

Opening Doors to the Future for Breast Cancer Survivors PO Box 1281, Ashland, OR 97520 (541) 482-6210

#### Welcome to Riding Beyond!

Thank you for applying to join us in our revitalizing activities with horses. We look forward to sharing the gentle adventures of Riding Beyond with you,

# Through carefully designed and guided experiences with horses, our sessions offer refreshment and revitalization through activities like these:

- Grooming a horse who enjoys being touched.
- Walking with your horse or riding to music.
- Lying comfortably on the horse's back.
- Riding for brief periods of time
- Story telling
- Inspiring games for revealing new possibilities for the future
- More riding and advanced activities for experienced riders.

Individual sessions last a little over one hour, once a week for four weeks. Half-day group sessions are conducted on weekends several times May through September.

Individual sessions are offered free of charge. Group sessions request a donation of \$50-\$75.

Your answers to questions on the application give us the information we need to provide a safe and enjoyable experience for you, tailored to your specific needs. We appreciate your patience in filling them out and returning them to us, as well as taking the time to have your doctor fill out the Physician Statement.

### Requirements for Track One: for those able to mount a horse.

- Doctor's Statement (form provided by Riding Beyond)
- Ability to mount steps and straddle a horse
- Ability to push upper body into sitting position after lying on horse's rump
- Signed application, liability release and medical release
- Maximum rider weight of 180 pounds
- Issues resulting from breast cancer treatment that you feel might benefit from Riding Beyond.

## Requirements for Track Two: where the benefits are accomplished through ground work with the horse.

- Doctor's Statement
- Signed application, liability release and medical release
- Issues resulting from breast cancer treatment that you feel might benefit from Riding Beyond.

#### Requirements for participants of group sessions:

Signed liability release and medical release. Group sessions are open to medical professionals and family & friends of women involved in breast cancer treatment.

### More details about the program are available to you at ridingbeyond.org.

Wear long pants and sturdy closed-toe shoes. Bring a sunhat and your water bottle. We look forward to enjoying our time together!

I have read this summary of the Riding Beyond purpose and activities. I understand that I can address questions about the program by calling Trish Broersma at 541.482.6210.

By applying and signing up for a particular session, I commit to attending unless I give at least 3 days notice to the phone number above, so that my time at Riding Beyond can be offered to someone else.

Signed	
Phone:	Email_



### Participant's Application & Health History

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Participant:					
DOB: Ag					
Address:					
Phone:	Ema	il: _			Alternative #:
Employer/School:					
Address:					
Phone:					
Referral Source:					
Phone:					
How did you hear about the pr	rogra	m?			
HEALTH HISTORY					
Diagnosis:					Date of Onset:
Chemotherapy:					
Radiation treatment:					
Mastectomy				Reconstructiv	ve surgery
Please indicate current or past sp	pecia	ıl ne	eds in the followi	ing areas:	
	Υ	N	Comments		
Vision					
Hearing					
Sensation					
Communication					
Heart					
Breathing					
Digestion					
Elimination					
Circulation					
Emotional/Mental Health					
Behavioral					
Pain					
Bone/Joint					
Muscular					
Thinking/Cognition					
Allergies					

MEDICATIONS (include prescription and over-the-counter, name, dose and frequency)					
·	g areas (include assistance required or equipment needed): transfers, walking, wheelchair use, driving/bus riding)				
PSYCHOSOCIAL ISSUES (e.g., work or school	issues, leisure interests, relationships, family structure, support systems				
companion animals, fears/concerns, etc.)					
MY CURRENT LIFE CHALLENGES INCLUDE					
Signature:	Date:				
PHOTO RELEASE					
I O DO O DO NOT					
-	ction by Green Horse of any and all photographs and any other audio/				
	naterial, educational activities, exhibitions or for any other use for the				
benefit of the program.					
Signature:	Date:				
Client, Parent or Legal Guardian	ı				