

# FastTrack™ Heating and Fitting Guide



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**Congratulations on your purchase of Horsepower Technologies FastTrack™. Please take a moment to read these instructions before using the Heater Kit and FastTrack™.**

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844-51-HORSE

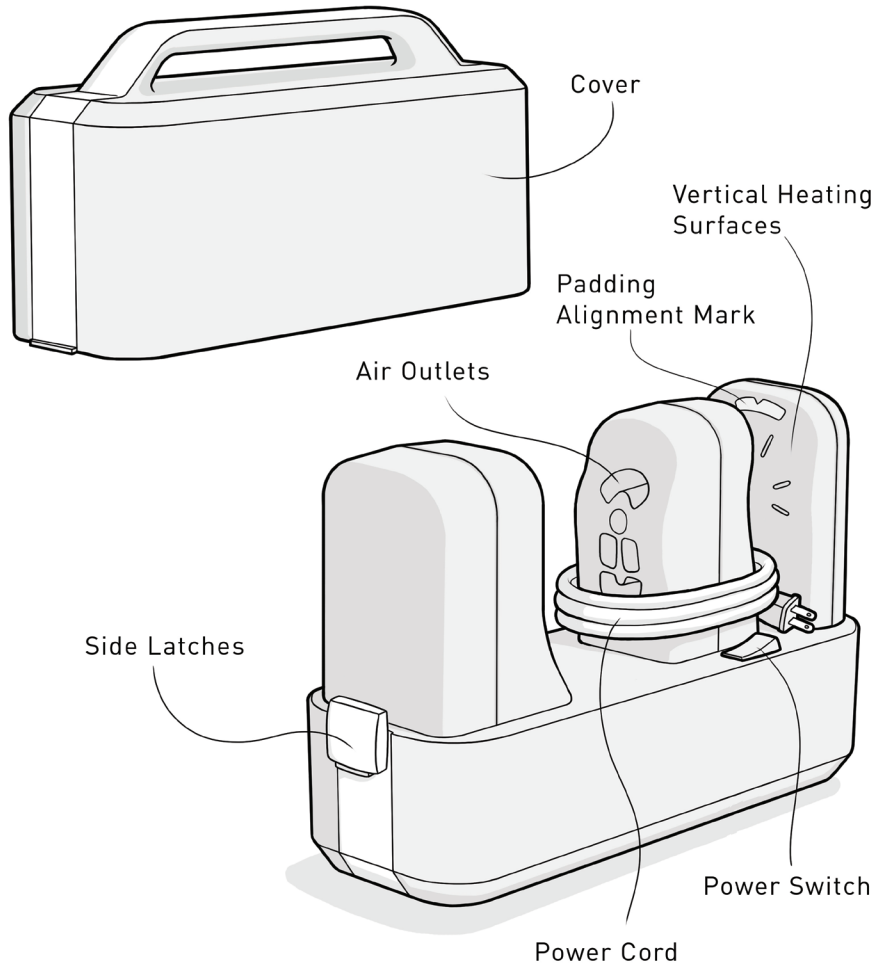
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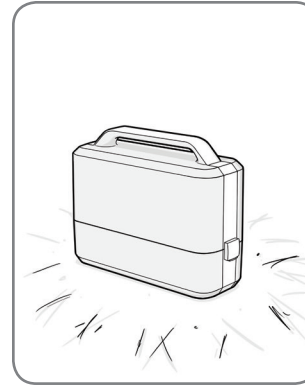
## **WARNING:**

