



Therapeutic Riding Instructor

Location: Victoria, BC – 6917 Veyaness Rd, Saanichton

Hours: Part time, flexible

Compensation: \$20 to \$25 per hours based on experience and/or certification

Our Mission: Build individual capacity through human and horse teamwork.

Our Vision: Learning, connection, and joy through the power of horses.

The Victoria Therapeutic Riding Association (VTRA) is currently searching for a certified parttime instructor to join our dynamic team!

VTRA provides therapeutic riding and equine-based programming to people with diverse abilities on southern Vancouver Island. We offer a safe and inclusive therapeutic environment and operate as a CanTRA-accredited teaching centre.

We are searching for a CanTRA, PATH or CHA instructor but can train and mentor an experienced riding instructor through to certification. Newly recruited instructors must be interested and willing to work towards obtaining certification.

The successful candidate must have a good working knowledge of inclusion, adaptation teaching theory, lesson planning, and general horsemanship. VTRA programming focuses on participant safety and pre-determined physical and social outcomes. Instructors are also expected to work collaboratively with numerous program volunteers, other team members, and an amazing herd of therapy horses.

Instructors must have or be able to complete First Aid training and a satisfactory Criminal Record Check. Ideal applicants must be available 8-12 hours per week (hours may increase pending availability and completion of a successful probationary period).

Application process: Interested individuals are asked to submit a resume to careers@vtra.ca. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.