## ENVIRONMENT

One of four 'physical/functional' domains concerning biological function and physical wellbeing.

The environment is the surroundings in which an animal lives and operates. So providing a safe and comfortable home for animals is very important. A horse's environment can also affect how it's feeling (its mental wellbeing). Providing the right environment can make a horse feel safe, comfortable and happy. A change in the environment may make a horse feel too hot/cold and uncomfortable.

## Good environment

## **Poor environment**



Plenty of space

Restricted/ cramped





So many hazards!





Here at Redwings... We want our residents to live as naturally as possible so most

live outside 24/7. Others may be in stables for training or vet care but we do all we can to make it as comfortable as possible e.g ventilation. heat lamps in ICU.



Access to shelter (natural and/or manmade)