1. Correct and accurate fit is critical to this device's proper performance.
  - Carefully read instructions and warnings prior to use.
2. Use extreme caution while using the Heater Kit as this device and FastTrack™ become very hot during use.
3. To avoid potential fire hazards always ensure the Heater Kit is placed on clean, dry and level surfaces prior to use.
4. If unit is damaged or inoperable, please discontinue use and call Customer Support: 844-51-HORSE.
5. A fire may result if the Heater Kit is not used with care, therefore:
  - Be careful when using the Heater Kit in places where there are combustible materials.
  - Do not use in presence of an explosive atmosphere.
  - Be aware that heat may be conducted to combustible materials that are out of sight.
  - Allow Heater kit to cool down before storage.
  - Do not leave the Heater Kit unattended when it is switched on.
6. If the supply cord is damaged it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent, or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.
7. For your safety, please use included heat-resistant gloves.
8. Horses are prone to sudden movements, please exercise caution while applying and fitting FastTrack™.
9. Unplug the Heater Kit when not in use.

# Heater Kit Features



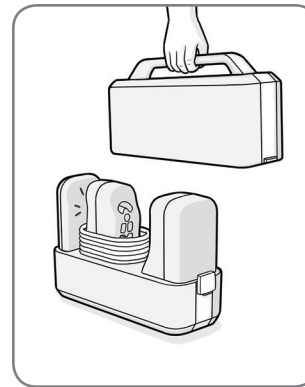
# 1 Set Up Heater Kit



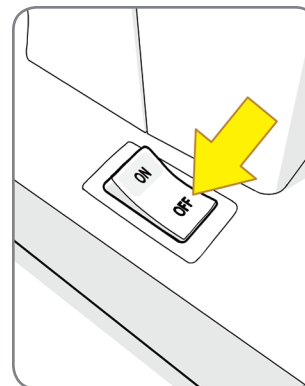
1. Ensure Heater Kit is placed on a clean, dry and level surface.

**WARNING:** Remove hay or potentially combustible materials surrounding heater as this could be a fire hazard.

Do NOT leave Heater Kit unattended during use.

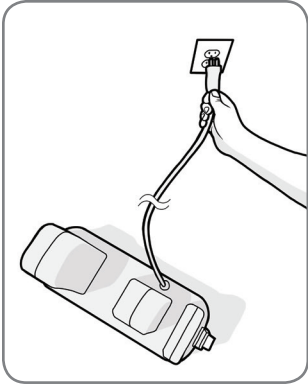


2. Undo both side latches.
3. Remove cover and set aside.



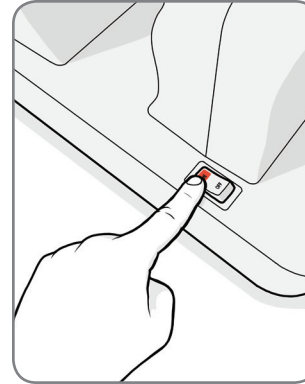
4. Remove bag with heat-resistant gloves.
5. Check to make sure the power switch is in the "Off" position.

# 1 Set Up Heater Kit cont.



6. Uncoil power cord fully and plug into standard 120 VAC outlet. Cord should not cross over the top surface of the Heater Kit in any way.

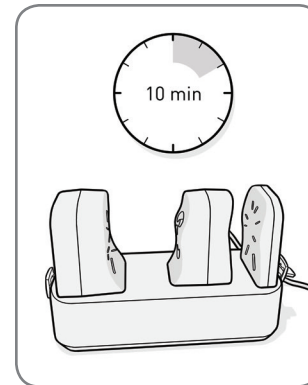
# 2 Preheat



1. With the lid off, turn the Heater Kit "On."

**Note:** "On" will be in the down position and red indicator light will be illuminated when Heater Kit is on.

**Note:** If the Heater Kit fan turns off during use, the red indicator light will remain on. This indicates that the Heater Kit has overheated. Turn switch off and allow Heater Kit to cool down for 30 minutes. If you continue to experience issues please contact Support.

