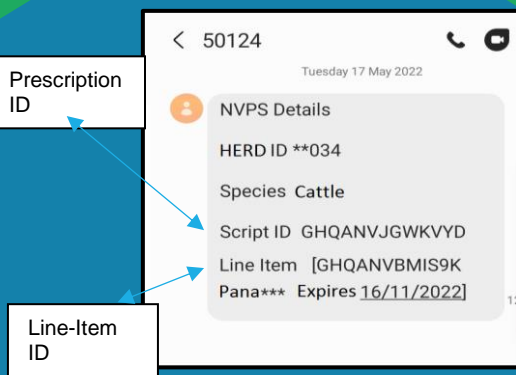


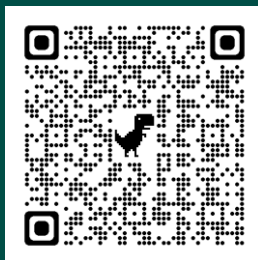
Prescribing Process on NVPS

1. The NVPS allows you to generate a prescription and record your administering and dispensing actions.
2. Vets can associate their clients to ensure the system is prepopulated with client data.
3. If you are writing a prescription that will be dispensed later, the keeper will receive a text message (SMS) with the Prescription and Line-item ID (see image below).
4. The keeper can use the Prescription and/or Line-item ID to have the prescription(s) dispensed with any dispenser of their own choosing.
5. The NVPS will generate a PDF for all administered and dispensed prescriptions. If your customer has provided an email address, a copy of the script will be issued directly to them. This PDF can also be downloaded and printed for the keeper's records.

NVPS SUMMARY SMS



Registration Forms, FAQs and more detailed information available at:



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National Veterinary Prescription System



Information for Vets



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What is the National Veterinary Prescription System (NVPS)?

The National Veterinary Prescription System (NVPS) is a Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine (DAFM) built Veterinary Prescription Application. All administered, dispensed and prescribed veterinary medicinal products including antiparasitics and medicated feed for food producing animals and all horses, must be recorded on the system directly or via an approved software interface. The app is free to acquire and use.

When will I have to begin using the NVPS?

The NVPS is currently operational on a voluntary basis but is scheduled for release to all vets shortly. At present the system applies to prescriptions generated for food producing animals and all horses. Companion animal prescriptions on the NVPS are not currently scheduled to commence prior to 2027.

Software Interface

For practices with existing prescription software systems, we are offering an integration solution from these software systems to the NVPS via Application Programming Interface (API) technology. This means you can continue to use your existing system and your software company will upload the data seamlessly to the NVPS. The DAFM continues to contact all software companies to discuss integration. Please ensure your software provider has begun work on integrations with the NVPS.

You may need to register to use NVPS

If you need to move from your current process to comply with the new prescribing rules (for example, a practitioner that is presently using paper prescriptions) the NVPS is available for free and is fully compliant. To use the NVPS you need to be registered on AgFood.

- Practices will need to complete a Corporate Customer System (CCS) form if they are not registered with DAFM.
- Each vet and admin staff member in your practice will need to complete the (Single Sign On) SSO form, which will need to be posted to NVPS to complete the registration process. If you have an existing AGR number from AgFood you do not need to do anymore.
- CCS and SSO Forms can be downloaded from our NVPS webpage.
- Once you are registered you will receive log in details to access NVPS shortly before the scheduled system release.



Client Association for NVPS

The NVPS can prepopulate your client's data such as Name, Address etc. directly into the NVPS when you are generating a prescription. To allow the NVPS to do this your practice will need to request your clients' permission via the NVPS Admin link on AgFood. This is a once off association permission - per client.

How to receive permission from your client:

- Practice staff need to log onto AgFood and find the 'NVPS Administration' link
- search for clients using the herd ID/fisheries ID/ flock ID or EPRN for equine
- issue an association request
- Clients will receive a test message (SMS) which they will need to approve
- Once approved, client details will auto populate on the NVPS app when generating a prescription

Note:

The NVPS Administration link can also be used to

- Add or remove any veterinary practitioners working for or leaving your practice.