



Prepare for Horses and Natural Disasters



As we are preparing this newsletter Hurricane Dorian has just begun moving again after stalling to pummel the Bahamas for more than a day. While this has given more time for evacuation, not all storms or natural disasters move so slowly and that means plans and preparations need to be set up ahead of time. This is especially important when it comes to horses due to their size and specialized transportation requirements. You can't just put them in the back of the car and grab a bag of kibble as you could the family dog.

For instance while [several states have waived the requirements](#) due to Dorian, there are restrictions that remains (such as a [Coggins test](#)) when transporting horses across state lines. **AIG** has been covering horse owners for a long time and used that experience to prepare a list of [tips for horses and natural disasters](#). It includes several links to other sites also dealing with disaster preparedness for horses. AIG knows that your client's horses are their cherished possessions and, at the same time, a significant financial and personal investment. As such, they require the highest level of protection which is why they offer Equine Liability Insurance as part of their Private Client Group.

[TheHorse.com](#) has created an [evacuation checklist](#), an [evacuation contact list](#) as well as a [Horse Identification Form](#) that you can also pass along to your horse owning clients.

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