

Falls



Please note that a fall during a dressage test, show jumping round or cross country round will result in **ELIMINATION**.

A Competitor who falls in the warm up of any phase must not remount until he has been examined by an Event Doctor and allowed to continue. If the Doctor does not allow the Competitor to remount and start the test, the Competitor must follow the procedure set out in Rule 9.2.

A Competitor who has fallen from a Horse must be examined by an Event Doctor after the fall, he must follow the directions of that doctor. If the doctor has not allowed him to continue on that or any other horse, he must withdraw that horse from the competition and if he has other rides at that event, those horses must also be withdrawn (see Rule 4.9) or other arrangements made;

Under no circumstances must a Competitor leave the Event site after a fall until he has been examined by an Event Doctor.

It is the responsibility of the Competitor to ensure compliance with these rules. Failure to do so is likely to incur a disciplinary sanction. **A competitor who does so will be automatically medically suspended and must follow the procedure set out in Rule 9.3.2.3.**

Please refer to Rule 9.2: Rider Falls and Medical Checks.