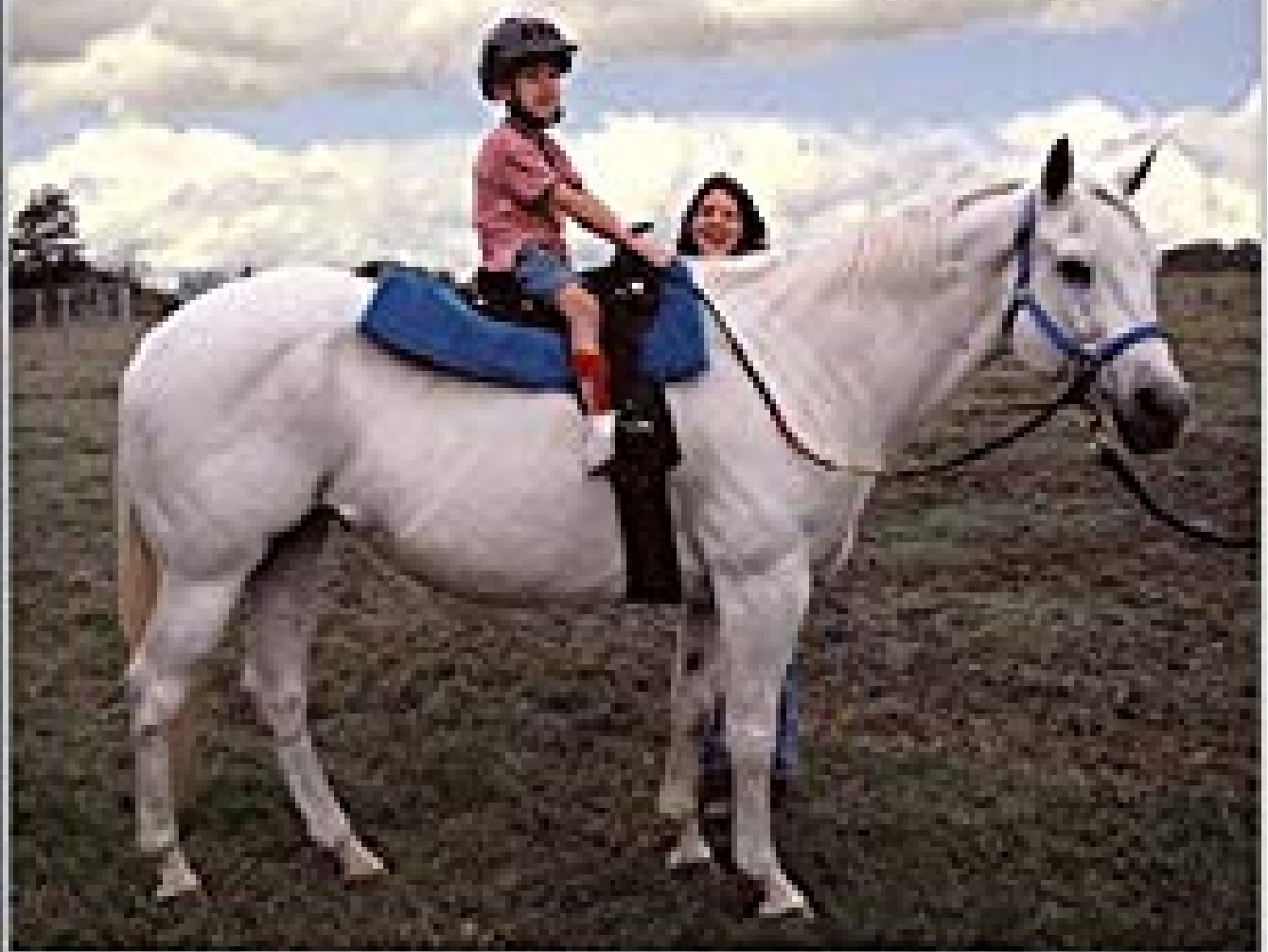


# Special Needs, Special Horses

*A Guide to the Benefits of Therapeutic Riding*



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A growing number of people with special needs are uncovering the benefits of therapies and activities involving horseback riding. *Special Needs, Special Horses*, by Naomi Scott, offers information about the amazing results possible with therapeutic riding, or hippotherapy. The reserve explores the functions of the instructors, physical therapists, volunteers, and the horses, and explains carriage driving, vaulting, and educational interactions with horses. From recreational riding for folks with disabilities, to the competitions some riders enter (and win), Scott describes the many techniques of the process and its advantages to the physically and mentally challenged. *Unique Needs, Particular Horses* is a great guide for the groups of the countless who do—enjoy improved lives from therapeutic riding. Scott profiles individuals involved in the therapy, including clients whose special requirements arose from intrauterine stroke, cerebral palsy, transverse myelitis, Parkinson's disease, paralysis, sensory integration dysfunction, multiple sclerosis, shaken baby syndrome, sensory damage, stroke, seizures, infantile spasms, Straight down syndrome, and autism. It will also charm to practitioners of therapeutic riding as an overview of their profession.



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Gives a great view of how equine e therapy actually has an impact on the rider in a more holistic view. This reserve has given me perspective and the incentive to donate more of my effort and time to this excellent cause. Very informative Loved the interviews with families and riders.A therapy for All of Us As a novice volunteer and a retiree, I came across new life with a purpose in my first year at a NARHA (today PATH International) therapy center. But this same details could be found by Goggling. My daughter adored this book! She works as a volunteer in therapeutic riding which gave her a lot more clear insights into the whole field of therapeutic riding and hippotherapy. Great great stories! The reserve lacked practical info and was repetitive. As a therapeutic horse riding instructor from Israel, I must supply the credit to the author for such a needed reserve. Thank you so much! Great!! Some good informaton This book has the right information, particularly about organizations which are involved with equine therapy. Wonderful Whether you have a particular needs rider or are a special requirements rider this reserve shares just how particular horses are to those in need. Amazing book! Good read Great reading and interesting. Four Stars thanks Five Stars Very great book for someone who is just engaging in THIS world! The book was a straightforward read and gave me wonderful I formation related to horses and how much of an impact they can have with people.



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