



Your patient is interested in participating in supervised equine activities. In order to safely provide this service, The Red Barn requests that you complete/update the attached Medical History and Physician's Statement Form. Please note that the following conditions may suggest precautions and contraindications to equine activities. Therefore, when completing this form, please note whether these conditions are present, and to what degree.

**Orthopedic:**

Atlantoaxial Instability - include neurologic symptoms  
Coxarthrosis  
Cranial Defects  
Heterotopic Ossification/Myositis Ossificans  
Joint subluxation/dislocation  
Osteoporosis  
Pathologic Fractures  
Spinal Joint Fusion/Fixation  
Spinal Joint Instability/Abnormalities

**Neurologic:**

Hydrocephalus/Shunt  
Seizure  
Spina Bifida/Chiari II Malformation/Tethered  
Coed/Hydromyelia

**Other:**

Age – under 4 year  
Indwelling Catheters/Medical Equipment  
Medications - e.g., Photosensitivity  
Poor Endurance  
Skin Breakdown

**Medical/Psychological:**

Allergies Animal Abuse Cardiac Condition  
Physical/Sexual/Emotional Abuse  
Blood Pressure Control  
Dangerous to Self or Others  
Exacerbations of Medical Conditions (e.g., RA, MS)  
Fire Setting  
Hemophilia  
Medical Instability  
Migraines  
PVD  
Respiratory Compromise Recent Surgeries  
Substance Abuse  
Thought Control Disorders  
Weight Control Disorder

Thank you very much for your assistance. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this patient's participation in equine-assisted activities, please contact us at [Info@TheRedBarn.org](mailto:Info@TheRedBarn.org) or call (205) 699-8204.

**The Red Barn**  
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**Participant's Medical History & Physician's Statement COMPLETED BY MEDICAL PROFESSIONAL**

Participant: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Diagnosis: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Onset: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Past/Prospective Surgeries: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Medications: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Seizure Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Controlled: Y N Date of last seizure: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Shunt Present: Y N Date of last revision: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Special Precautions/Needs: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Braces/Assistive Devices: \_\_\_\_\_  
*For those with Down Syndrome:* AlantoDens Interval x-rays: Y N Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Result: Positive Negative  
 Neurological Symptoms of AlantoAxial Instability: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please indicate current or past special needs in the following systems/areas, including surgeries. These conditions may suggest precautions and contraindications to equine activities.**

	Y	N	Please Describe
Auditory			
Visual			
Tactile Sensation			
Speech			
Cardiac			
Circulatory			
Integumentary/Skin			
Immunity			
Pulmonary			
Neurological			
Muscular			
Balance			
Orthopedic			
Allergies			
Learning Disability			
Cognitive			
Emotional/Psychological			
Pain			
Other			

Given the above diagnosis and medical information, this person is not medically precluded from participation in equine-assisted activities and/or therapies. I understand that The Red Barn will weigh the medical information given against the existing precautions and contraindications, Therefore, I refer this person to The Red Barn for ongoing evaluation to determine eligibility for participation.

Name/Title: \_\_\_\_\_ MD DO NP PA Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
 License/UPIN Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Evening: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_