



Castration App

Client Information Sheet

Available on Android and iOS devices

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Aim

To collect data on equine castrations, initially on the surgical procedure itself and then to monitor horses following castration to assess the recovery process and track any potential complications.

Step by Step Guide

1. Your vet will fill in a short questionnaire on the app following castration of your horse. Once they have completed their section, you will receive an email with a link to the app.
2. Download and register as an owner, using the same email address. You will receive an email to confirm your account.
3. You will have the option to view cases and your horse will appear with information on general health and signalment available.
4. You can then fill in a short questionnaire 24 hours after the procedure, unless your horse was castrated in a hospital setting and has not yet returned home.
5. This questionnaire should be filled in on day 3, 5 and 7 postoperatively. These questions are focussed on general behaviour, surgical site appearance and any reported complications.
6. There are also two brief questionnaires 14 days and 3 months postoperatively, that you will get an email reminder to fill in.

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