



National Rottweiler Council (Australia)
Hip/Elbow Dysplasia and Eye and Dental Paperwork

INSTRUCTIONS

Please keep a copy of these instructions to assist with successful completion of your HD/ED X-ray and Eye/Dental Certificate.

Follow the below steps once you have received your paperwork from your State Club Breed Recorder

1. **The NRC(A) ID Number will be stamped on NRC(A) paperwork and typed on CHEDS Paperwork.** The same number will be on the Eye/Dental Certificates. The email address of the NRC(A) Breed Recorder is also included on NRC(A) Paperwork and the CHEDS Submission Form for return of results.
2. Arrange an appointment to have your dog x-rayed. Take the paperwork you have been issued to the appointment. A copy of the Pedigree is required at the Vets to confirm ID/Microchip Number. It is the Owners responsibility to ensure all details are entered and correct prior to the dog/bitch being x-rayed and to advise their Vet of the x-ray ID requirements.
3. **The Vet must assess the bite while the dog is awake.** Counting teeth is best done while the dog is under anaesthetic. The Hip & Elbow X-ray must be taken under General Anaesthetic.
4. A buccal swab or blood should also be collected for testing for **Juvenile Laryngeal Paralysis Polyneuropathy (JLPP)** and send to a Laboratory e.g., Laboklin, OFA, or Orivet. When the result and certificate is received it should be forwarded to the NRC(A) Breed Recorder and your State Breed Recorder.
5. **The x-ray plates must be identified with the dog's registered name, microchip number, ANKC Registration Number, the individual NRC(A) Identification number, date the x-ray is taken, sex and R and L markers.** Make certain that the Vet has completed all parts of the forms he/she is required to, including signature.
6. Send X-ray and completed NRC(A) or CHEDS HD/ED paperwork to the reader of your choice from the [NRC\(A\) List of Official Readers](#) together with payment of fees. Your vet may elect to do an online submission if using CHEDS paperwork, if so, please make sure that the Vet includes the **NRC(A) ID Number and NRC(A) Breed Recorder email address** when making the online submission so that the result will meet the requirements of the scheme. The Vet should upload the NRC(A) CHEDS submission form with the x-ray.
7. **Do not send the Eye and Dental Certificate to the Reader.** Keep the white copy of the completed Dental and Eye Certificate and forward the yellow copy to your State Breed Recorder and the blue copy to the National Breed Recorder.
8. Results from the Reader should be sent to you, your Vet and the NRC(A) Breed Recorder whether NRC(A) or CHEDS paperwork is used. The State Breed Recorder will be forwarded a copy from the NRC(A) Breed Recorder. When you receive your result via email from the Reader you may forward these to your State Breed Recorder and the NRC(A) Breed Recorder if you wish. The result will be listed in the National Hip Dysplasia Register once received by the NRC(A) Breed Recorder.
9. The Hip x-ray and Dental and Eye Examination can be done by any Veterinarian. It is possible to get a Specialist Eye Examination, although this is not compulsory.



National Rottweiler Council (Australia) Application For Hip and Elbow Dysplasia and Eye and Mouth Paperwork

Name of Rottweiler:			
Registration Number:		Date of Birth:	
Microchip Number:		Sex:	
Sire:		Reg. Number:	
Dam:		Reg. Number:	
Breeder:			

Please include a copy of registration certificate and any reports

Owner:			
Address:		State	Postcode:
Phone:		Email:	

Select whether NRC(A) or CHEDS paperwork will be used. Your state Breed Recorder will issue the appropriate paperwork. For an overview of the CHEDS scheme see [Canine Health Database \(ankc.org.au\)](http://caninehealthdatabase.org.au)

NRC(A) HD/ED Paperwork and Eye and Mouth Certificate	☐
CHEDS paperwork and Eye and Mouth Certificate	☐

I/We agree that these results can be published by the Rottweiler Club in our State/Territory and the National Rottweiler Council (Australia) and can be incorporated in to the National Breed Records.

Owner Signature:		Date:	
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Post or scan and email this completed Application to the Breed Recorder in your State/Territory with a copy of the Registered Pedigree and an A4 stamped self-addressed envelope for return of documents. **No photos of application or pedigree please as these can be difficult to read.**

**See over for further detailed instructions on completing
HD/ED X-ray and Eye/Dental Certificate.**

State Club:	Rottweiler Club of Qld Inc				
Fees:	Members:	\$ 15.00	Non Members:	\$ 20.00	<i>Direct Deposit preferred. Cheques are acceptable, no cash please.</i>
Bank Name:	Westpac Bank	BSB:	034-059	Account No.:	462416

Please use your name as the Reference.

Send Completed Application to:

Breed Recorder Name:			
Breed Recorder Address:	rcqld@yahoo.com.au		
Email:	rcqld@yahoo.com.au	Phone:	

Office Use Only:				
Date Received:		Number Allocated:		Sent: