PATH, Intl. Registered Instructor On-Site Workshop & Certification

On-Site Instructor Workshop September 29, 30, and October1, 2016 On-Site Certification October 2, 2016

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PATH, Intl. Instructor Certification Process

PATH, Intl. offers three levels of Instructor Certification for therapeutic riding: Registered, Advanced and Master. The focus of this workshop/certification is the **Registered Level**.

In order to become a PATH, Intl. Certified Instructor, you must successfully complete the two Phases of the certification process. For

additional Information on this process, please refer to the PATH, Intl. website at www.-
WATHINTL.org under Instructor Information box. Any questions that you have regarding Phase One should be directed to the PATH office, and questions regarding Phase Two should be directed to Free SPIRIT Riders.

You must have successfully completed Phase One (PATH. Intl) in order to be accepted for the Workshop and Certification

Phase One (PATH, Intl.)

With the submission of your Registered Instructor Certification Application Form, a \$40 application fee, copies of current CPR and First Aid certification cards, and PATH, Intl. membership number or membership application (\$45 membership fee) to the PATH, Intl. office, you will officially enter into Phase One. Upon receipt, PATH, Intl. will e-mail you a **Phase One Packet.**

Phase One Packet includes access to the following on-line components:

- Center Accreditation Training Course (CAT)
- CAT Instructor Standards Exam
- Instructor Self-Study Course
- PATH, Intl. Registered Instructor Open Book Exam

NOTE: You will have <u>six months</u> to complete the Phase One Packet. The CAT Course and the Instructor Self-Study Course both have 60 day time frames once you log on. Upon successful completion of Phase One you will receive a confirmation of Instructor-In Training status from the PATH, Intl. office. At this point, you are considered an **Instructor-In-Training**. You may retain this designation for <u>twelve months</u> from the date of your confirmation letter.

Phase Two (Host Site – Free SPIRIT Riders)

Within the twelve month timeframe, you must have completed all the components of Phase Two. These components are:

- Complete 25 hours of practice teaching mounted therapeutic riding lessons under the guidance or direct supervision of a PATH, Intl. Certified Instructor
- Attend a Registered Instructor On-Site Workshop. You must attend a workshop PRIOR to the certification component
- Successfully complete a Registered Instructor On-Site Certification.

If you are interested in attending the On-Site Workshop and/or Certification please complete the attached Form and mail with appropriate fees to the address listed. You will also need to include a copy of your confirmation of Instructor-In-Training status letter from Phase One. Candidates are registered on a first come-first served basis, so make sure to register early. All Certification Candidates <u>must</u> register by August 16, 2015.

Once registered for the workshop and/or certification, we (*Free SPIRIT Riders*) will send you a **Phase Two Packet**. The packet will include the following Information:

- On-Site Registration Form
- Additional Forms for certification candidates: instructor resume, personal reference, professional

- Emergency Medical Treatment, Liability and Confidentiality Forms
- Document of Teaching Hours Form *Registration Form*

NAME
ADDRESS
CITY
STATEZIP
PHONE:
PHONE: EVENING
EMAIL
PATH Membership#
Weight and Height
Please register me for the following: Instructor Workshop ONLY* \$430
Instructor Workshop AND
One-Day Certification \$700
Certification ONLY* \$350.00 All days include light breakfast and

lunch

* MUST have proof of having attended a PATH, Intl. Approved On-Site Workshop within the previous two years or provide certification resubmission letter.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: 8/25/2016

Reimbursement policy: Full refunds if canceling prior to August 14. 25% refund if cancelled after August 14. No refund if canceling on or after August 14.

Mail your registration Form, fee, and copy of your confirmation letter to:

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Direction to the Host Site, and information about accommodations Will be included with Phase Two Packet.

You will need to complete the Phase Two packet and return to *Free SPIRIT Riders* with a copy of your PATH, Intl. membership card, and current copies of your CPR and First Aid certification.

All Phase 2 Forms must be returned to Free SPIRIT Riders no later than August 16, 2015.

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