

RELEASE OF LIABILITY/ INFORMED CONSENT

I understand that during the Equine Facilitated Wellness/ Equine Assisted Learning sessions at 51341 RR 210, Sherwood Park, I/my child will be in close proximity to one or more horses, as well as other animals (chickens, bunnies, cows, cats and dogs) under circumstances which may expose me or my child to some risk of injury because of the nature of horses/animals, the facility, and the activities in which I/my child will be engaged.

I agree to assume ANY AND ALL RISKS INVOLVED IN, OR ARISING FROM, THE USE OF, OR PRESENCE UPON, 51341 RR210, Sherwood Park OR FACILITIES, including, but not limited to: *the risks of death, bodily injury, property damage, falls, kicks, bites, collisions with vehicles, horses or stationary objects, fire or explosion, the unavailability of emergency medical care, or the negligence or deliberate act of another person.*

I agree to hold Diane Priebe, her business, Priebe Psychological Services, Jennifer Maciej, her business Amethyst Equine Connections Inc, and all of her successors, assigns, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors, employees, and agents completely harmless and not liable, and release them from all liability whatsoever on account of, or in connection with, any claims, causes of action, injuries, damages, cost or expenses arising out of my own/my child's use of, or presence at, 51341 RR210, Sherwood Park, including without limitation, those based on death, bodily injury, property damage, including consequential damages.

In regards to confidentiality, I recognise that the members and staff work as a team and may consult with each other, or with other professionals, in order to provide me with the best possible care.

CLIENT's NAME: _____

DATE of BIRTH: _____

CLIENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

PRINT NAME

DATE

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

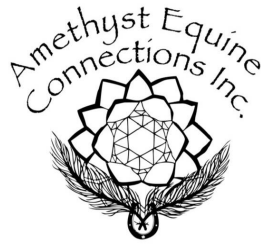
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USE OF THE FACILITIES

If you are a parent or guardian of a child being seen for Equine Assisted Learning, Equine Facilitated Wellness, or any animal related activities at 51341 Range Road 210 Sherwood Park Alberta, or you are accompanying an adult to their session, there are strict guidelines that you must follow to ensure the horses' well-being, as well as your own.

During your child's session, you must remain in your vehicle, the designated seating area or in the barn at all times. You are **NOT** permitted to explore the grounds beyond unless given permission by the owners of the facility, Carl Blanchette and Jennifer Maciej. If there is a horse in the barn at the end of the therapy session, **you are not permitted to feed or touch the horse without the explicit permission of the owner Jennifer Maciej or Diane Priebe.**

By signing this document, I am indicating that I understand and agree with the above conditions of treatment, and Diane Priebe or Jennifer Maciej has answered any questions which I have about items listed in this consent form or about the therapy process.

CLIENT SIGNATURE

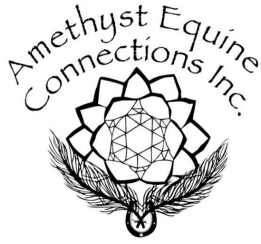
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AUTHORIZATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL TREATMENT

With regards to: _____ (Client's name)

In the event that emergency medical aid/treatment is required due to illness or injury during the process of receiving service (EFW, EAL therapy), or while being on the property of Carl Blanchette and Jennifer Maciej, I authorize Diane Priebe/her delegate to:

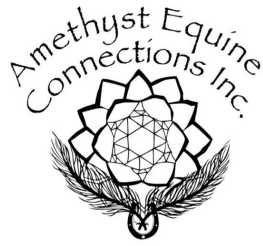
1. Secure and retain medical treatment and transportation if needed
2. Release records upon request to the authorized individuals or agency involved in the medical emergency treatment

The authorization includes x-ray, surgery, hospitalization, medication, and any treatment procedure deemed "life saving" by the physician. This provision will only be invoked if the person(s) listed above is unable to provide consent.

CLIENT/PARENT OR GUARDIAN
SIGNATURE

PRINT NAME

DATE



INTAKE FORM

Date: _____

Name (Child): _____

Date of Birth _____

Address: _____

City and Postal Code: _____

Email: _____

Telephone: _____

(Res) Ok to leave a message? _____ (Bus) Ok to leave a message? _____

(Cell) Ok to leave a message? _____

If referral is for a minor child, please complete information below:

Name of Parent: _____

Address of Parent: _____

City and PC: _____

Email: _____

Telephone: _____

(Res) _____ (Bus) _____ (Cell) _____

If working with Diane Preibe, session options are:

~Psychological services

~Equine Therapy

~Play Therapy

~Hakomi Therapy

*working with children, adolescents, adults and families

If working with Jennifer Maciej, session options are:

~Mounted (including but not limited to obstacles, poles, indoor/outdoor work)

