

Here's how to make your foal of 2017 a registered NY-bred in order to take advantage of the awards program run by the New York Thoroughbred Breeding and Development Fund:

Non-resident mares

If your mare lives outside New York State, she must arrive at a New York farm well in advance of her due date such that she can travel safely and will be comfortable in her new surroundings before she delivers her foal.

As soon as she arrives, please ask the management at her new farm to fill out the Mare Arrival Form that can be found on our site [here](#).

She must remain in NYS for at least 90 days after foaling, during which time she must be bred back to a registered New York stallion.

Resident mares bred to out-of-state stallions

If sent to a stallion outside of NYS, the mare must return to New York within 90 days of her last cover date. The mare must then remain in the state continuously through foaling. In this case, there is no breed-back requirement.

Resident mares sent out of state to be sold at public auction

Resident mares can maintain their resident status when sent to sales outside the state through the filing of a mare "leave of absence." No more than 15 days in advance of the sale, simply complete the Broodmare Leave of Absence form that can be found on our site [here](#). When the mare leaves the state, a Mare Departure Form, which can be found on our site [here](#), should be completed. The new owner must ship the mare back to NY within 15 days of the final day of the sale in which the mare was purchased, and must then complete the Mare Arrival Form that can be found on our site [here](#). In this case, the mare will remain a "resident mare."

Cost to register a NY-bred foal

It costs \$50 to register a foal with the Breeding Fund by December 31st of the year in which it was foaled.

Jockey Club Certification

Please note that no horse can be registered as a NY-bred without first receiving certification from the Jockey Club.

If you have further questions, please send them to nybreds@nybreds.com or call the Fund's Schenectady office at (518) 388-0174.