

Protect your horse

Consider how your everyday activities could spread disease between horses or properties.

www.farmbiosecurity.com.au

Protect yourself

If you are handling horses from a tropical or sub-tropical area extra personal protection precautions are required.

www.dpi.qld.gov.au

search for Hendra Virus PPE

Vital Signs for Horses at Rest

Temp. 36.5 -38.5 C **Heart rate** 25-45 beats per min.

Breathing 8-16 breaths per min. **Capillary refill time** 1-2 sec.

Hydration Status (*pinch test*) 1 - 2 secs.

Clear eyes, normal stance, no nasal discharge

If you notice abnormal health or behaviour, ring your vet.

If you suspect an Emergency or notifiable disease - call the

Emergency Disease Watch Hotline

1800 675 888