# Practice Partners Digest

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# **IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY**

**College of Veterinary Medicine** 



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ISU-CVM is supportive of our veterinary students interacting and developing relationships with veterinary colleagues regarding future professional employment opportunities. The Practice Partners Program was developed as a collaboration with SAVMA@ISU to foster these relationships.

The purpose of this monthly newsletter is to equitably and consistently share information from Practice Partners with the veterinary student body at ISU-CVM.



# **ISU-CVM Practice Partners Program**



For more information about the ISU-CVM Practice Partners Program, visit: https://www.regcytes.extension.iastate.edu/vmppp/



#### Veterinarian Position at Western Veterinary Services with an opportunity for couples and ownership

Do you have a passion for serving rural clients with full-service medicine? Are you someone who dreams of joining a team dedicated to professional and personal development? Look no further!

#### Location

We have 2 offices in Western SD. The primary office is in Kadoka and the satellite office is in Philip. We are located half way between the Missouri River and the beautiful Black Hills along I-90.

#### **Practice Overview**

Established in 1978, WVS is a second-generation practice originating with the retiring veterinarians, Drs. Bill and Norma Headlee and carried on by their daughter, Corale. We are passionate about taking care of our clients, our community, and our team. We believe in serving our communities through personalized service in a clinic-based setting. We have an updated facility with all the bells and whistles from ultrasound and digital x-ray to surgery suites with gas anesthesia and in-house blood work. We also have hydraulic chutes and trim tables, padded equine surgery room and stocked vet trucks with Bowie boxes. Also, our clients bring the individual animal cases to the clinic so doctors don't live in their truck.

#### What You'll Be Working On

- Continue the full-service medicine our loyal clientele appreciates.
- Build and maintain client relationships and educate on treatment options for all species.
- Manage a diverse livestock caseload from internal medicine, chute work, lameness, reproduction, record analysis as well as provide a full range of pet services.
- 85% beef cow calf, 10% companion animal 5% equine.
- Guide and utilize exceptional trained support staff including in-truck vet assistants.

#### **Qualifications**

- Doctor of Veterinary Medicine
- Licensed in SD with Level 2 Federal Accreditation.
- Demonstrate commitment to ethics and integrity.
- Possess excellent interpersonal and communication skills.

#### What's In It For You

- Salary \$90,000 110,000 BOE with bonus opportunities.
- 4-day work week option with emergency coverage shared with owners (avg 40 emergencies/year/doctor and 100% of emergencies done in clinic.)
- Weekly team meetings and doctor rounds to discuss cases and mentor new graduates
- Health, Dental and Vision Insurance
- SIMPLE IRA
- PTO including extra for CE
- VMLRP available
- Licensing and professional fees
- Generous CE & Uniform Allowance
- Housing available in Kadoka
- An opportunity to own your own practice if you are interested.

### **Interested?**

Call Dr. Corale Dorn at 605-359-4968 or email drdorn@westernvs.com.

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SVP GO STUDENT PROGRAMS

1<sup>ST</sup> - 3<sup>RD</sup> YEAR STUDENTS 2 - 4 WEEK STUDENT JOBS

Work in active clinical environments with this immersive program, under the careful guidance of our most experienced DVMs!

- Scrub-in and assist with surgical procedures
- Work in specialty clinics
- Help provide emergency medical care

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4<sup>TH</sup> YEAR STUDENTS 2 - 4 WEEKS

Shadow a DVM and get real life experience at one of our 300+ hospitals across the U.S.

- Perform essential tasks under expert supervision
- General practice and specialty/emergency positions available

Our DVM Student
Program with Southern
Veterinary Partners (SVP)
gives you beneficial working
experience while providing
valuable mentorship, and
networking opportunities.
The program offers
four-week summer job
opportunities for 1st and
2nd year students and
externship opportunities for
3rd and 4th year students.

SVP pays \$500 weekly taxable for each student opportunity.



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<u>Veterinarian Position at Dells Veterinary Services, PC</u> Do you have a passion for serving clients with exceptional, full-service medicine? Are you someone who dreams of joining a team dedicated to professional and personal development? Look no further!

#### Location

We are located in Dell Rapids, SD. We are half way between the largest city in SD and Division 1 athletics showcased on ESPN Game Day.

#### **Practice Overview**

Since we started in 2006, we have seen tremendous growth in the area of dairy, beef feedlot and companion animal. We are a unique practice that services high-end dairy herds, beef herds and runs an AAHA accredited practice at the same time. Our staff is second to none with 8 full time staff along with kennel attendants and cleaning staff to make your day easier. Our 8400 square foot facility boasts all the bells and whistles for equipment from ultrasounds and digital x ray to surgery suites and in-house blood work. We have hydraulic chutes, hydraulic trim tables, Lane bull testing equipment, and stocked vet trucks with Bowie boxes. Our beef clients bring the emergencies and the bull testing to our indoor cattle facility so you aren't living in your truck.

