

1. Dietary changes may be prescribed. Dietary deficiencies and imbalances are magnified in the horse's hoof. All dietary recommendations and assessments are based upon the standards set forth by the National Research Council's 2007 Edition of Nutrient Requirements of Horses, as interpreted by Dr. Eleanor Kellon, DVM, of Equine Nutritional Solutions.

Individual diet analyses are available at a rate of \$100 per diet. Price does not include forage testing.

2. Boots and pads may be required during your horse's transition. Boots and pads are used to facilitate proper movement, as well as to protect under-developed structures within the hoof during rehabilitation.

You may be required to purchase boots and pads at the time of the horse's set-up trim.

3. Hygiene treatments/routines may be prescribed to eradicate fungal and bacterial infections in the hoof.
4. The optimum trim schedule for your barefoot horse is every 4 weeks. I keep a very diligent schedule, and you can count on me to show up 4 weeks to the day from the last trim. The owner's presence is not required, but if you can, it's a good idea to attend your horse's appointment. It gives us an opportunity to discuss the horse's progress in person.

Failure to comply with any of the above as directed will seriously hinder your horse's barefoot prognosis, and may be grounds for termination of services.

This information will be kept in your horse's chart so that I can refer back to it as needed. This document is not intended to be a contract.

Please complete the following questionnaire to help me fully understand any issues that might effect your horse's hooves:

GENERAL INFORMATION

Horse's Name:

Breed:

Sex:

Age:

LIVING CONDITIONS

Please describe how the horse is housed (i.e., 24 X 24 corral, box stall with run, etc.)

How often is the horse's enclosure cleaned?

What sort of footing does the enclosure have (i.e., sand, DG, clay, stall mats)?

Is any bedding used? Please describe.

How often is the horse turned out for exercise, and for how long?

ACTIVITY

What type of work does the horse do?

Please indicate the level of the horse's current activity:

- Light exercise
- Moderate exercise (most competitive "hobby" horses):
- Heavy exercise (race training):

Frequency (days per week):

Pregnant mare

DIET

What type of forage is the horse currently eating? Approximately how many pounds per day?

What, if any, grains or commercial feeds does the horse get? Please include amounts in lbs per day.

What nutritional supplements, including preparations for coat, hoof, joint, digestion, calming, etc., is the horse currently being fed?

Is the horse on any type of feed-through wormer or fly control? If so, what?

Please list any treats the horse is fed on a regular basis:

MEDICAL HISTORY

Please list any medications the horse receives routinely, include dose and indication for use:

Does the horse receive routine injections of any kind, including glucosamine, Legend, Adequan? In what amounts?

Has the horse ever been diagnosed with navicular disease or navicular syndrome? These are TWO DIFFERENT DIAGNOSES...please consult your veterinarian to ascertain which diagnoses was made.

Has the horse ever been diagnosed with any type of metabolic disturbance or disease (Cushing's disease, thyroid irregularities, insulin resistance)? Please describe.

Does the horse have a history of rhabdomyolysis (tying up), or is the horse HYPP positive?

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Please list any other current or chronic medical conditions:
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CONTACT INFORMATION
Owner's Name:
Mailing Address:
Phone Number:
Email Address: