This UF Large Animal Hospital e-newsletter edition includes:

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• Non-sweating horses
• Disaster preparedness
• Large Animal Medicine & New Veterinarians
• The dangers of pythiosis
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To schedule an appointment with one of our specialists, call our client relations staff at 352-392-2229.

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EEE, The Mosquito-Borne Illness

Eastern Equine Encephalitis is a viral disease caused by infected mosquitoes. Learn how it's spread, ways to prevent it, and what you can do if your horse becomes infected. Read more.
Non-Sweating Horses

Anhidrosis is defined as a decreased ability to sweat in response to increased body temperature. If your horse has anhidrosis, find out what you can do to help manage it and make your horse as comfortable as possible. Read more.

Disaster Preparedness

During hurricane season, horses can die as flood waters enter barn areas, and power outages can cause water shortages. Learn what every farm should have to optimize safety and survival of all animals. Read more.

New Large Animal Veterinarians

Graduating from Massey University, New Zealand, and interning at San Luis Rey Equine Hospital, Dr. Elizabeth Nelson joins our Large Animal Medicine specialists in providing exceptional & comprehensive care for your large animals.

• New Medicine Veterinarian, Dr. Elizabeth Nelson
• New Surgery Veterinarian, Dr. David Suarez-Fuentes
• New Equine Lameness & Imaging Veterinarian, Dr. Jordan Kirkpatrick

The Dangers of Pythiosis

Pythiosis is a pathogen that can cause painful legions and thrives in swamps or marshes. Find out what you can do to prevent your horse from getting infected. Read more.
New Lameness Arena

The Equine Sports Performance Complex is now available for performance evaluations! In addition to traditional lameness examinations, the complex enables observation of horses under saddle. Read more.