

ALLERGY MANAGEMENT CHECKLIST

TIPS AND MEDICATIONS

While it is unrealistic to complete **all** the management tips listed below – the more you do, the better chance you have of providing your horse relief.

SKIN ISSUES

Skin diseases in horses are prevalent throughout the year, though some types may be seasonal. These issues can be caused by various infectious agents—bacteria, viruses, fungi, parasites, or environmental irritants. Promptly treating the disease is critical, not only to alleviate your horse's discomfort, (such as itchiness and soreness), but also to improve their overall health.

Date	Maintenance Tips	Date	Medications
	Remove manure		Pramoxine HCl sprays/lotions
	Eliminate standing water		Fly sprays
	Minimize dust in barn		Fly deterrent supplement
	Improve ventilation		Antioxidants
	Bed on low dust chopped paper/ cardboard		MSM
	Bathe with oatmeal shampoo, fatty acid shampoo, or HC formulation		Omega-3 fatty acids
	Place fans in stalls	Sources: A closeup look at equine skin diseases; Ed Kane, PhD. DVM360. http://veterinarynews.dvm360.com/closeup-look-equine-skin-diseases	
	Fly mask/sheet		