Therapeutic Riding for Persons with Disabilities

Age Requirements No Age Requirement Available 24/7 No Other Eligibility Criteria Unrestricted for persons with disabilities ages 6 to adult; must weigh under 120 lbs. Family No **Intake Contact** Michelle Holling Intake Contact Email info@healingstridesofva.org Intake Process Telephone and self-referrals accepted. Visit the website for information. **Provider Refer** Yes Self Refer Yes Healing Strides of Virginia http://healingstridesofva.org/ https://healingstridesofva.org/our-programs/what-is-therapeutic-riding/ https://www.facebook.com/healingstrides/ Main (540) 334-5825 672 Naff Road 24065 VA **United States** Monday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm Tuesday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm Wednesday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm Thursday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm Friday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm Saturday: Closed

Sunday: Closed Additional Availability Comments Hours for class and programs vary Fee Structure Call for Information Payment Method(s) Private Pay Languages Spoken English

Healing Strides of Virginia provides a therapeutic horseback riding program designed to supplement other forms of therapy for disabled persons. Programs are for individuals with neuro-logical disorders, ADHD, MD, MS, CP, S & A, Downs Syndrome, Rhett's and Angelman's Syndomes, Autish Spectrum, spinal cord injuries, development delays, Sensory Integration and/or skeletal dysfunction.

Healing Strides seeks to serve disabled individuals whose degree of involvement precludes their being served by commercial stables. Sessions are held in the Spring and Fall and camp during the summer. Programs include:

- Therapeutic Riding lessons for physically, emotionally, or cognitively disabled individual
- Hippotherapy (type of physical therapy in which rider sits or lies on the back of a horse for the therapeutic effect of the horse's movement)
- Veterans Program
- Summer Camp
- Volunteers Training (accepts volunteers ages 14+)
- Mentoring Program

Fully handicapped accessible.

Service Area(s) Franklin County

Henry County

Martinsville City

Roanoke City

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