#### What You'll Be Working On

- Continue the full-service exceptional medicine our loyal clientele appreciates.
- Build and maintain client relationships and educate on treatment options for all species.
- Manage a diverse livestock caseload from internal medicine, chute work, lameness, reproduction, record analysis as well as providing a full range of pet services.
- 35% dairy (average herd 2,000+ cows), 30% beef (cow calf and feedlot), 35% companion animal
- Guide and utilize exceptional trained support staff including in-truck vet assistants.

#### Qualifications

- Doctor of Veterinary Medicine
- Licensed in SD and MN with Level 2 Federal Accreditation.
- Demonstrate commitment to ethics and integrity.
- Possess excellent interpersonal and communication skills.

#### What's In It For You

- Salary \$90,000 110,000 BOE with bonus opportunities. Ownership options if interested.
- Enjoy a 4-day work week option with emergency coverage shared with owners (avg 45 emergencies/year/doctor and most emergencies done in clinic.)
- Weekly team meetings and weekly doctor rounds to mentor new graduates.
- Health, Dental and Vision Insurance
- SIMPLE IRA with up to 3% match
- PTO including extra time for CE
- VMLRP available
- All licensing and professional fees covered
- Generous CE & Uniform Allowance

#### **Interested?**

Call Dr. Corale Dorn at 605-359-4968 or email drdorn@dellsvet.com. Check us out at dellsvet.com

Animal of the month: Lion Panthera leo





# Launch Your Veterinary Career with DVM Launch!

Ready to supercharge your journey in veterinary medicine? Look no further than DVM Launch! We stand out from the corporate crowd with our network of privately-owned practices, offering hands-on, structured training programs for externships, internships, bootcamps and associate positions. We have GP, ER, Urgent Care, Specialty, Exotics and Mixed Animal!

Explore hospitals (and counting) across the United States, each providing tailored programs to fit your aspirations. Join a community of elite veterinary professionals committed to your success, offering continuous support even after program completion.

Don't miss out on this opportunity! Email <a href="mailto:Lcumings@dvmlaunch.com">Lcumings@dvmlaunch.com</a> to learn more!





# **WELCOME BACK!**

Veterinary School takes a lot of energy.

VCA wants to help you start the year right.



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# Join our team!

Holmes Animal Clinic is looking to add an enthusiastic, small animal or mixed animal veterinarian to our family-owned, well-established, yet rapidly growing practice. Holmes Animal Clinic provides primary care, referral services and emergency services for Kossuth County and surrounding northern lowa counties.

# Our Practice:

- Newly renovated
- 80% small animal, 20% large animal
- · High quality medicine
- Well established, yet rapid growing client base
- Idexx laboratory suite, digital xray, Core View ultrasound, Companion Animal laser,
   new endoscopy system w/ TCI scope, ultrasonic dental machine...and more!
- Indoor horse stock & stable, portable cattle chute
- Opportunity to expand large animal if interested!

# Opportunities:

- Extensive mentorship
- Competitive salary
- Excellent health insurance
- Paid time off
- CE allowance

practice a special interest we currently do not offer!

# **Contact Us:**

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# **Ethos Veterinary Health**

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# Veterinary Student Externship Program

Our veterinary externship programs offer you an active learning experience where you participate in daily hospital rounds and engage in case discussions, contributing your observations and questions. While primarily observational, you will also assist in these tasks based on your skills and current rotation, gaining practical experience that enhances your understanding of veterinary medicine in the private practice setting

## **Rotation Diversity:**

Participate in outpatient care, emergency management, surgeries, diagnostics, and client interactions.

## **Learning Opportunities:**

Engage in daily hospital rounds, contribute to case discussions, and observe diverse veterinary practices.

# **Hands-on Experience:**

Depending on your skills and rotation, participate in practical tasks with supervision and guidance from our expert veterinarians and veterinary technicians.

# **Experience Life in Practice:**

See the workflows and live the team dynamics of the country's leading emergency and referral hospitals.

## **Featured Student**

## **Casey Lavendar**

DVM Candidate at Mississippi State College of Veterinary Medicine

"I spent a week with at an Ethos Veterinary Health Hospital in Columbia and Hunt Valley, Maryland! I didn't expect Maryland to have so much charm and the crab dip is to die for! I spent a week split between Pet+ER's two hospitals within the Chesapeake Veterinary Referral Center! I had such a blast at both hospitals! They were some of the largest hospitals I have visited so far and offer such a wide range of services for their patients along with an excellent opportunity for learning and mentorship for veterinary students! Thanks Dr. Tag, Dr. Christine Klippen, Dr. Capen, and Dr. Hershner for such a great experience!!"

# **Questions?**

For any questions regarding Ethos' opportunities for Students or New Grads, please reach out to your Student Ambassador or email <a href="mailto:campus@ethosvet.com">campus@ethosvet.com</a>



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