

Preparing to take your Mustang home

**** Facilities must meet these requirements and be constructed before you can transport your animal home! ****

CORRAL & SHELTER Requirements:

- An outside corral with a minimum of 400 square feet (20x20) per animal. Corral should not be too large (more than 50x50), as animals are easier to gentle in smaller corrals.
- All fences and gates must be at least 6 feet high for wild horses over the age of 18 months. Five-foot high fences are allowed for gentled horses, yearlings, and burros. Gates must be properly secured (Some horses can open insufficiently secured gates).
- Fencing material should be 2x6 inch wooden planks spaced no more than one foot apart, rounded pipes, poles, or similar materials that do not pose a hazard to the animal. Small mesh, heavy gauge, woven wire fencing with a 2x6 inch board along the top, center and bottom is acceptable. No barb wire, no electric wire, no T-posts. Once gentled, the animals may be maintained in pastures or in box stalls with daily turnout.
- Shelters can be a three-sided shed attached to the corral, or box stall in barn attached to corral, allowing animal to move freely between the corral and shelter. Shelter or stall space should be at least 12 X 12 feet per animal.
- You must be able to back your trailer directly to your corral to unload the horse (They cannot be led to the corral!).

TRANSPORTATION

- Adopters must provide their own vehicles or make private arrangements.
- Standard covered stock trailers and horse trailers large enough for 4 or more horses are generally acceptable, contingent on final approval prior to loading. **NO 1-HORSE TRAILERS.** Two horse trailers are not allowed unless they are a stock-type, with no internal dividers. Animals will ride loose and must have enough space to turn around.
- Feed bunks in trailer must be blocked off or covered to prevent the horse from trying to jump into them.
- No pick ups with stock racks.
- **LENGTHWISE AND SLANT-LOAD DIVIDERS MUST BE REMOVED.**
- **NO DROP RAMP TAIL GATES ARE ALLOWED**
- You are responsible if the horse should get loose on your property or during transportation. If a horse should need to be recaptured, you must pay BLM fees.

PREREQUISITES:

- Adoption fee must be paid in full and paperwork must be completed at least 24 hrs prior to hauling.
- Your facility, corral and transportation must be approved by the BLM prior to moving your horse.
- If you would like the horse haltered, you must provide the halter at least 24 hours in advance of hauling the horse home.

YOUR FACILITIES AND ANIMALS MAY BE INSPECTED AT ANY TIME UNTIL THE TITLE IS ISSUED

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