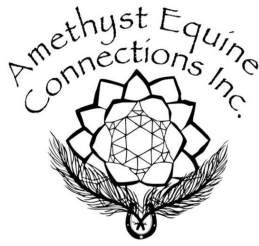
~Unmounted (including but not limited to groundwork, obstacles, in hand work)

~EAL or EFW

~EFT or meditative

*working with children, adolescents, adults and families

** Please note all sessions may be done either in the barn, indoor or outdoor arenas, in the pasture, field or trails.



GENERAL FACILITY RULES

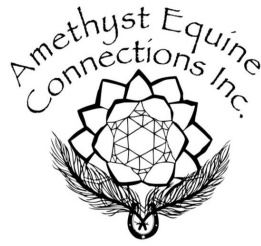
- When in yard, barn or arenas, all horses must be supervised and have a halter, rope on bridle on for control.
- Please do not hand feed any horses or give treats to other people's horses without permission.
- Smoking is prohibited on the property, please be mindful of the language you use.
- No dogs allowed.
- Please respect the privacy of the yard areas around the houses. Do not enter the back yard.
- In the barnyard, dispose of your horse's manure in a pen or manure spreader or use the muck tubs provided.
- If a gate is closed keep it closed, if a gate is open keep it open; there is a reason it is the way it is.
- We all appreciate a clean facility, let's all work together to keep it that way.

BARN RULES

- Barn and Arena doors are to be kept closed.
- Please only tie horses in grooming stalls in barn or designated tie areas.
- Sweep up dirt/hair and your horse's manure BEFORE and AFTER riding, using shovels and tubs provided.
- Put equipment and belongings away during your ride. AEC is not responsible for lost or stolen articles.
- Anyone caught by security cameras as having not cleaned up will get a \$10/incident clean-up charge added.
- Extra Feed can be fed in the barn or outside and is to be stored in mouse proof containers in the feed room or at home.
- Garbage cans have been provided.
- Anyone wanting to use their own farrier may use the barn during non-lesson times, or outside anytime. No nails in manure tubs! Contact us for barn farrier schedule.
- Last person out of the barn & arena, please turn off all inside lights.

ARENA RULES

- Everyone riding or working at AEC must read, understand & sign/submit a Release of Liability/Risk Waiver. No one is to ride in lessons or otherwise, this includes riding your horse, without first submitting a waiver or lesson/board agreement.
- Barn hours are 8am-10pm. See website calendar for closures for maintenance, clinics, shows or camps.
- No lungeing in the arena during lessons or when there are 3 or more riders in the arena. Only 1 horse at a time.
- General riding is allowed in the arenas during lessons. However, as a suggestion, familiarize yourself with the lesson schedule posted and try to arrange your riding at the least congested times.
- The lesson instructor has control of the arena during lessons. Please listen to their requests.
- Manure in the arenas breaks down and creates dust, so please pick up any manure in the arena when you are done riding using the fork and manure bucket provided.
- Heeled footwear and long pants are mandatory while riding. No sandals or bare feet when near any horse.

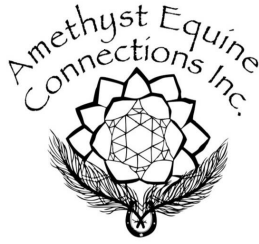


- ASTM Approved Riding Helmets are mandatory for riders under 18, and for all riders while in lessons, even 18+, helmets are STRONGLY recommended.
- No riders under the age of 18 may ride/handle a horse alone. Riders 14-17 must have a companion present. All riders under the age of 14 must be accompanied by a responsible adult when at AEC, unless in a lesson.
- No jumping (including free/chute jumping) unless you are in a lesson with an AEC instructor. No exceptions.
- Please adhere to the following arena etiquette: When you are entering the indoor arena, look first to see when its safe and announce yourself by saying "Door!" before you open it. Check your girth and tack before mounting. If a lesson is in progress, familiarize yourself with the course being ridden so as not to get caught in an unsafe location. If horses are working both ways in the ring, pass left to left. Walking horses should be to the inside if busy. If a rider and/or horse should fall, STOP all movement immediately. Listen to the instructions of any instructor present. If no instructor is in the arena, make sure both horse and rider are okay before resuming your ride. In case of a power outage, stop immediately and dismount. The emergency lighting should go on. Don't resume your ride until the power has been restored if dark.

I acknowledge that I have read and understand the Amethyst Equine Connections Rules, and agree to abide by them. In addition, I understand and accept the consequences that will follow should I not respect said rules.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature



Jennifer Ann Maciej Scope Of Practice

Pro-EFW Certification

I am seeking certification as a dual certified Equine Professional and Learning Professional.

