

## **Durango Equine Veterinary Clinic**

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**Externs/ Preceptors Accepted**- preferably at least 2 weeks duration & during spring season (Feb-June), will accept year round

4 Doctor Equine Exclusive Practice: 3 permanent veterinarians and one intern. All doctors in the practice are active members of the AVMA, AAEP, and AZVMA.

Lloyd H. Kloppe, DVM, ACT- in practice 25+ years, owner of the practice

Traci Hill Hulse, DVM- Associate since 1995

Alana Hendrix, DVM- Associate since 2004

We have a large farm/ clinic as well as an active ambulatory practice. Dr. Kloppe is board certified in theriogenology which he focuses on exclusively during the breeding season. If an extern is interested in reproduction, it is imperative they visit our practice February- June. Because of the variable case load in December, this time of year is not recommended.

Our practice has a large emphasis on reproduction during the spring season. Dr. Kloppe breeds over 150 mares at the clinic with fresh and frozen semen. We have multiple breeding stallions who stand at our clinic. Dr. Kloppe also does some embryo transfers. We foal-out mares at our clinic and perform a lot of routine & emergency neonatal work.

We also perform a lot of "general" equine medicine & surgery with a specialty in dentistry. Dr. Hendrix will acquire full certification in equine acupuncture in the fall of 2007. We have 2 ultrasound machines, 2 x-ray machines, 3 Powerfloats, 2 dental dremels, and an in-house x-ray processor. We see a variety of equine breeds and disciplines. We perform elective surgeries including cryptorchids, hernia repair, enucleation, cryosurgery, urethral extensions, colpotomies, etc. We do not perform orthopedic, abdominal, or arthroscopic surgeries.

We offer housing for the extern. We can pick up the student from the airport. We offer a \$150/ week stipend for those students who stay 3 weeks or longer. We are located in the Southwest corner of Phoenix.

If you are interested in an externship, please contact Dr. Lloyd Kloppe by phone #623-386-2928 or email: [kloppelh@swlink.net](mailto:kloppelh@swlink.net). You can also check out AAEP's website under "Avenues" for more information on our externships.