

# MSPCA Equine Safety & Ambulance Training

## Is Your Department Ready for an Equine or other Large Animal Emergency?

Whether you are a public safety official, first responder, veterinary professional, or a barn owner, this course is essential to prepare you for equine or other large animal emergencies. You'll learn proper handling techniques via hands-on training with livestock and horses of all temperments. You'll get practical hands-on experience, conducting various rescue scenarios using our training mannequin "Lucky" the horse. By the end of the two day course, you will be able to move large animals safely and quickly in cases of disaster or injury, while preventing potential injuries to the humans involved. The course offers classroom instruction and hands-on scenarios using our specialized equipment as well as equipment that may be readily available to first responder departments.



**Saturday, Sept. 22 Registration 8:30 a.m. , Class from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

**Sunday, Sept. 23 Class from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Classroom training begins Saturday morning at the Berlin Public Safety Building on Linden St. and will shift to Horse and Hound Farm, 48 Randall Road, Berlin.

Open to EMS, Fire, Police, Highway Personnel and Horse/Stable owners in Bolton, Berlin and Boylston. Class size is limited. A \$20 fee covers the cost of lunch for both days.

**To register, contact Ramae Hustin at [rhustin@nrds.net](mailto:rhustin@nrds.net) or Dennis Fearebay at [Treasurer@townofberlin.com](mailto:Treasurer@townofberlin.com)**

**Roger Lauze**, Coordinator of Equine Rescue & Training at the MSPCA Nevins Farm Equine Center, will be conducting the course. He contributed to the development of the original Rescue Glide large animal moving sled. Roger has taught over 7,000 emergency, horse professionals and students in the basic knowledge of horse and livestock behavior and large animal rescue techniques.



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