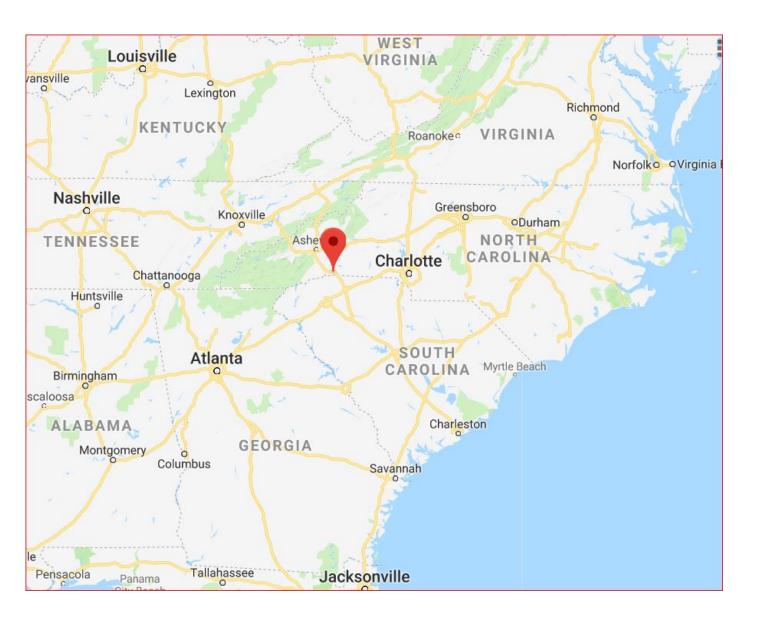


Introduction of horses from US

World Equestrian Games Tryon, North Carolina, U.S. 11 to 23 September 2018



https://tryon2018.com/article/100-days-until-weg

Facts (according to USDA)

- 550 horses from EU will return to EU
- all horses entering the WEG are subjected to the same <u>show entry requirements</u>, and therefore all horses will be of the same health status:
 - Current, valid vaccination for equine influenza
 - Current, valid vaccination against EHV-1
 - Negative serological test for piroplasmosis (30-90 days prior to entry into US)
 - Negative serological test for equine infectious anemia (EIA) carried out within 12 months of arrival at the venue



Post arrival quarantine and testing

- 3-day post-entry quarantine
- Testing with negative result for
 - EIA
 - Piroplasmosis
 - Durine
 - Glanders
- negative for CEM prior to arrival in US or APHISissued CEM waiver and under control during stay in US
- Piropositive horses kept in separate stables during competition but in the same barn during the post-entry quarantine



Return certification

- Decision 93/195/EEC (re-entry)
 - Annex II standard re-entry certificate (30 days)
 - Annex III specific certificate for re-entry after competitions in US (90 days)
- Decision 2010/57/EC (transit)
 - Based on requirements in Annex II(C) to 92/260/EEC (temporary admission)



Question of USDA

Statement in EU certificate
"since its entry into the country
of dispatch, it has been resident
on holdings under veterinary
supervision, accommodated in
separated stables without
coming into contact with
equidae of lower health status
except during racing;"

Is this a problem if a horse has been stabled in the same barn as a piropositive horse?



Question of USDA

Statement in EU certificate
"To the best of my knowledge,
it has not been in contact with
equidae suffering from an
infectious or contagious disease
in the 15 days prior to this
declaration."

Is this a problem if a horse is known to be CEM or piro positive?



Question of USDA

Article 8(1) 2018/659

- (a) the equidae are transported by a means of transport carrying only equidae that are destined for the Union or alternatively are accompanied by a health certificate required for transit;
- (b) the equidae are transported by a means of transport carrying only equidae of the same certified health status, except where otherwise authorised in the specific animal health requirements set out in Sections A and B of Part 1 and in Section A of Part 3 of Annex II;

Can re-entry horses travel together with transit horses?

Can temporary horses travel with permanent imports?



Issues to be clarified

- Vesicular stomatitis guarantees (re-entry)
- Vaccination or Testing for WEE and EEE (transit)

