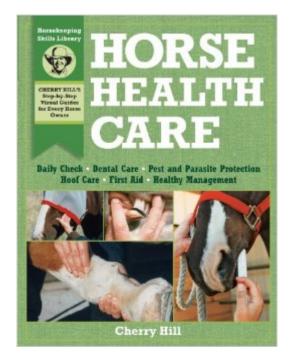
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Horse Health Care: A Step-By-Step Photographic Guide To Mastering Over 100 Horsekeeping Skills (Horsekeeping Skills Library)





Synopsis

A healthy horse is a happy horse. Packed with dozens of essential health care skills every horse owner should know, this guide will help you keep your animal healthy, save you money, and make your horse operation more self-sufficient. Cherry Hill provides illustrated step-by-step instructions for routine medical maintenance like hoof care, dental exams, and checking vital signs, while also showing you how to deal with an injured horse and the correct techniques for treating wounds, giving injections, wrapping a leg, and preventing infection.

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Customer Reviews

Without Cherry Hill and her books with all the pictures I am sure I would have been panicking at every little scratch on my horses. She explains things so a non-horse person can understand without having to run to dictionaries or other horse reference books to look up her explaination. I buy all her books as I find them and enjoy her friendly way of writing. Thank you Cherry Hill for taking the time to make the explaination interesting and informative.

This is a great book for the new owner who hasn't been brought up aroung horses. It has great pictures and goes into a lot of detail about nutrition, vaccinations, illness/injury, age characteristics ect.

Author, Cherry Hill, and photographer, Richard Klimesh, deserve blue ribbons for this excellent easy to use handbook. Filled with hundreds of clear black and white photographs, the guide covers everything from how to correctly make a bran mash, to how to measure a horse for a winter blanket, to how to give a horse an intramuscular injection. New and experienced horse owners will find the practical advice covered in the step-by-step photographs indispensable. This outstanding book belongs in every horse owner's barn. Monika Antonelli, Librarian

This is truly for a first-horse owner or someone who is leasing a horse and who wants to learn the basics of horse health care. I found several of the chapters useful for treatments that I needed to give for the first time, but there are other sections that aren't as practical and there is a lot of space devoted to black and white photographs, which are not too useful either as it's difficult to look for differences in texture or coloration that the text elaborates on. Having said this, for a true beginner it is an adequate foundation and would be appropriate for a younger rider/reader as well.

This is a good basic book for beginners, but if you have any experience with horses at all it will be WAY to basic for you. it doesn't even mention colic! It should at least list the warning signs. The leg wrapping sections are useful, but really, does anyone really step by step instructions about how to put a blanket on a horse?

This book covers so much information. As a first time owner or someone who has owned a few good horses: you need this book. Illustrations are great and the information invaluable for any horse facility.

A book that shows clear illustrations and concise descriptions makes learning about horse care quite enjoyable - this is just such a book! Cherry Hill has an excellent style of writing. I recommend this book to anyone who cares about their horse's good health.

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