

CODE OF ETHICS

RESPONSIBILITY TO INDIVIDUALS

Horse staff should:

- Provide their services conscientiously and competently.
- Not breach public trust, or the specific trust of their participants, clients, staff or competitors.
- Ensure that advice and directions provided give full and proper cognisance of personal safety.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Horse staff should:

- Continue to develop their professional knowledge and technical skills.
- Not undertake activities they are not competent to perform and, when in doubt, obtain appropriate advice and assistance that will allow these activities to be carried out competently.
- State qualifications, experience and prior responsibilities accurately.





BEHAVIOUR

Horse staff should:

- Maintain a high standard of integrity, and apply honesty and fair dealing in all aspects of their operations.
- Carry out their professional duties with due care and diligence.
- Conduct themselves in a manner which is neither derogatory to their colleagues nor likely to lessen the confidence of the public in Horse Safety Australia Inc.
- Communicate with the public in a professional and responsible manner.

PUBLIC RESPONSIBILITY

Horse staff should:

- Ensure that their professional actions and their general conduct help maintain the prestige of horse related activities and contribute to the quality and responsibility of horse operations.
- Seek opportunities to be of service to their community in matters relating to the horse industry.
- Within the limits of their responsibilities, ensure that areas of scenic or recreational significance, special scientific or archaeological sites, and the natural environment are respected, and that the requirements of land managers are followed.