

# DNA Hair Kit Order Form



## American Paint Horse Association

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W.O. # \_\_\_\_\_

Charge CCD \_\_\_\_\_

Initials \_\_\_\_\_

### DNA Facts and Tips

Be sure to include each horse's name and registration number as well as the \$60 fee. It is not necessary to use this form when ordering a kit. If you do not use this form, be certain that all of the pertinent information is included.

Mane hair is used to derive the DNA. If a foal is being tested, it is necessary to pull **tail** hair as the roots of a foal's mane hair are too small.

Horses required to have a DNA genetic type on file include all breeding stallions (Paint, Quarter Horse and Thoroughbred), mares bred using cooled transported/frozen semen, dams of horses intended to race and donor mares in the embryo transfer program.

Horses required to have parentage verification include all cropout horses, foals resulting from cooled transported semen, embryo transfers and **all** race horses foaled on or after January 1, 2000.

When ordering DNA Hair Kits, please keep in mind that normal processing time for a parentage verification is from 2 to 4 weeks after the sire, dam and subject horse have a genetic type on file at the laboratory.

In the event of the death of a parent or it's unavailability, the option of forensic or derivation testing is available. It is, however, much more expensive. Forensic testing involves the testing of a deceased animal's remains and begins at \$300. Derivation testing is conducted utilizing offspring and costs are based on individual test circumstances.

**If you have a Quarter Horse (stallion or mare) that has already been genetically tested through AQHA, we will accept those test results. Please send a copy of the testing verification that you have received from AQHA containing the horse's name, micro-satellite markers and lab case number.**

**If you have a Thoroughbred (stallion or mare) with a blood type on file with the Jockey Club we will accept those results. It will be necessary that you send us a written authorization to obtain that information directly from the Jockey Club.**

DNA hair kits may be ordered over the telephone if you wish to pay by Visa, MasterCard or American Express.

☐ **Please check here** if you need parentage verification for racing, embryo transfer, cooled shipped/frozen semen or cropout foals. (If the horse is unregistered the Registration Application must accompany this form.)

Registered Name of Horse

APHA Registration Number

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Owner's APHA ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Address for Mailing of DNA Hair Kit(s):

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please include \$60 per horse.** This fee covers the cost of the kit as well as the laboratory and recording fees.

If you wish to have a copy of the DNA test results sent to another organization, please include a written request, signed by the horse's owner of record or authorized agent.

For additional information concerning DNA testing requirements, please see the left side of this form.

**If paying by credit card, please provide the following.**

☐ Visa    ☐ MasterCard    ☐ American Express

Card Holder's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ CVV#: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Card Holder's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

*Requests for DNA Hair Kits should be mailed to:*

AMERICAN PAINT HORSE ASSOCIATION

Field Services

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**If you need additional information, call (817) 834-2742, extension 777.**