

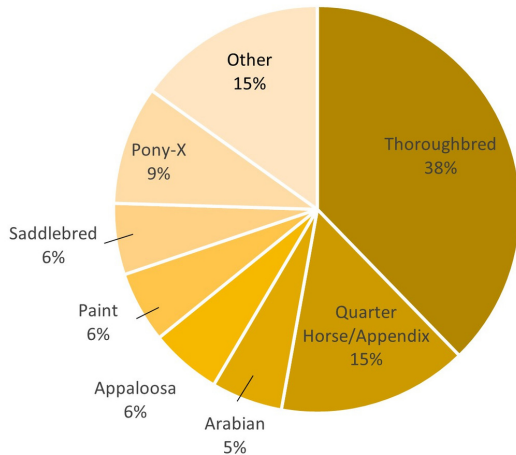


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METS 2020 Annual Report Highlights

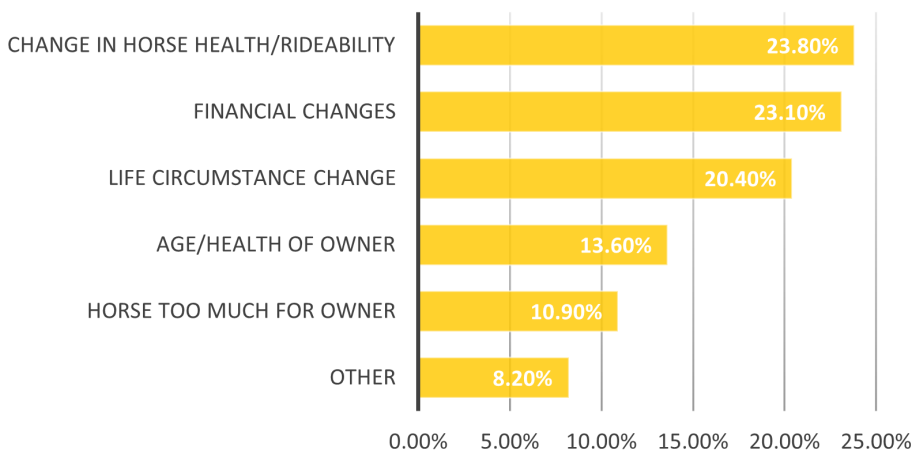
Breeds Assessed in 2020



- Completed 10 fully virtual assessments
- Assessed 26 mares and 27 geldings
- Continued transition assistance through a virtual model

- Completed 45 assessments of 53 horses
- Assisted with 60 transitions total, including seven horses that were virtually assessed
- Developed multiple fundraisers and brought in more funds than all previous years, despite COVID challenges

Reasons For Assistance Requests



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In April, The Maryland Fund For Horses (MFFH) and METS banded together to assist horse owners throughout the state affected by the COVID-19 economic crisis. The MFFH and METS collaboration was to provide an expanded safety net geared toward keeping as many horses as possible out of danger during this challenging time.



METS was able to function remotely with all our team members continuing their valuable work from assessment all the way through placement for the horse in a new forever home. From April to June, we operated through a virtual assessment model. In late June, we were able to return to modified in-person assessments where we required masks and social distancing. As cases rose again in December, METS decided to return to a virtual model until further notice.