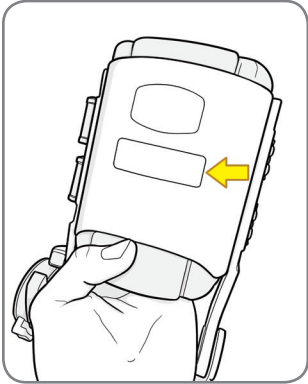


2. Run the Heater Kit for 10 minutes. Read ahead and complete Section 3 (Page 7) during Preheat. When time has elapsed turn off the Heater Kit and proceed to Section 4 (Page 8).

**WARNING:** User must turn off the Heater Kit to avoid potentially serious injury before proceeding to Section 4.

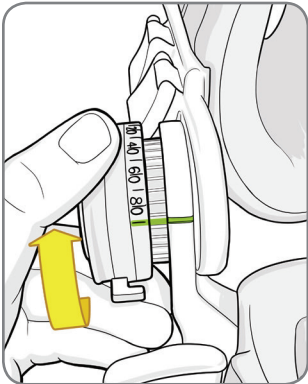
**Note:** The following sections make reference to the horse's Center of Rotation and other anatomical features. Please familiarize yourself with these terms in the FastTrack™ Daily Use Guide before proceeding to Section 6.

### 3 Prepare FastTrack™ for Fitting



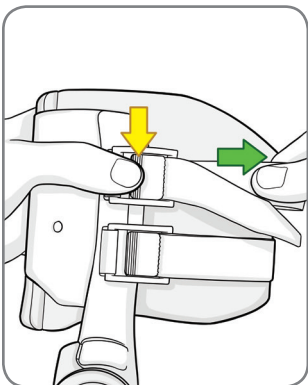
1. Unpack FastTrack™ from shipping box. Take care when opening the box to not accidentally cut FastTrack™. **Confirm both FastTrack™ units are undamaged.**
2. Choose which leg to start working on first and select the corresponding FastTrack™. Left/right is designated on the top removable sticker on the front of FastTrack™.

**Note:** Remove stickers before heating.



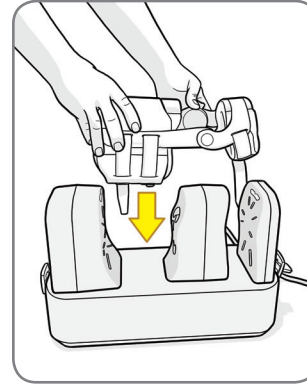
3. Familiarize yourself with the features of FastTrack™ and application of FastTrack™ to the horse's legs before proceeding to Section 4 (Page 8).
4. Make sure the horse's legs from the knee down are well-groomed, clean, dry and free of abrasions or irritations.
5. Ensure SafeStop™ is set to 90 degrees. Refer to Daily Use Guide for detailed instructions.

**Note:** 90 degrees is the last line on the SafeStop™ dial.

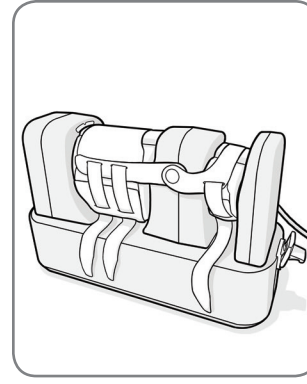


6. Unbuckle all straps from FastTrack™ and loosen Velcro wraps.

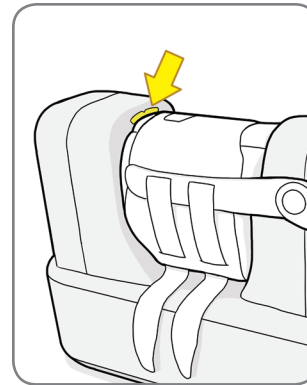
### 4 Insert FastTrack™ into Heater Kit



1. Place unbuckled FastTrack™ into Heater Kit.

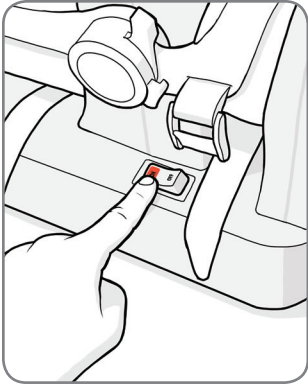


2. Ensure FastTrack™ is fully seated between vertical heating surfaces.
3. Straps should be outside of the vertical heating surfaces and hanging on the outside of the base.



