



PROTOCOLS PERTAINING TO HISA/HIWU
May 22, 2023

Horsemen:

Please note the following procedures, effective immediately, per the rules of the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority (HISA), and the Horseracing Integrity and Welfare Unit (HIWU):

1. HIWU will be doing pre-race TCO₂ testing. Due to the shortage of regulatory vets, horsemen are required to bring their horse to the Test Barn for testing. Horsemen will be notified by the regulatory vet. This practice will be in place at all 3 Pennsylvania thoroughbred tracks.
2. Under HIWU, the information is entered into the portal. The regulatory vets, unfortunately, have limited access to this data. HISA/HIWU is attempting to resolve this issue. For now, the practicing vets will be required to submit a copy to the regulatory vets.

Thank you for your co-operation,

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