

EMERGENCY TRAILERING

Another aspect of equine emergency preparedness is access to a trailer to transport a seriously ill patient. As you may know, we maintain a fleet of four ambulatory units with which we treat a variety of emergencies in the field. However, there are a number of serious problems which are treated more appropriately in a hospital setting. Examples would be severe colic, major lacerations, and very ill horses requiring extensive diagnostics and intensive care. The clinic can provide a controlled environment, excellent lighting, support staff, diagnostics including laboratory, and intensive care housing.

If you do not own a horse trailer and suitable towing vehicle, it is advisable to advance planning for transportation of a severe emergency. This might include arrangements with friends or neighbors or knowledge of available rental trailers or professional haulers. We have listed below rental agencies (trailers only) and professional haulers from the general area.

HORSE TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

Joe Marchese	Auburn, CA	(916) 300-9744	(24 hrs/7 days)
Mike Lucas	Bakersfield, CA	(661) 805-3074	
Rick Sackett	Elverta, CA	(916) 804-5116	
Barb Hatch	Galt, CA	(209) 748-5064 (916) 715-5064	
Dave Souza	Georgetown, CA	(530) 333-0456 (530) 906-5401	
Angela Vincent	Georgetown, CA	(530) 320-4239	M-Sun, Nights Only after 4:30 pm
Far West Rentals	Lincoln, CA	(916) 645-2929	M-S 7-5pm /Sun 8-3pm (Trailer Rental-3 Eq. Slant load)
Robello Horse &	Lockeford, CA	(209) 727-5771	Livestock Transport
Freemans Rental	Loomis, CA	(916) 652-6544	Try 24 hrs (Trailer Rental Only)

Brook Moxley	Southern, CA	(909) 215-3219 (817) 825-8303	Visit: <i>lotahart.com</i>
Bob Hubbard	Southern, CA	(800) 472-7786	National Transport - Air-Ride
Nation-Wide	Coast to Coast	(719) 392-1888	Air-Ride