Preventing Colic in Horses Dr. Christine King

## Chart for monitoring horses with colic

Time	Heart Rate (beats/minute)	Gum Color (light pink, dark pink, reddish, purple)	Capillary Refill Time (normal, <2 seconds)	<b>Hydration</b> (gum moisture, skin tenting, temperature of extremities)	Bowel Activity (gut sounds, manure)	Treatment (drug, dosage, route of administration)

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