

TheraPlate Treatment of a Foundered Four Year Old Appaloosa Mare

Case Information:

Subject is a four year old Appaloosa mare, who was lame due to laminitis and significantly reduced blood flow of the main artery in front of the coffin bone. She spent most of 2012 in stall rest and received extensive therapy treatments for 60 days immediately prior to beginning use of the TheraPlate, with no noticeable improvement. Owner had been advised by his vet that he should consider retiring the mare, as they felt that there was nothing more that could be done for her. Because she is a multi time World Champion he decided to try a couple of months on the TheraPlate. Venogram X-rays were done, prior to beginning the TheraPlate to document progress if any. They are presented below:





Therapy:

The mare used the TheraPlate two times per day for 45 days. Each treatment lasted about 20 minutes, following the recommended protocols for Laminitis. Additional Venogram X-rays were performed 45 days later.

They are presented below:



RF - DV
RF Foot
11/10/12 09:35:36

Katelyn
Cruse, Steve
1/1/00

RF - Skyline
RF Foot
11/10/12 09:35:56

Katelyn
Cruse, Steve
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Results:

Treating Vet estimated a 75% improvement in circulation and that the rotation of the coffin bone had stopped. The horse remains sound and the current plan is to show the horse again in 2013.

