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AST MONTH, WE talked about the safety hazards involved with hanging hay nets too low. The same risk is present when you hang buckets too low in a stall or trailer. It's just too easy for a horse to get a front leg in a bucket that is hung too low.

1. To hang a bucket correctly, tie a slip-knot in one end of a piece of rope.
2. Put the rope under the bucket handle and pull the loose end of the rope through the loop on the knotted end.

# Don't Kick the Bucket

3. Pass the rope around a stall bar and pull it tight so that the bucket handle is tight against the stall bar (3b).
4. Then above your first wrap, pass the rope around the stall bar again.
5. Pull the rope through the loop you've made with the second wrap. 

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*Hang a bucket high so your horse can't get his foot in it.*

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