

Invitation and invitation to the

EQUITANA ISICUP 2025

on March 12, 2025 at Messe Essen



Location: Messe Essen, Messeplatz 1, 45131 Essen

Date: **March 12, 2025, 2:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.**

Organizer: Reed Exhibitions, Völklinger Straße 4, 40219 Düsseldorf

Tournament director: Christiane Ullmann

Moderation: Henning Drath

Judges: Lutz Lesener, Sonja Mäsger

Entries: An application must be sent to mail@eyja.net by **January 15, 2025**, EQUITANA will subsequently issue an invitation for binding registration.

Arrival: March 12, 2025, Messe Essen, P1

Accommodation for the horses: Boxes can be provided subject to availability and registration.

Riding area: **Indoor oval track**, outside dimensions approx. 25 x 63 meters, sand (jumping surface, rolled)

Tests:	1. tölt T8	slow to fast tölt on both hands
	2. four gaited V2	slow tölt, trot, walk, canter, fast tölt
	3. five gaited F2	Any speed tölt, trot, walk, canter, 3x race pace

Special provisions

The FIPO regulations (www.feif.org) and the national regulations (www.ipzv.de) apply. Eligible to participate are riders born in 2009 or later, horses born in 2019 or later. All competitions are ridden and scored together, there is no separate ranking for young riders (U21).

It is possible to participate with one or two horses. Please complete the attached entry form accordingly. You will have sufficient time between the competitions to take a breather or change horses.

HEALTH REGULATIONS:

- As things stand at present (the final version of the health and animal welfare regulations will be sent to participants in advance), the requirements for taking part in EQUITANA, i.e. being able to enter the event grounds, are as follows
- a veterinary health certificate for horses from Germany, not older than 5 days, horses from abroad must be registered separately with EQUITANA.

- Before the horses are unloaded onto the event grounds, all horses must undergo an official veterinary (external) examination. The state of health of the animals, the equine/FEI passports and the health certificate will be checked. Horses with incomplete vaccinations (see below), missing documents or in case of illness will be excluded from EQUITANA.

Vaccinations:

- Basic immunisation against equine influenza is mandatory.
- The vaccination must not be older than six months. The last vaccination must have taken place at least 14 days before the event.
- Vaccination against herpes viruses and tetanus is recommended
- If necessary, we reserve the right to order measures to prevent herpes diseases in horses (e.g. regular temperature checks on site).

Participation is at your own risk. The organiser accepts no liability whatsoever. During the entire event, the rider/owner remains the animal owner within the meaning of §834 BGB. The horses must have sufficient liability insurance. The rider/owner is fully liable according to §833 BGB.

The event will be documented photographically and in moving images. These media products are intended for internal use by the organiser as well as for publication on the EQUITANA website and such Icelandic horse media as www.ipzv.de, www.eyja.net/.tv, 'Das Islandpferd' etc. and for ClipMyHorse.

By entering the exhibition centre and taking part in the show, participants and guests declare their consent within the meaning of the GDPR that they may be photographed and filmed and that these products may be stored and reproduced. All photo and film rights go to EQUITANA. The current hygiene rules of the City of Essen (www.essen.de) and the State of North Rhine-Westphalia (www.nrw.de) and the trade fair organiser apply at the time of the event.