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WORK-UP FORM

Today's Date: _____ Initial Treatment?

Farrier: _____ Phone: _____

Veterinarians: _____ Phone: _____

Owner: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Horse's Name: _____ Age: _____ Breed: _____

Use of Horse: _____ How many years? _____

Background

Living Environment (Mark all that apply): Stable (Stall) Pasture Rocky Dry
 Wet Sand Other: _____

Have Radiographs (X-Rays) been taken?: Yes No Date(s): _____

History/Problems: _____

Medication Report: _____

Evaluation of Stance:

LF	RF	LR	RR
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 Before Shoeing: Standing Forward Standing Vertical Standing Behind

After Shoeing: Standing Forward Standing Vertical Standing Behind

LF	RF	LR	RR
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Evaluation of Foot Fall: Before Shoeing: Toe First Flat Heel First

After Shoeing: Toe First Flat Heel First

LF	RF	LR	RR
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Notes/Comments: _____

OBEL GRADING SYSTEM

- Grade I: At rest the horse will alternately and incessantly lift the feet. Lameness is not evident at a walk but a short stilted gait is noted at a trot.
- Grade II: Horses move willingly at a walk, but the gait is stilted. A foot can be lifted off the ground without difficulty.
- Grade III: The horse moves very reluctantly and vigorously resists attempts to have a foot lifted.
- Grade IV: The horse refuses to move and will not do so unless forced.

AAEP LAMENESS SCALE

- 0: Lameness not perceptible under any circumstances.
- 1: Lameness is difficult to observe and is not consistently apparent, regardless of circumstances (e.g. weight carrying, circling, inclines, hard surfaces, etc.)
- 2: Lameness is difficult to observe at a walk or when trotting in a strait line but consistently apparent under certain circumstances (e.g. weight carrying, circling, inclines, hard surfaces, etc.)
- 3: Lameness is consistently observable at a trot under all circumstances.
- 4: Lameness is obvious at a walk.
- 5: Lameness produces minimal weight-bearing in motion and/or at rest or a complete inability to move.

Problem Severity: (circle one)

OBEL GRADE: I I-II II II-III III III-IV IV

Comments/Notes: _____

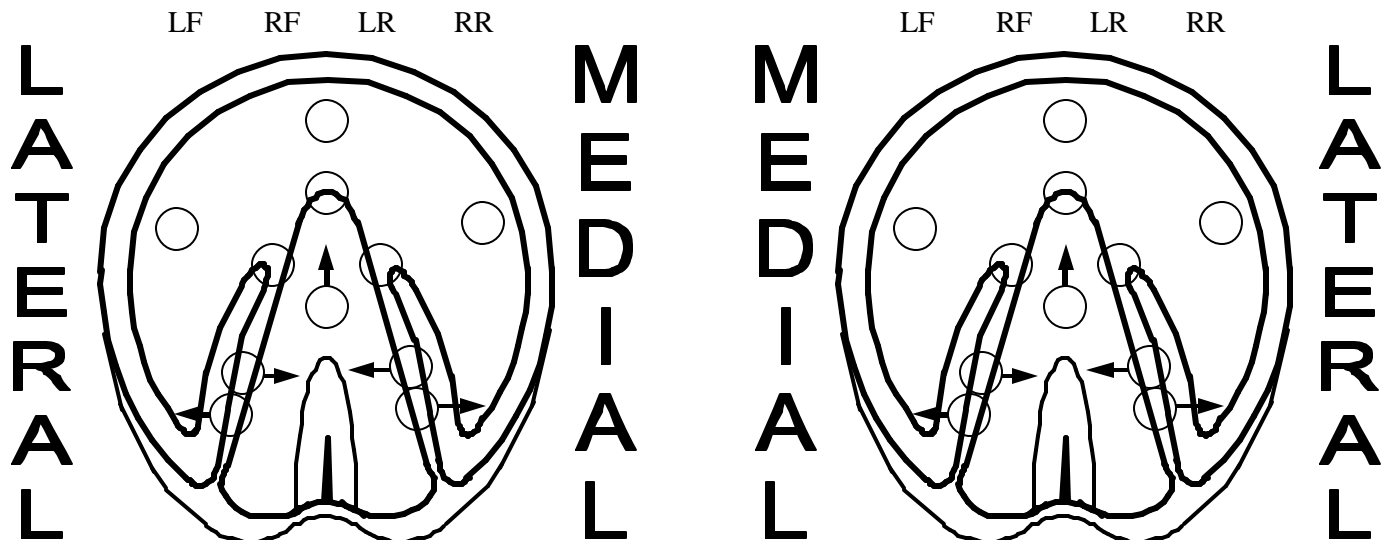
AAEP LAMENESS SCALE: 0 1 1-2 2 2-3 3 3-4 4 4-5 5

Comments/Notes: _____

HOOF

Using Hoof Tester, apply pressure at the indicated points and record the pain response of the horse by writing the corresponding number in the circle being tested.

Rank the Pain Response on a scale from 1 to 5: **1= No Pain to 5 = Severe Pain**



INSTRUCTIONS

Step 1: (Before Trimming)
From the drawing on the right, determine which illustration most closely represents the foot you are working on.

Step 2: (Before Trimming)
To the far right, circle the box identifying the foot you are treating.
(e.g. LF LR (RF) RR
'right front')

Step 3: (Before Trimming)
Measure back from the outer hoof wall of the toe, to the areas indicated by the connecting lines. (Enter these measurements, in inches, in the appropriate column directly above the corresponding line.)

- a) to the frog apex
- b) widest part of the foot, or termination of the bars
- c) end of the heels
- d) end of the frog
- e) end of heel bulb

Step 4: (After Trimming)
In the 'after trimming' column, re-identify the foot being treated by writing the abbreviation (RF, LF, etc.) in the boxes to the right. Then repeat step 3 by entering measurements in the corresponding 'after trimming' columns.

Measure from the outer hoof wall at the toe to each line below.

		Before Trimming				After Trimmin	
		LF	RF	LR	RR		

TREATMENT

Styrofoam: _____

Impression Material: _____

Shoes: Small Medium Large _____

Pads: Small Medium Large _____

Wedge Rails: Height? Short Mid Tall _____

Frog Inserts: Height? Short Mid Tall _____

P-3 Fracture Plate: _____

Comments/Notes: _____

Space below for drawings, hoof out-lines or special comments: