

## **Acceptable Microchips**

Only a 15-digit read-only ISO compliant 11784 / 11785 microchip implanted in the nuchal ligament on the left side of the horse's neck is accepted under USEF rules.



#### **Competition Year 2018**

Horses that are not microchipped will not be eligible for Federation and/or USHJA programs or awards. This is meant to be a transitional year for microchip requirements.



## **Competition Year 2019**

Horses that are competing in classes which require USHJA registration which are not microchipped will be ineligible to compete in Federation licensed competitions.

# **Everything You Need To Know**



About USEF Microchipping Rules for Hunter/Jumper/Hunter Jumper Equitation





## 9-0-0 Microchips

Microchips beginning with 9-0-0 are not eligible under USEF rules, even though they are accepted by FEI. 9-0-0 is a manufacturer code that was given to multiple manufacturers, allowing for possibility for duplicates. Other microchips with manufacturer prefixes beginning with 9 are acceptable.



## Pre-existing Microchips

If a horse already has an acceptable microchip, the number should be reported to USEF. If it is not acceptable, a compliant chip should be inserted and both numbers should be reported to USEF.



## Reporting Microchip Numbers

Microchip number(s) can be reported on a horse's record in a member's "My USEF My Way" account, on a Microchip Reporting Form by email to horseservices@usef.org or fax to (859)231-6662, or completing the microchip field on a USEF Horse Recording ID Application.