



Changing the Lives of New Yorkers with Disabilities

Therapeutic Riding Instructor JOB DESCRIPTION

To apply, please send cover letter and resume to

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Job Title	Therapeutic Riding Instructor
Organization Overview	GallopNYC's vision is to become the premier therapeutic horseback riding center in New York City. GallopNYC uses Therapeutic Horsemanship to expand opportunities and improve lives by creating harmonious bonds between our NYC community of people with disabilities and special needs and horses
Role Summary & Purpose	Bring professionalism and high quality teaching to GallopNYC riders by offering structured, well planned, individualized horsemanship lessons.
Qualifications and Preferred Experience	Horse Experience and excellent riding skills Current PATH Intl. Certification required Teaching experience preferred
Responsibilities	Plan and teach lessons on schedule as agreed with Program Director and Instructor Manager Consult with rider, parents and/or teachers to develop rider goals Support horse selection and basic horse care needs Maintain appropriate relations with riders, GallopNYC staff and volunteers Correctly complete all administrative work, including weekly lesson plans and end of term goal reports in a timely manner Report concerns and occurrences to Instructor Manager Mentor trainee Attend mandatory meetings regularly Support during GallopNYC programmatic and fundraising events Additional tasks as needed

Leadership Pillars and Competencies	<p>Role model for riders</p> <p>Responsible professional behavior in all GallopNYC roles, including care of horses and interactions with volunteers, colleagues, participants, participants' families, and donors</p> <p>Shows initiative in teaching and problem solving</p> <p>Seeks out and takes advantage of continuing education opportunities</p> <p>Committed to helping people and horses through therapeutic horsemanship</p> <p>Demonstrates a community focused mindset and allyship to people with disabilities</p>
Role Details	<p>Part time, exempt, hourly</p> <p>Posting Date:</p> <p>Hiring Manager: Program Director</p> <p>Reports To: Instructor Manager</p>

Disclaimer: The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by people assigned to this classification. They are not to be construed as an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties, and skills required of personnel so classified. All personnel may be required to perform duties outside of their normal responsibilities from time to time, as needed.