

Foal Health Care for the First Year of Life

Pregnant

Mares:

Broodmares should be vaccinated for the core vaccines: tetanus, Eastern/Western Equine Encephalomyelitis, West Nile Virus and Rabies four to six weeks prior to their foaling date. Risk-based vaccinations should be administered based on veterinarian recommendation.



Foals up to

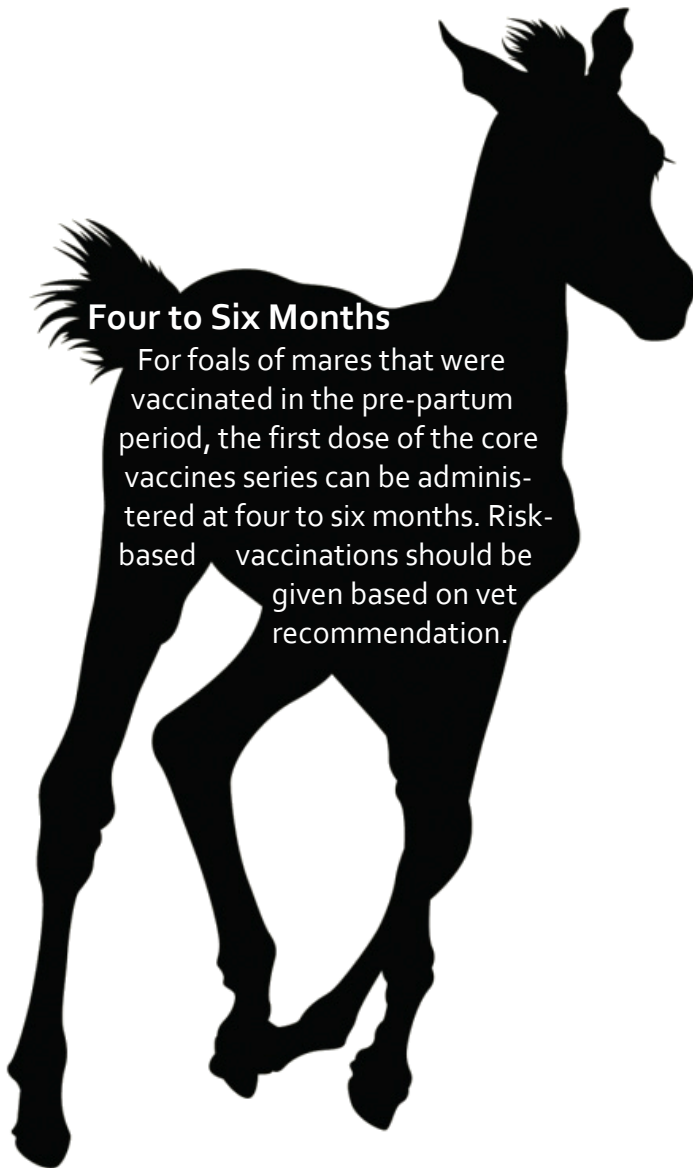
Four Months:

A vet should examine a newborn within the first 24 hours of life. Foals of unvaccinated mares should begin receiving core vaccines at 1-3 months. Deworming can begin at 60 days.



Four to Six Months

For foals of mares that were vaccinated in the pre-partum period, the first dose of the core vaccines series can be administered at four to six months. Risk-based vaccinations should be given based on vet recommendation.



Six Months to a Year

Rabies should be administered in two doses beginning at six months. Equine Influenza vaccines can be administered at eight to 11 months.