My Personal Scope of Practice in the Human Services Field

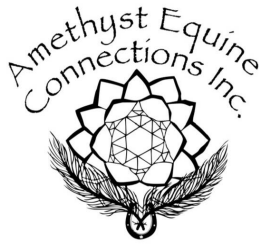
The qualifications, training and experience I possess to support this Scope of Practice are as follows :

- ~**Lifestyle Meditation teacher training** (This allows me to do meditation sessions both private and groups settings)
- ~**Certified CSIA** (Canadian Ski Instructors Alliance L2) This taught and helped me to be adaptive and modify my client experiences as needed.
- ~**Certified CADS** (Canadian Adaptive Snowsports L2) This taught and helped me to be adaptive and modify my client experiences as needed.
- ~**Conscious EFT** (Emotional Freedom technique L1/L2) Has taught me to have more options to support clients with their grounding and self regulation needs. I can do this both privately and in groups. As well I have the ability help support a client emotionally regulate, through EFT should a client get stuck.

My Personal Scope of Practice in Working with Equines

The qualifications, training and experience I possess to support this Scope of Practice are as follows:

- ~**Equine Canada Coach** (Western coach) This allows me to teach from a beginner to a more advanced level of horsemanship both mounted and unmounted.
- ~**CCC Judge**. This allows me to be able to teach and judge accredited events.
- ~**Horse Watcher Certificate** (Equine behaviour and communication program)



~**Equine First Aid L1** being able to identify and manage simple health concerns and injuries with equine and then would call a vet in as needed.

~**Owner of Amethyst Equine Connections boarding facility.** Through the boarding facility I offer horse training, feed management programs and over all horse husbandry from birth to death. I also have experience with equine reproduction.

My Personal Scope of Practice in Equine Facilitated Wellness (EFW)

The qualifications, training and experience I possess to support this Scope of Practice are as follows ...

~**EAL Facilitator** (Equine Assisted Learning with Equine Connections) which would allow me to run both group and or private activity based sessions that are task oriented and use a problem solving skill set.

~With my EC and eventual EP/LP certification, I will be able to work in an EFW context both mounted and unmounted as well as with individual and multiple equines.

~Things that could be included in those sessions, could include:

Obstacles (in hand or ridden)

Grooming

Groundwork/Horsemanship skill development

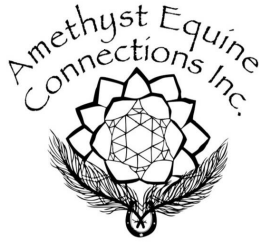
Meditations/Grounding / breathwork (with or without the horses)

Journaling

Liberty work

Level of Expertise

I have met the requirements for full EP certification as well as LP certification. I am able to work individually or with small groups of people. (1:1 ratio or 1:6) I am able to have clients work one on one or in a small herd of horses.



I work with an MHP when I am working with clients who have mental health related needs which I am not able to support and are outside of my Scope of Practice.

I engage in mentoring or supervision on a as needed basis. My supervision needs are often for client case consults and needs and /or equine related concerns.

My mentor or supervisor is: Sue MacIntosh (Supervisor) & Carrie Watson (Mentor)

I also work with Diane Priebe, in collaboration at times, who is a Pro EFW MHP.

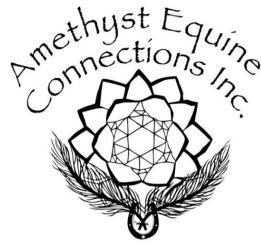
Areas in which I am NOT Qualified to Provide Services

It is outside my personal Scope of Practice as a Human Services Professional, to work with individuals who are experiencing mental health concerns (diagnosed or undiagnosed) and who are in need of support for those areas of concern.

It is outside my personal Scope of Practice as an Equine Professional to work with and to address severe wounds or health issues. I would refer to a vet as needed for this. In the case of a severe mental or trauma troubled horse I would refer to a specialist in the horse industry.

It is outside my personal Scope of Practice as an EFW Professional to work with individuals searching for support with mental health concerns. As well I can not teach course specific material regarding therapeutic riding instruction and activities.

I would seek supervision if my client has needs in the following areas:
~If my client had a physical disability (ex: wheelchair)



~Recovering/ recovered from a mental illness and has been granted permission from their therapist to try EFW.

~If the client requires more boundary setting support from me

I would refer clients to a qualified professional in the following situations:

~if in an EFT Session should a person not be able to self regulate with using EFT techniques.

~current EP or LP client is showing the need or asking for further mental health support

Informed Consent

My clients are given information about my scope of practice on my Release of Liability Form.

I discuss my Scope of Practice – including my limitations – with all clients, during the intake and introduction process.

Insurance

I'm insured with All Insure Ltd, (Policy # E205EQ1628) which includes farm as well as commercial general liability insurance. This policy is effective August 2022 to August 2023 and renews annually