

Linking good land management with horse health

Property Management Plans and property record keeping is important. Keep records of all horse, visitor and contractor movements on and off the property.

Chemicals need to be carefully stored, used and containers disposed of to avoid entering watercourses.

Clean out horse floats and compost manure on site, or dispose of manure to another property that does not have horses.

Place parking areas near the property boundary. This contains the introduction of weed seeds and reduces interaction of visiting horses with resident horses.

Restrict access to watercourses.

Isolate new horses to observe health status. This also allows weed seeds and worms to pass through the horse, preventing spread over your property.

Shelter belts placed around the property boundary increase habitat and reduce nose to nose contact with neighbouring horses.