

Trails End Farm
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Participant's Medical History & Physician's Statement

Participant Name _____ DOB _____

Height _____ Weight _____

Diagnosis _____ Date of Onset _____

Medications _____

Past/Prospective _____

Surgeries _____

Seizures Y N Type _____ Controlled Y N Date of last seizure _____

Shunt Present Y N Date of last revision _____

Tetanus Shot Y N Date of last shot/booster _____

Special Precautions/Needs _____

Wheelchair Y N Independent Ambulation Y N Assisted Ambulation Y N

Braces / Assistive Device _____

Trails End Farm Therapeutic Riding & Progressive Strides Hippotherapy Program are designed to benefit participants physically, socially and emotionally. Safety equipment, specially trained horses and volunteers, and staff are used. In order to assure optimal protection and the greatest personal benefit from the program, each rider is required to furnish the following medical information before being accepted as a rider. ***NOTE: Because of the nature of the activity of horseback riding, individuals with the diagnosis of **Dome Syndrome** cannot be accepted for riding instruction **without proof of a negative diagnosis X-ray for atlanto-axial dislocation condition.**

X-ray Date _____ Result + -

Neurologic Symptoms of Atlanto Axial Instability _____

Please indicate if impairments exist in any of the following areas by checking Yes or No. If Yes, please comment, use attachments if necessary.

| Area | Yes | No | Comments |
|------------------------------------|-----|----|----------|
| Auditory | | | |
| Visual | | | |
| Tactile Sensation | | | |
| Speech | | | |
| Cardiac/Circulatory | | | |
| Immunity | | | |
| Pulmonary | | | |
| Neurological | | | |
| Muscular/Orthopedic/Balance | | | |
| Digestion/Elimination | | | |
| Learning Disabilities | | | |
| Emotional/Behavioral/Mental Health | | | |
| Allergies | | | |
| Cognitive Impairments | | | |
| Pain | | | |

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| Other | | | |
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GOALS _____

To my knowledge, there is no reason why this person cannot participate in supervised equine activities. However, I understand that a NARHA Instructor will weigh the medical information above against exciting precautions and contraindications. I concur with a review of this person's abilities/limitations by licensed/credentialed health professional (e.g. PT, OT, SLP, Psychologist, etc.) in the implementation of an effective equine program.

Name/ Title _____ MD DO NP PA Other _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone () _____ License/UPIN Number _____