

Nasal Strips have been added to the National Gear list and from 1 April 2009 are approved for use in races, subject to the following requirements (in South Australia) –

1. Only Nasal Strips of a design and specification approved by the Stewards shall be fitted to a horse.  
(**Note:** The “Flair” product is currently the only one approved)
2. Nasal Strips must be affixed in accord with the manufacturer’s instructions.
3. The Trainer must affect any change to the gear approved for any horse prior to acceptance time.
4. The horse must have trialled or galloped satisfactorily wearing a Nasal Strip.
5. Prior to being presented for any race, to ensure the Nasal Strip is correctly fitted, the horse shall be examined by the Club’s Veterinary Surgeon.

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