



Accredited Africa Training Institute for Capacity Development

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COURSE BROCHURE

Horse Loading and Unloading for Transport

Culture and Arts / Sport

Unit Standard 244033 · NQF Level 2 · 4 Credits · 1 Day

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course equips learners with the knowledge and practical skills to safely load and unload horses for transport, minimising stress and injury to both horses and handlers. It covers essential techniques, safety protocols, and legal requirements relevant to horse transport in South Africa. By the end, learners will be able to confidently manage the loading and unloading process in a variety of transport scenarios.

Category	Culture and Arts
Subfield	Sport
Unit Standard	244033
Accreditation	SAQA Accredited · NQF Level 2 · 4 Credits
Duration	1 day
Training Method	Online, On-Campus, In-House
Certificate	Issued via AATICD LMS – verifiable online

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Demonstrate safe and low-stress techniques for loading horses into different types of transport vehicles.
- Apply appropriate safety measures and equipment to prevent injury to horses and handlers during loading and unloading.
- Evaluate horse behaviour and body language to anticipate and manage potential issues during transport.
- Implement correct restraint and tying methods to ensure horse safety while in transit.
- Analyse and comply with relevant animal transport regulations and welfare standards in South Africa.
- Design a loading and unloading plan that accounts for horse temperament, vehicle type, and environmental factors.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- This course is designed for horse owners, grooms, stable managers, transporters, and anyone responsible for the handling and movement of horses during transport.
- It is also suitable for learners in equine studies or animal care who wish to gain a recognised qualification in horse loading and unloading.

COURSE OUTLINE

Day 1: Horse Loading and Unloading for Transport

- Introduction to horse behaviour and stress responses during transport
- Legal and welfare requirements for horse transport (SAQA Unit Standard 244033)
- Pre-transport checks: horse health, equipment, and vehicle/facility inspection
- Safe loading techniques: approach, use of ramps, and handling aids
- Managing common loading problems: refusal, fear, and rushing
- Unloading procedures: safety, positioning, and post-transport assessment
- Emergency procedures during loading and unloading
- Practical demonstration and supervised practice

ASSESSMENT & CERTIFICATION

Delegates are assessed through exercises and a final test. A mark of **50% or above** earns an **AATICD Certificate of Completion**, issued digitally with a unique verification code. This course carries **4 NQF credits** at **NQF Level 2**.

PRICING (PER DELEGATE, EX-VAT)

Delegates	Training Method	Price per Delegate	Total
1	Online	R 12,800.00	R 12,800.00
1	In-House	R 16,600.00	R 16,600.00
1	On-Campus (Pretoria)	R 19,200.00	R 19,200.00

UPCOMING SESSIONS

Start	End	Method	Venue
10 Aug 2026	10 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Durban, South Africa
10 Aug 2026	10 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Mauritius
11 Aug 2026	11 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Cape Town, South Africa
12 Aug 2026	12 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Dubai, UAE
13 Aug 2026	13 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Pretoria, South Africa
14 Aug 2026	14 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Abu Dhabi, UAE
17 Aug 2026	17 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Shenzhen, China
18 Aug 2026	18 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Dubai, UAE

Contact us if no suitable date is listed – on-demand sessions can be arranged for groups.

HOW TO GET A QUOTE OR APPLY

1. **Get an instant quotation online:** visit www.aaticd.co.za, open the page for this course (Unit Standard 244033) and click **Get A Quote / Apply**. Select your training method and number of delegates – your quotation is generated immediately and emailed to you with the course brochure attached.
2. **Apply by email:** send the course title, your preferred training method (Online, In-House or On-Campus Pretoria), the number of delegates and your preferred dates to apply@aaticd.co.za – our team will reply with a formal quotation.
3. **Apply by phone or WhatsApp:** call +27 12 004 8389 or WhatsApp +27 65 077 6310 and we will prepare your quotation and reserve your seats.
4. **Confirm your booking:** accept the quotation and settle the invoice. As soon as payment is confirmed your delegates are enrolled and receive their AATICD LMS login details by email, along with joining instructions for their chosen training method.

Group discounts apply automatically – the more delegates you enrol, the lower the price per delegate. No payment is required to request a quotation.

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