

Melanomas in Horses

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Please circle one answer only e.g. **A**

- Melanomas are a common tumour in which colour of horse?
 - Chestnut
 - Bay
 - Grey
 - Palamino
- Melanomas are considered more common in?
 - Geldings
 - Mares
 - Stallions
 - All of the above equally
- Melanomas are thought to be caused by?
 - Viral infection
 - Bacterial infection
 - Ultraviolet light
 - Abnormal proliferation of pigment-containing skin cells
- Which of the following statements is true?
 - Melanomas never spread internally
 - Internal spread is rare
 - Internal spread is common but rarely problematic
 - All melanomas cause fatal internal disease
- Which of the following treatments is most likely to be effective?
 - Surgery and/or cryotherapy
 - Cimetidine tablets
 - Vaccination with melanoma extract
 - Radiotherapy
- The risk of melanomas:
 - Increases with age
 - Decreases with age
 - Is the same at any age
 - Is especially high in yearlings
- Which of the following is NOT a typical site for melanomas?
 - The legs
 - The tail
 - Beneath the ears
 - Around the anus
- Melanomas most commonly appear as:
 - Dark nodules within the skin
 - Open ulcerated areas
 - Hairless, scaly areas
 - Large fluid-filled swellings