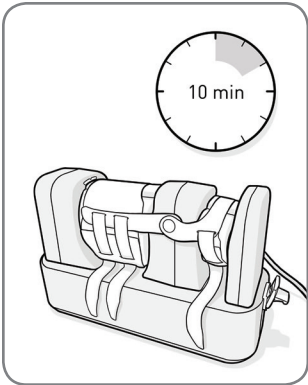
4. You should be able to fully see both padding alignment marks when FastTrack™ is properly installed.

## 5 Heat FastTrack™ for Fitting



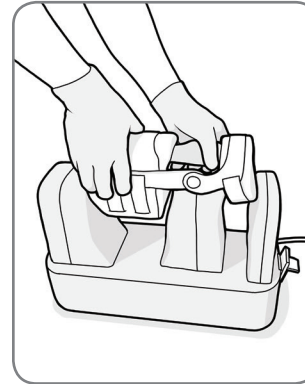
1. Turn Heater Kit "On."

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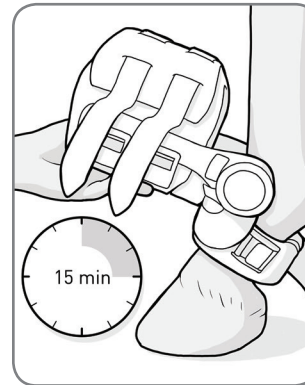
2. Heat FastTrack™ for 10 minutes.
3. When time has elapsed, turn heater off.
4. **Immediately** proceed to Section 6 (Page 10).

## 6 Fit FastTrack™ to Horse's Leg

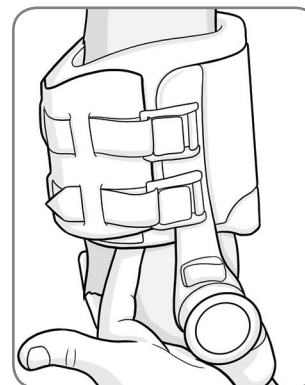


1. Make sure the horse is standing square on a firm, flat surface.
2. Using supplied heat-resistant gloves, remove FastTrack™ and immediately put on horse's leg.

**Note:** The padding cools quickly; the best fit is achieved when the padding is applied to the leg immediately after heating.

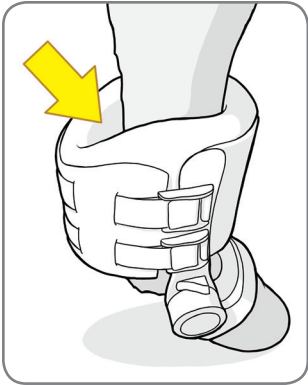


3. Gently but firmly, put lower cuff on horse's leg first followed by upper cuff and secure the straps. Refer to Daily Use Guide for clarification on applying FastTrack™ to horse's leg.
- WARNING:** Upper cuff may be difficult to apply to horse's cannon when heated due to expanded foam. Open upper cuff fully and use caution when applying.
4. Keep FastTrack™ on horse's leg for 15 minutes until the padding has cooled.



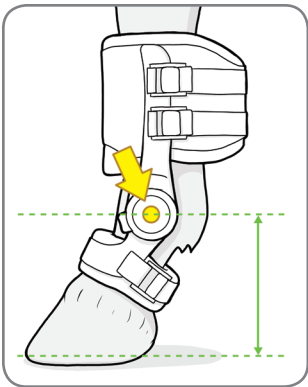
5. Check the fit of FastTrack™ to ensure the padding has formed correctly to the horse's leg. The heating process may be repeated to achieve a better fit if necessary.
6. A snug but not uncomfortably tight fit of FastTrack™ on the limb is essential to ensure full effectiveness.

