

## USHJA POLICY STATEMENT

**Subject: Emerging Jumper Rider Task Force Charter**

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### **Emerging Jumper Rider Task Force**

The **Emerging Jumper Rider Task Force** is a Jumper Working Group Task Force that reports to the Jumper Working Group. Members shall serve terms of 2 years.

The work of the Emerging Jumper Rider Task Force supports the USHJA mission.

The task force's goal is to:

- Develop young riders from the Pony Jumper level to International Show Jumping
- Promote and provide the first step in the joint USHJA/USEF Show Jumping Pathway
- Develop and promote the USHJA Zone Jumper Team Championship program, to include the Children's and Adult Amateurs (1.10/1.15m), 1.20/1.25m Junior/Amateurs, the 1.30/1.35m Junior/Amateurs, and 1.40/1.45m Platinum.

The purpose of the Emerging Jumper Rider Task Force is to consider any policies or programs within their respective areas of expertise and make recommendations to the Jumper Working Group.

Responsibilities:

- Develop an emerging athlete pathway
- Oversee the Emerging Jumper Rider Program including development and coordination of the Gold Star Clinics
- Review Zone Jumper Team Championship Specifications annually
- Review Chef d'Equipe criteria
- Oversee the Zone Jumper Team Championships annually