



Stonegate Summer I – Protocol Working Document

USEF (United States Equestrian Federation) licensed competition “Stonegate Summer I” must operate in accordance with the USEF COVID-19 Action Plan. This plan is based on federal, state, and local regulations, WHO recommendations, CDC guidelines and USEF requirements. Participants, this includes owners, lessees, riders, parents, trainers, coaches, grooms, and competition staff, this includes office staff, medical personnel, crew, volunteers, in-gate, announcers, licensed officials, farriers and braiders will agree to follow physical distancing and to wear a mask/face covering, when not mounted on a horse and in any setting where there is a possibility of being within six feet of any other individual.

Stonegate Summer I will perform the following:

- All staff, volunteers, officials and service providers will have their temperature taken and recorded daily.
- All staff, volunteers, officials, service providers and participants will sign Waivers and Release of liabilities, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement provided by USEF and provide emergency information.
- Signage – There will be posted signage throughout the Stonegate Farm displaying applicable federal, state and local regulations as well as WHO recommendations and CDC guidelines. Members of the same family will be given ribbons that identify them.
- Stabling area and trailer parking will be assigned and supervised so as to comply with physical distancing.
- Facility including jumps, toilets, office and water station will be frequently sanitized. Hand sanitizer and hand washing station will be provided.
- Access will be denied to persons with symptoms of COVID-19 persons exposed to COVID-19 and persons with temperatures of 99.5 or higher.
- Competition Office will have an “in” and “out” door, provide 6 foot markers, provide hand sanitizers and provide sanitized work areas and implements.
- Monitoring of schooling, competition and exercise areas, restricting the number of people accompanying the horse to the ring and frequent PA announcements will ensure exhibitors of procedures, schedule and protocol.
- No spectators will be allowed.
- Enforcement will be the responsibility of the Stonegate Summer I competition organizers.

The organizers of Stonegate Summer I believe everyone needs to set a good example and be mindful to protect the health and safety of all.