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**HORSE OWNER CHECKLIST – PREPARING FOR COVID-19**

Covid-19 could easily strike your neighbourhood, whether you live in a town/city or in the country, and ESNZ encourages horse owners to have a plan in place on who is going to look after your horse/s should the unthinkable happen to you.

If you, or someone you live with, were to contract Covid-19, you may have to leave your property quickly, so having a plan in place will give you some peace of mind that others will be able to step in to help manage your horses.

The following checklist template has been drafted to assist you should you be required to leave your property and your horses and be unable to look after them. You can add any other animals/livestock to this template.

**Information for someone coming onto your property (or agistment block) to manage your horse/s**

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|  | Name: | Contact Number: |
| Main support person |  |  |
| Back up support person |  |  |
| Vet |  |  |
| Farrier |  |  |
| Feed provider |  |  |
| Other service provider |  |  |
|  | Description: | |
| Horse/s names |  | |
| Location of feed |  | |
| Location of hay |  | |
| Location of water |  | |
| Location of halters |  | |
| Animal welfare storage (ie medications, rugs, etc) |  | |
| How water/irrigation works |  | |
| Other useful information |  | |

**Risk mitigation:**

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| To minimise the risk of Covid-19 please abide by the following requirements: | Yes | No |
| All visitors and contractors to your property to wear a mask |  |  |
| You will supply hand sanitiser |  |  |
| Physical distancing of 1m will be maintained |  |  |
| You will endeavour to have contactless pick up/drop off where possible |  |  |
| Limit sharing of equipment |  |  |
| Have a QR code for scanning on to your property |  |  |
| Scanning of Covid Vaccine Passes |  |  |
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Attached to this plan:

🞏 Horse/s feed plan 🞏 Health & Safety Plan

🞏 Horse health plan 🞏 Map of property