

Training and Education Report to the Board of Trustees

Quarter 3: January- March 2022

Date 4/6/2022

PATH Intl. Equine Specialist in Mental Health and Learning (ESMHL)

February event had 20 attendees. Scheduled to run one ESMHL event in June.

Instructor education

Our instructor educational offerings provide options for, education developed into modules that address the knowledge and experience required for the new CTRI requirements for instructor candidates as well as ongoing continuing education required and needed for industry professionals.

This March/April High Hopes offered some of our Instructor Educational workshops/ PATH Intl. Approved Training Curriculum (ATC), Riding from an Anatomical Point of View and Physical Disabilities. To continue to meet the needs of up-and-coming PATH Intl. Certified Therapeutic Riding Instructors (CTRI) High Hopes will continue to evaluate and offer our instructor education series/ PATH Intl. Approved Training Curriculum (ATC) throughout the year based on demand. The Instructor workshop was also offered in April (Q4) as a part of this curriculum.

Educational Webinars

Working with faculty for Autism and Sensory Processing workshop to develop a webinar/ blended learning format as the current offering is in person only.

Consultation mental health webinar to be offered in April as a newer offering.

6 individuals purchased a total of 28 individual prerecorded webinars this quarter.

Internships

One individual is with us for their Spring semester from the University of Connecticut studying Animal Sciences one-two days per week. Internship will be complete in the beginning of May.

Attended Johnson & Wales University Job Fair for their equine studies department promoting position openings, internships and volunteer opportunities.

Mentored Teaching hours/ Mentoring

One individual has begun working towards their Certified Therapeutic Riding Instructor (CTRI) Certification 25 mentored teaching hours, anticipated completion date for teaching hours is May 2022.

Individuals Served:

To date Training & Education has served a total of 75 individuals (up 30 from last quarter) of which 28(up 13 from last quarter) have attended more than one workshop, webinar, and/or certification through 26 different offerings (up 3 from last quarter and 13 of which are recorded webinars).