



**JOB TITLE:** Barn Crew & Patient Care

**REPORTS TO:** Barn Crew Supervisor (Tony Luna)  
Facility Manager/Chief Operating Officer (Erin Mathes)

**EXPERIENCE:** Horse farm labor experience preferred but not required

**GENERAL PURPOSE:** To provide excellent patient care & maintain the cleanliness and appearance of barns and clinic grounds

**STARTING PAY:** \$16/Hour with a merit based raise based on job performance after 60 days

**ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:**

**Physical:** Must be capable of lifting 50 pounds. Other physical demands include squatting, bending, lifting, pushing and pulling equipment and/or tools to accomplish required duties. Vision must be correctable to 20/30. *All job duties to be performed year-round and during inclement weather conditions.*

**Behavioral:** Individual should be self-motivated operate at high productivity level and take initiative to stay busy. He/she should demonstrate the ability to work within a team environment by supporting co-workers. Individual should have a willing attitude and comply with ALL supervisor's barn assignments and special instructions. He/she must be able to perform effectively under fast-paced circumstances while paying careful attention to detail.

**Organizational and Communicative:** Communicating effectively with supervisors and co-workers is necessary. Any and all absentee requests Should be detail oriented and able to manage multiple responsibilities both independently and with co-workers. Must demonstrate effective time management, comprehend and follow oral and written instructions in Spanish and/or English.

**JOB RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Responsible for morning mucking & re-bedding of all overnight patient stalls
- Cleaning & disinfecting stalls when horses go home throughout the day
- Keep feed rooms tidy & supplied with necessary amounts of hay, grain and cleaning supplies
- Provide excellent patient care by following specific, individual feeding and bedding instructions
- Pick/muck patient stalls throughout the day, adding additional bedding as needed
- Groom patients and pick feet daily in designated barns
- Alert appropriate personnel and assist as needed when patients are in need of medical attention
- Will be responsible for overall appearance and cleanliness of the barns in their entirety. This includes sweeping, blowing, washing & disinfecting stalls and barn aisles daily
- Responsible for removing loose bedding/debris around perimeter of barn area, especially grassy areas
- Assist in maintaining clinic grounds as needed. Seasonal duties include snow removal, mowing, weed-eating, light landscaping, painting, fence repair, etc.
- Learn and follow all cleaning and biosecurity protocols in all designated work areas

- Keep all patients supplied with fresh hay and clean water throughout shift
- Must be able to safely drive **ALL** clinic muck trucks on clinic grounds.