

1721.0230 DEFINITIONS.

Subpart 1. **Scope.** For the purposes of parts 1721.0230 to 1721.0260, the terms defined in this part have the meanings given them.

Subp. 2. **Coggins test.** "Coggins test" is the common name for the agar gel immunodiffusion test for diagnosis of EIA.

Subp. 3. **EIA.** "EIA" means equine infectious anemia, a virus disease of horses.

Subp. 4. **EIA-exposed horse.** "EIA-exposed horse" means a horse that has been exposed to EIA virus:

A. by being within 200 yards of an EIA-infected horse for at least ten consecutive days during the vector season within the previous 12 months; or

B. by receiving blood or blood products from an EIA-infected horse through the use of contaminated needles, syringes, surgical instruments, riding tack, or grooming equipment.

Subp. 5. **EIA-infected horse.** "EIA-infected horse" means a horse determined to be infected with EIA virus by a representative of the board.

Subp. 6. **EIA vector season.** "EIA vector season" means the time of year when large biting insects, such as horse flies and deer flies of the family Tabanidae are present.

Subp. 7. **Official EIA test.** "Official EIA test" means the Coggins test or other test for EIA approved by the board.

Subp. 8. **Trail ride.** "Trail ride" means an equine event where horses owned by two or more people are brought together for recreational riding on roads or trails.

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