## 6 Fit FastTrack™ to Horse's Leg cont.

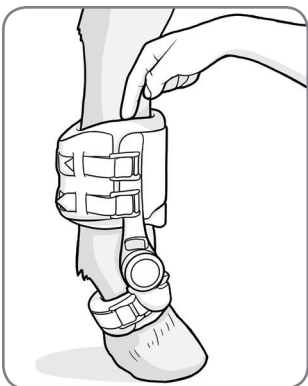


7. Check for a minimum of 0.5" clearance between interior of tendon bumpers and sides of FastTrack™, from any tendon and/or ligament structures on the horse's distal limb between knee (carpus) and fetlock.

**Note:** A gap behind the tendon is desirable. The lower cuff must close completely in the back.

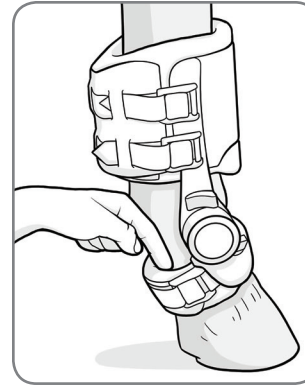


8. Check that the center of the SafeStop™ is at the same height off the ground as the Center of Rotation, i.e. the 2 axes of rotation should be in alignment.

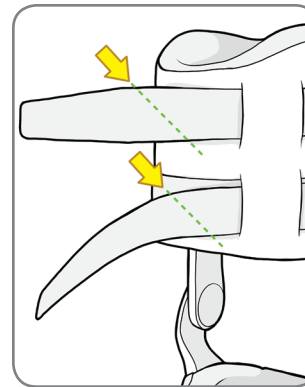


9. Test fit by placing index finger in between pad and horse's leg from the top.  
**Note:** Fit should be very snug. It should be difficult to get your index finger between the cannon and the padding.  
**Note:** You may not have the same spacing on both sides of the cannon.

## 6 Fit FastTrack™ to Horse's Leg cont.



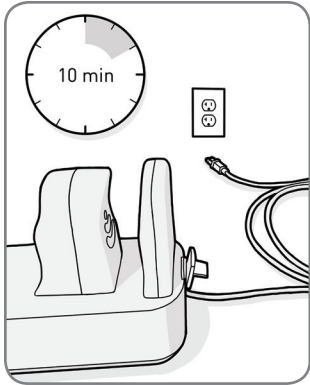
10. Lower cuff should be set mid-pastern with no contact of cuff padding with heel bulbs or coronary band while horse is standing square.
11. Lower cuff should fit very snug against pastern. The padding should close securely in the back.



12. Once cool, remove FastTrack™ and check the horse's leg for any rubbing, irritation and/or swelling at contact points between FastTrack™ and the leg. Minor hair disturbance is normal and is not cause for concern.
13. Reapply FastTrack™ to confirm the padding fits correctly.
14. Once a correct FastTrack™ fit has been confirmed, excess strap length can be trimmed with scissors so they tuck better into the keepers.

**Repeat the above steps for the other FastTrack™ unit.**

## 7 Cool Down and Storage



1. Unplug Heater Kit. Allow device to cool down for 10 minutes or as needed.



2. Recoil power cable and store gloves.
3. Place cover back on Heater Kit and secure using side latches unless Heater Kit is to be used in a clean environment.
4. Heater Kit is safe to transport once cool.

## Storage and Care Instructions

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| <b>After Every Use:</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Inspect for damage to unit and cord</li></ul>  |
| <b>Storage:</b>         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Store in a cool and dry area</li></ul>   |
| <b>Cleaning:</b>        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Clean and dry by hand using cloth or brush</li><li>• Do not use water / liquids to clean</li></ul> |

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