



If you have questions regarding the requirements to participate in an FEI competition, please contact Kristen Brett, USEF Director, Endurance (kbrett@usef.org).

If you are 18 years of age or older and selected by the USEF to compete on a team or as an individual at a designated team event, as of January 1, 2020, you are required to comply with the updated USEF Background Check Policy. Athletes are strongly encouraged to review the [Background Check Policy Requirements](#) for more information.

As of Jan 1, 2019 every USEF adult member (18 years of age or older) with a Competing Membership must complete the [U.S. Center for SafeSport Training](#). A 30 day grace period to complete the SafeSport Training will be provided to all members who renew or join on or after December 1, 2018. Members joining prior to December 1, 2018 will have until January 1, 2019 to complete the training. Those who do not complete the training within the grace period will be ineligible to participate in USEF activities, including competitions.

MEMBERSHIP	ATHLETE	OWNER	TRAINER	HORSE
USEF Membership	√	√	√	
FEI Rider Registration	√		√	
USEF Life Horse Recording (FEI Registration & Passport Requirement)				√
FEI Horse Registration & Microchip Information				√
FEI Novice Qualifications	Athletes or horses competing for the first time at the FEI 1* level. USEF submits novice qualifications to the FEI on behalf of the athlete and horse.			
USEF National Passport	Horses competing at the 1* or 2* Levels; Horses registered and competing for the first time with USEF & FEI are required to obtain a USEF National Passport or FEI Passport.			
FEI Passport	Horses competing at the 3* Level; Horses competing at FEI Championships (i.e., WEG, World Endurance Championship, Young Rider World Endurance Championship, Pan American Championship); Horses competing outside of the U.S. including Canada or Mexico.			
FEI Endurance Log Sheet	1* and 2* horses competing without a USEF National Passport or FEI Passport and registered with the USEF and FEI prior to December 31, 2016			