## Emergency cards Colic







Restlessness = rolling, sweating, trembling, upper lip curl (flehm)

Missing defecation, in some cases diarrhea

Often no interest in feed or water

Lack or abscense of sounds of bowel movement

**Apathy** 

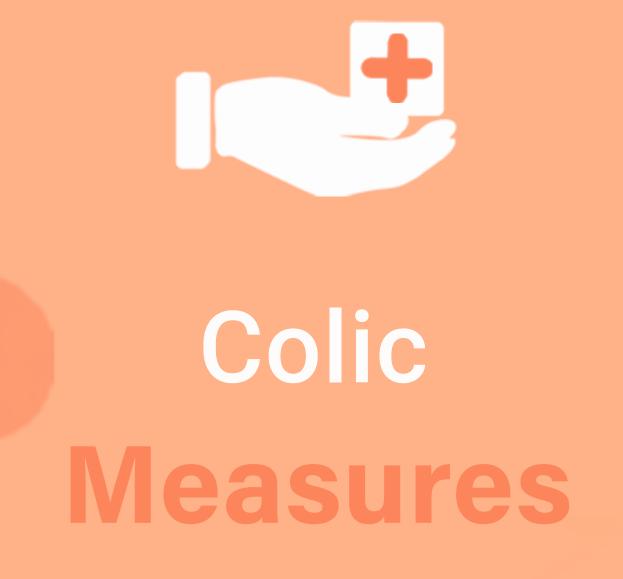
Various ways of stretching, kicking and looking towards the stomach.

Increased pulse and respiration

Changed color of mucosal membranes

Cold extremities (e.g. Ears)





## Call the vet immediately

If the horse isn't rolling in an uncontrollable manner putting itself and others in danger, try to walk it until the vet arrives.

Avoid walking the horse with a pulse over 60 bpm

Take note of when the horse last ate, was
seen drinking and whether it has been defecting or urinating.

In cold weather: keep the horse warm by using a rug

If possible measure temperature (Pay attention to your own safety)

If the horse has diarrhea, maintain good hygiene for yourself, other horses and people. (Danger of bacteria and/or parasites)

