



# DNA Submission Form

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Use this form when REGISTERING a foal/horse OR when requesting PROOF OF PARENTAGE.

Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Horse Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### FOAL/HORSE REGISTRATION:

1. Thoroughly wash and dry hands.
2. Pull approximately 20 – 30 mane or tail hairs by wrapping hair around forefinger. For foals, use tail hairs only.
3. Grasp hair close to the body to include roots. Pull straight toward your body. Visually check roots are attached to hair. **DO NOT TOUCH ROOT BULBS.**
4. Place sample in shaded box (below) with roots at left. Tape in place with tape over hair shaft.
5. Send to RMHA Headquarters along with fee and Registry Form or DNA Analysis Form.

### PROOF OF PARENTAGE without Registration Form:

1. Request DNA Analysis form from RMHA.
2. Complete DNA form as required. Owner/Agent is to sign at bottom of form as well as person collecting hair samples.
3. Follow above instructions for collecting DNA sample.
4. If hair is very long, cut the end hairs (not bulb end) so that they are no longer than three inches in length.
5. Fold this form with the attached hair samples so the hair is on the inside and mail envelope as soon as possible.
6. Mail the white copy of DNA form with hair samples & fee to the University of Kentucky.
7. Retain the pink copy of DNA form for your records.
8. Mail the yellow copy of DNA form to:

RMHA Headquarters  
 4037 Ironworks Parkway, Suite 160  
 Lexington KY 40511-8508

<b>Place</b>	<b>Tape</b>	<b>Place rest of hair here</b>
<b>Roots</b>	<b>Here</b>	
<b>Here</b>		