

During a rain event the Turf Track Supervisor will continually monitor turf course to determine the amount of moisture in the track by using the following methods:

- Visual inspections;
- Walking the course;
- Using a GoingStick or probe.

If the Turf Track Supervisor determines there is too much moisture in the track and could be unsafe, he will notify the General Manager immediately. The decision to take races off or leave races on the turf shall be made by the General Manager of the association subject to confirmation by the Board of Stewards.

f. Air Quality

The U.S. Air Quality Index (AQI) is an index developed by the Environmental Protection Agency to measure air quality. The higher the number (1-500), the higher the level of concern. The projected AQI for a given location can be found at <https://www.airnow.gov/>. Tracks may also utilize on-site AQI monitors.

Daily AQI Color	Levels of Concern	Values of Index	Description of Air Quality
Green	Good	0 to 50	Air quality is satisfactory, and air pollution poses little or no risk.
Yellow	Moderate	51 to 100	Air quality is acceptable. However, there may be a risk for some people, particularly those who are unusually sensitive to air pollution.
Orange	Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups	101 to 150	Members of sensitive groups may experience health effects. The general public is less likely to be affected.
Red	Unhealthy	151 to 200	Some members of the general public may experience health effects; members of sensitive groups may experience more serious health effects.
Purple	Very Unhealthy	201 to 300	Health alert: The risk of health effects is increased for everyone.
Maroon	Hazardous	301 and higher	Health warning of emergency conditions: everyone is more likely to be affected.

AQI=100-150

Monitor the facility daily if the AQI consistently reaches 100 and there is cause for concern in the local environment, including the presence of a wildfire in the area.

AQI= 150-174

Closely monitor the facility and may limit training to jogging and/or jogging and gallops only and be prepared to take further action if conditions worsen.

AQI = 175+

Restrict activity at the track, including but not limited to:

- Canceling live racing (if applicable);
- Canceling official workouts; and
- Prohibiting galloping, breezing or anything more strenuous than a jog.