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MARK UP FOR PASSPORT AND MICROCHIPPING

Since July 2009, all horses applying for a passport (compulsory since February 2005) are required to be microchipped and the application form must be signed by a vet. If your horse already has a passport, the law does not require that they are microchipped.

The microchip is implanted on the left mid-crest of the neck. The microchip contains a unique number that is matched to the owner's details and stored in a central database with an external company.

Please remember to contact the microchip company (not us!) if your details change or if you sell the horse as this will be the only way to contact the owner should a horse go missing. The microchip is read with a scanner similar to the one at the checkout in the supermarkets.

We recommend that your horse is fully protected against tetanus before the microchip is implanted. If your vet feels it is necessary, an emergency tetanus (tetanus antitoxin) will be administered on the day.

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