


AGENCY PROFILE

What veterinary practices need to know about regulatory agencies.

Agency Name	California Horse Racing Board
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General Info/ Agency Mission	<p>The mission of the California Horse Racing Board is to ensure the integrity, viability, and safety of the California horse racing industry by regulating pari-mutuel wagering for the protection of the public, promoting horse racing, breeding, and wagering opportunities, and fostering safe racing through the development and enforcement of track safety standards and regulations for the health and welfare of all participants.</p>
Legal Authority	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • California Business and Professions Code Section 19400 -19668 • CHRB Rule Book (California Code of Regulations)
What it means to you	<p>While the California Veterinary Medical Board (VMB) has the ultimate jurisdiction over veterinary practice and veterinary licenses, the CHRB imposes additional requirements for veterinarians who work on the track. Several rules apply to veterinarians who practice on tracks that involve record keeping, time, amount and type of medications administered, lameness reporting, and more.</p> <p>The CHRB Racing Safety Program conducts post-mortem examinations on every horse that dies within CHRB jurisdiction.</p> <p>The Medication and Track Safety Committee sets several of the rules pertaining to veterinary practice on tracks.</p>
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