



## EQUESTRIAN THERAPY VOLUNTEER POSITION DESCRIPTION

**Title:** Equestrian Therapy Volunteer, animals only  
**Reports to:** Equestrian Therapy Supervisor

*We believe that every person deserves a safe, enriching, and stable environment in which to thrive with dignity and respect. Our mission is to provide individualized, innovative care and ongoing support for people in our community with complex physical and intellectual challenges.*

### **POSITION SUMMARY:**

Volunteers will assist in the daily care and maintenance of the animals and stable.

### **DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Grooming the horses, donkeys and goats
- Cleaning stalls
- Basic barn chores including but not limited to: cobwebbing, sweeping, cleaning turnout fields
- Turning out animals into turnout fields
- Filling hay shed
- Work with equestrian therapy staff

### **PERSONAL QUALITIES:**

Volunteers should exhibit characteristics of maturity, organization, animal compassion

### **QUALIFICATIONS & REQUIREMENTS:**

- Minimum age of 13+ years
- Experience with horses

### **REPORTS TO:**

Equestrian Therapy Supervisor

### **TIME COMMITMENT:**

- 1-2+ hours a week
- Possible weekends
- Possible holidays

### **BENEFITS TO VOLUNTEER:**

- Personal satisfaction
- Improving your quality of life with animals
- Social benefits

**APPROVED BY EQUESTRIAN THERAPY SUPERVISOR, Chelsea Martinowsky**

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Signature

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Date