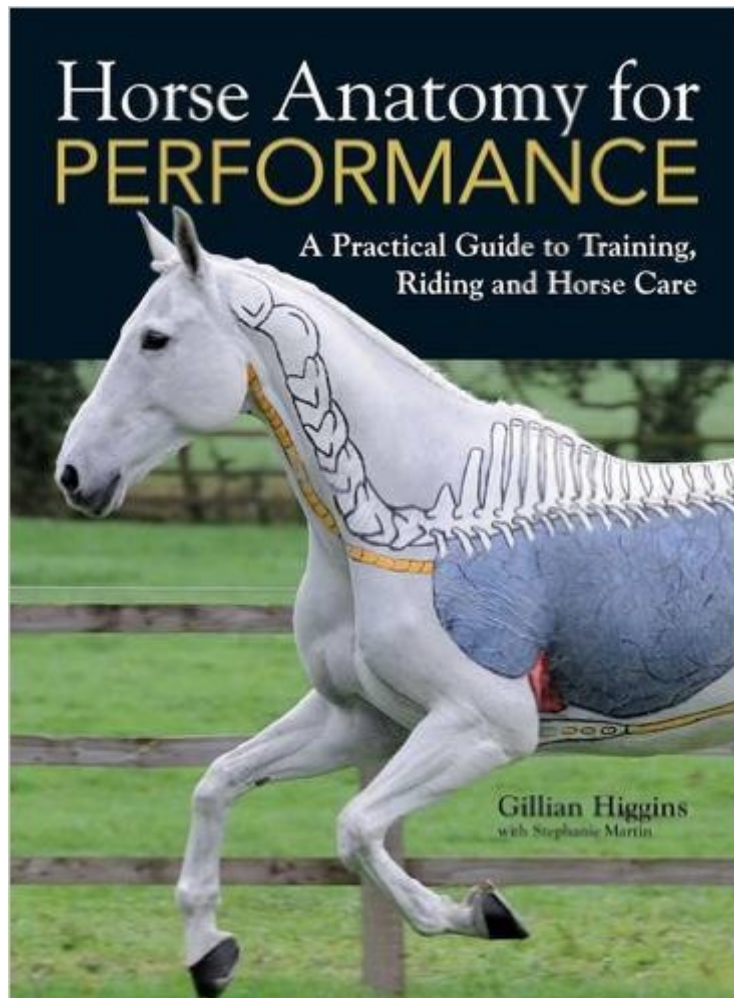


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# Horse Anatomy For Performance



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Examine the anatomy of a horse from an entirely different perspective. This intriguing and original explanation of the 11 internal body systems of horses shows them painted on the outside to describe everything on the inside. The horse is a highly sophisticated living organism so to enable him to reach his full athletic performance and give him a happy, healthy quality of life it is vital to understand both his capabilities and limitations within the context of his structure and function. Gillian Higgins turns her trademark technique of painting internal diagrams directly onto live horses to show how all the systems work, and work together, to influence performance and reduce the risk of injury. Divided into 12 chapters, *Horse Anatomy for Performance* combines high quality photographs and intricate paintings with top tips and fascinating facts to provide a practical and useful guide to horse anatomy. Visually appealing, original and easily understandable, the book explains how anatomy influences the way we manage, ride and train our horses. This book is a sequel to *How Your Horse Moves* by Gillian Higgins; together the books provide a comprehensive guide to horse anatomy in action. "Finally a book where you can learn how your horse ticks - inside out - and it is easy to understand and fun to read. A must for every serious equestrian." --Dr W. Bechtolsheimer

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It is by far the best horse related book I have read in a long time. Very informative, everything there is to know about horses, their care, their body, their training and at the same time very clear

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This book is so detailed and has amazing visuals and details in the pictures. It is very easy to follow and makes learning parts of the horse easy. I love this book and it will make a great reference for equestrian/vet students.

Gillian Higgins writes and illustrates her writing so that non-technically and technically-oriented people can understand the basic way a horse's muscles, bones and nerves function together. The best thing about this book is that it helps one understand why other horsemanship techniques work or don't work. Great book. I recommend it to all horseman who want to improve their skills. Wish there was a book like this for the human body.

I love this book! Brings a whole new level of understanding the biomechanics of the horse and is a great tool to add to your Classical training toolbox.

I absolutely LOVE this book!!! By far the best equine anatomy book I have in my library. It's very easy to read and understand. The painted horse pictures make it easy to look at your own horses and know where things are located in his body. I would highly recommend this book to any horse owner, handler, rider, farrier, vet student, or body worker!

This is a great presentation of the horse inside out. Creatively done showing exactly what each physical system (muscular, skeletal, circulatory, etc) is doing while in motion. Meant for performance riders, but terrific anatomy for artists of horses.

Well organized, easy to understand Equine system including what we might over look! Glad to have the lymphatic and endocrine included with everything else! Very thorough and easy to understand book. I gained knowledge that I did not know I needed!! Easy to locate what I need!

LOVE this book!! Love all of Gillian's books & videos! The artistry is amazing but the detail allows you to see just how everything is interconnected. The videos are truly awesome but the books allow you to really examine how everything works together. If you are interested in how to strengthen a particular part there is great information here!

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