

EQUINE EVACUATION TO-DO CHECKLIST

Written Emergency Response Plan
Call tree established
Equine Information Sheet posted on stall
Evacuation Collar with Equine Information Sheet on stall door/easy access
Alternate means for equine identification available (livestock markers, permanent markers, chalk, spray paint, halter tags)
Hard copy list of emergency resources with contact information (veterinarians, shelter sites, hay suppliers, horse transporters, law enforcement, fire departments)
Go-to bags for individuals and equines completed
Notebook with hard copy of Evacuation Plan, Emergency Resources and Equine Information Sheet on each horse easily accessible on site and on line
Vaccinations and Coggins current on all equines (do not include Coggins in Evac. Collar)
Medications available and current
Experienced drivers and equine handlers recruited for emergency evacuation
Trucks/horse trailers with capacity to transport all horses on property
Transport vehicles' gas tanks at ¾ full
Gas and diesel fuel cans kept full
CB Radios/walkie-talkies in Go Bag or transport vehicles as alternate communication
Locations/barns/pastures to evacuate all equines to in case of emergency
Mapped out optional routes to evacuation site(s)
Paper maps for all local areas and evacuation routes
Highly visible placards on property to inform if animals are left on property
All equines on property trained to load into a trailer
Emergency evacuations or table top exercises practiced annually by boarders/owners
Identify who will feed/take care of equines if unable to return to property for days/weeks
Feed, water supply, medications for a week on the property for all equines
Waterproof containers for emergency food, equipment, supplies