



Ohio State Racing Commission

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To: Chris McErlean, Mark Loewe, Chris Corrado, Angela Matthews, Dan Reinhard, Patrick Ellsworth, Dave Basler,

From: Bill Crawford, Executive Director

Date: July 13, 2020

Subject: Jockey Travel

You are hereby **directed**:

1. Effective July 14, 2020, only jockeys, who are currently riding or exercising a horse within the State of Ohio, can ride or exercise a horse at your facility. Any jockey who is not currently riding or exercising a horse within the State of Ohio is prohibited from riding or exercising a horse at your facility;
2. A jockey who is currently riding or exercising horses within the State of Ohio and leaves this state to ride or exercise a horse shall not be allowed to ride or exercise a horse at your facility until the jockey has completed a fourteen day quarantine and the jockey shows documentation of a negative COVID-19 test within the last seven days of the quarantine;
3. This Directive does not restrict the travel of any jockey who is currently riding or exercising a horse within the State of Ohio to ride or exercise a horse at another horse racing facility in this state;
4. The Directive shall remain in place until further notice from the Ohio State Racing Commission (Commission).

The Commission is taking this proactive approach to help ensure the safety of jockeys, horsemen, track personnel and fans who enter your facility.

You are to continue to follow the Safety Protocols for Return to Racing which became effective on June 19, 2020.

The Commission will continue to update you as pertinent information becomes available.

Thank you for your patience as we all deal with this unprecedented and very fluid situation. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 614-466-2758.

If you need further information on COVID-19, please visit, coronavirus.ohio.gov or call 1-833-427-5634.