

# It's Time to Schedule Spring Vaccinations and Wellness Care

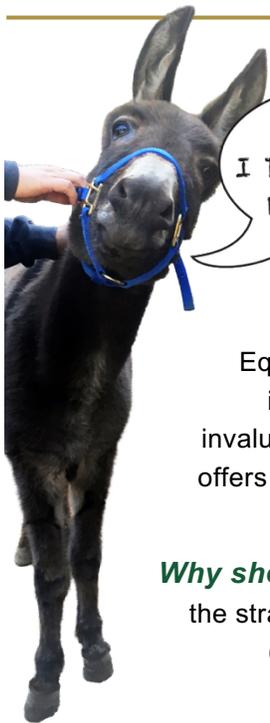


**Steinbeck Peninsula Equine** veterinarians recommend administering spring vaccinations for horses, mules, and donkeys in advance of warming weather. Our veterinarians will custom-tailor a risk-based vaccine recommendation to meet your animal's specific healthcare needs.

**To vaccinate or not to vaccinate?** If you're unsure or want to learn more about the pros and cons, check out "The Great Vaccination Debate" an article by our Internal Medicine Director, Dr. Laramie Winfield: <https://www.steinbeckpeninsulaequine.com/post/vaccination-debate>

**SPECIAL BUNDLE PRICING:** We offer a special discount for a routine blood panel and fecal egg count scheduled together with vaccinations. If you would like us to do a fecal egg count, please provide a fresh manure sample in a sealed baggie marked with your horse's name and your name.

**SPECIAL GROUP PRICING:** It pays to plan a "Vaccination Clinic" at your facility! If we vaccinate 10 or more animals during one visit to a single location, the call fee is waived.



But...  
I DON'T LIKE  
NEEDLES!

**Why is annual bloodwork important?** Our bloodwork panel can help detect signs of infection, as well as issues with organ systems.

For example, horses on long-term medications such as Banamine, Bute, or Equioxx are at increased risk of kidney and gut issues. Early detection and treatment can be invaluable in these cases. Routine bloodwork also offers a baseline of values, which we can use as a comparison in case of illness in the future.

**Why should you get a fecal egg count?** Due to the high incidence of parasite resistance, the strategic use of de-wormers is key. De-worming based on the results of a fecal egg count (FEC) is the current gold standard for effective equine parasite control. Plus, programs that offer colic treatment insurance typically require an annual FEC.



*Dr. Hailey Everett encourages her equine patient to relax while drawing blood*

**PLEASE CALL YOUR NEAREST OFFICE TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT:**



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