

POWER.....CHANGE.....THE HORSE



I would like to thank Partners For Progress, NFP for all the smiles and the amazing progress of my 3 year old son, Christopher.



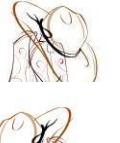
When Christopher started riding he was very unregulated, quiet, and often off in his own world. He struggled to stay engaged in any task and was not making as much progress as we had hoped for in his other therapies.



At first he was afraid of being on the horse but his therapist and the other parents were very supportive and encouraged us to keep riding. Within a few weeks, we noticed an immediate change. Christopher was no longer afraid and he was getting stronger each time he rode. Christopher has been riding now for almost 7 months and he LOVES riding. We have seen



improvement across all areas including muscle tone, awareness, engagement, communication, self-regulation, and confidence. He runs into the barn now and is so at ease on the horses. He looks like a very small cowboy and is always grinning from ear to ear when he is riding.



Our family is so grateful to Partners For Progress and everyone who makes this program possible. My son's life and ours is forever changed by this experience. Thank You!



Elizabeth, John, & Christopher Felageller

