



*The Pioneer Equine Hospital family is both saddened but pleased to announce the retirement of **Dr. Jerry Black** from the practice of equine veterinary medicine and his association with our hospital. We are saddened as Dr. Black has been a founder, partner and mentor to us and his presence will be greatly missed. We are pleased and excited for Dr. Black as he continues his career in the education and mentorship of young people interested in making horses and the horse industry their vocation. Dr. Black will be leaving us at the end of this month and moving to Colorado to lead the education of college students as director of Undergraduate Programs in Equine Sciences at his alma mater of Colorado State University. We wish him great success and want him to know that he will always be a part of our family here in California.*

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