

STATE OF DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

HARNESS RACING COMMISSION

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ATTENTION: Licensees Taking Prescription Medication

"A licensee is responsible for giving notice to the Chief Investigator that he or she is using a controlled substance or prescription drug under a valid prescription from a licensed physician. No licensee using a controlled substance or prescription drug will be allowed to participate in racing activities unless the physician has certified that the use of the controlled substance or prescription drug, when used as prescribed, will not adversely affect the licensee's ability to properly and safely carry out his or her responsibilities." DHRC Rule 5.1.8.2.7.1

Please request to speak with Chief Investigator Lauren Torres for more Information or contact her by email at: lauren.torres@delaware.gov

- 1. Licensees will have 30 days from the date of licensure to provide the required information.
- 2. A licensee may be drug tested within those 30 days. If tested, then the licensee will not be excused from the paddock for not having the required information on file with the DHRC during those 30 days.
- 3. If a licensee is drug tested <u>after</u> 30 days from license application date and the required prescription information is not on file with the DHRC, then the licensee <u>will be immediately excused</u> from the paddock until the required information is received.