



North Atlantic Hanoverian Breeders
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Mare & Foaling Check List

Foal Name: _____

Date foaled: _____

Color/Markings: _____

Sex: Colt Filly

Mare:	
Mare name:	
Stallion name:	
Vet's Phone Number:	
Vet's Emergency #:	
Friends Number: (that could assist in an emergency.)	

Gestation Equation:	
Last date bred:	
Add 1 year	
minus 21 days	
Date due to foal. (minimum 325 days, consult veterinarian if premature foaling.)	

Please review this information with your veterinarian prior to foaling time to ensure the latest foaling protocols are followed.

Mare care before foaling:

Mare should be vaccinated one month prior.
 Wash udder with warm water and mild soap.
 Clean mare/wrap tail before foaling.

When the foal is born:

Make sure the foal's nostrils are clear so it can breathe.
 If needed, you can dry the foal with a towel (most mares will clean their foals).
 Treat foal's umbilical stump with iodine for the first several days to prevent infection.
 Test Igg levels in the foal 24 hours after nursing.

Normal Foals will:

Get up within an hour
 Nurse within 2-4 hours (they must nurse within 24)
 Pass meconium (first poop) by 6 hours.

Mare care after foaling:

After foaling, she should stand within 30 minutes
 Placenta should be dropped within about 3 hours
 Tie up placenta if it is not dropped right away so it is not stepped on and pulled out (tie it to itself)
 Do not pull placenta out, as it can rip and remain in mare (causing infection).
 Examine placenta to ensure no pieces have remained in the mare.

Foaling Time Table	
Date/Time	Key Event:
	Bagged up:
	Waxed:
	Started Labor:
	Water Broke:
	Amnion Appeared:
	Clear Head & Shoulder:
	Treat Umbilical Stump:
	Foal Stood:
	Placenta Passed:
	Foal Nursed:
	Foal Passed Meconium:
	Inspection of Placenta
	Igg test on foal 24 hrs after nursing.

Notes: