxidectin or blood test to check for any Redworm larvae including the encysted stage. (Equest Pramox can be used as a combined wormer, or Equest only if Tapeworm test is low).

* Worming will generally be recommended regardless of worm egg count *

Time of Year	Foal Treatment Plan
1st Treatment (2 months old)	Worm using a 5 day course of Fenbendazole (Panacur Guard can be used, to treat Strongyloides).
2nd Treatment (4 months old)	Worm using Pyrantel wormer (Strongid-P can be used, to treat Strongyloids, parascaris and Oxyuris).
3rd Treatment (6months - weaning)	Worm using Ivermectin (Eqvalan can be used, to treat Strongyloids, parascaris and Oxyuris).
4th Treatment (8-9 months old)	Worm using Moxidectin and Praziquantel (Equest Pramox can be used, to treat Strongyloids, parascaris, Oxyuris and Tapeworm).

* Do not give Equest Pramox to foals under 6.5 months of age *

Foals born after June, should have 2nd treatment at 6 months old and 3rd treatment at 8-9 months old.