

GERIATRIC HEALTHCARE



At Seadown we really care about looking after the health of our ageing equines. Our vets are all experienced in managing horses and ponies with multiple health issues and we like to take a preventative approach to geriatric health care if possible. We will ensure that we can develop a health regime for your elderly horse or pony to maximise their quality of life, we have many ponies which we look after which are still enjoying life well into their 30's!

As horse and ponies get older they become more susceptible to certain conditions such as PPID (Cushing's syndrome), airway disease and dental disorders to name a few.

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This involves monitoring hormone levels in your horse with blood tests, regular dental checks and a full clinical examination.

If you are in the unfortunate situation where your elderly horse or pony has a long term health condition you can be rest assured that our vets

will be able to support you and your horse with its ongoing medical needs.

We are happy to perform regular checks on your horse to ensure the levels of medication are correct and the particular condition is being managed effectively.

Dental examinations can become crucial as our equines teeth become aged and need to be kept in the best possible condition in order to help our elderly equine maintain a good bodily condition.

If you would like to discuss the healthcare of your elderly horse, pony or donkey then please call us at Seadown and one of our vets can discuss your concerns.



Delivering first-class veterinary care to the New Forest since 1923

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