

The Inside Rail



Can I alter a stand down period?

If an On Track Veterinarian (OTV) applies a stand down period to your greyhound, there are instances in which that period can be altered. The process for trainers to follow depends on why scratching occurred:

DUE TO INJURY

Apply to stewards to have an OTV re-examine the greyhound. Trainers can only make one application.



DUE TO SEASONAL CONDITION

Supply certificate from your vet stating the greyhound is "no longer in season" at the time of examination.



DUE TO FLEAS

Supply certificate from your vet stating the condition "no longer exists" at the time of examination.



DUE TO CONDITION/ILLNESS

Supply certificate from your vet stating the greyhound is "free of the illness or condition and is fit to start" at the time of examination. Only applies to stand down period of 14 days or more.

Safeguard our sport

We all share a responsibility to make sure our young and vulnerable people enjoy greyhound racing in a strong, safe and supportive environment.



So if you see something which is a concern, let us know through our confidential and anonymous reporting system.

Scan to report a concern



Get ready to race with confidence

Wondering if a particular supplement/medication is **exempt**, **prohibited** or **permanently banned**? This is where the new **Race Well** smartphone app will help you. While you are still responsible for ensuring appropriate supplements/medications are administered to your greyhounds, **Race Well** is designed to act as an educational tool to help you make informed decisions. It is **FREE** for all NSW participants and it is coming soon!



We're just checking

There are more than 30 locations across the state where you can take your greyhound to be checked in. Simply scan below to view the list.

If you can't get to one of these, just contact us on 13 49 42 and we can make arrangements.



From the Stewards' box

SWITCHING GEAR? CHECK FIRST! GWIC has compiled a list of both mandatory and permitted gear for greyhounds racing in NSW. Permitted gear may be applied on a race course if approved.

What is permitted race course gear?

- Bandages
- Harness
- Mattress (race bed)
- Collar
- Compression suits
- Rain coats
- Cold weather rugs
- Toe bands
- Cooling vests
- Head check
- Blinkers
- Blanket/towel



Remember: It is an offence under LR156s to tamper with any gear used on a greyhound.

Code of practice

Part 6: Transporting greyhounds

TRAVEL IN COMFORT: Compartments and cages used for transporting greyhounds must be waterproof, have adequate ventilation and be maintained at a comfortable temperature and level of humidity for greyhounds.

