



University of Illinois Veterinary Teaching Hospital

Directory for Referring Veterinarians



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Veterinary Teaching Hospital Administration

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Melissa A. Johnson	Assistant Director, Business Services and Human Resources
Ginger Passalacqua	Senior Coordinator of Client Services and Communications
Peggy Olsen	Administrative Aide

Quality service to our referring veterinarians is a high priority of our hospital and college. I hope that this directory puts at your fingertips everything you need to assist you in referring your clients and patients and enhancing their experience with our hospital and staff.



In the directory you'll discover faculty and services we've added recently. Please note and use our clinical coordinator team, which is dedicated to serving you. Our referral forms and fax lines enhance communication to ensure continuity in quality patient care.

Today's University of Illinois Veterinary Teaching Hospital exhibits Illini pride and a passion for excellence in patient care. I welcome your comments and feedback regarding your experiences. You can reach me at 217-265-6554 or vthdirector@cvm.uiuc.edu.

Mike Biehl, DVM, MBA, PhD
Hospital Director

Hello! I'm the person who answers the referring DVM hot line—217-333-5311.

Since I joined the hospital in 2001, I've come to know our staff well. I have a broad knowledge of our people and policies and will devote the time and attention you need to get your questions answered.

Working with our clinical coordinator team—the certified veterinary technicians in each section designated to work with referring veterinarians before, during, and after their patient's treatment here—I can help assure that you have all the information you need as we assist you in providing the best care for your patients.

Ginger Passalacqua
Senior Coordinator of Client Services and Communications



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Veterinary Teaching Hospital Phone Numbers

Referring DVM Numbers *(Please do not provide to your clients.)*

Small Animal Clinic	217-333-5311
Large Animal Clinic	217-333-2001

Large Animal Clinic

Main Number / 24-hour Emergency Line	217-333-2000
Appointments	217-333-2001
Farm Animal Production and Reproduction Services	217-333-7232
Medical Records	217-333-8100
Medical Records Fax	217-333-9796
Pharmacy	217-333-5329

Small Animal Clinic

Main Number / 24-hour Emergency Line	217-333-5300
Appointments	217-265-5163
Medical Records	217-333-5363
Medical Records Fax	217-244-9554
Allergen Hotline	217-333-5377
Pharmacy	217-333-5329

Diagnostic Services

Imaging Services	217-333-1800
Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory	217-333-1620
Diagnostic Laboratory Fax	217-244-2439
Clinical Pathology Laboratory	217-333-5342
On-line Lab Results	www-s.cvm.uiuc.edu/webvad/

Veterinary Teaching Hospital Director's Office 217-265-6554

Wildlife Medical Clinic 217-244-1195

CARE Pet Loss Helpline 217-244-2273
(Toll free) 877-394-2273

On-line Referral Forms

General Referral Form	www.uiuc.edu/goto/referral
Rehabilitation Referral Form	www.uiuc.edu/goto/rehabref
Radiology Referral Form	www.uiuc.edu/goto/radioref

Mailing Address

University of Illinois Veterinary Teaching Hospital
1008 West Hazelwood Drive
Urbana, IL 61802

Clinical Coordinators at a Glance

Clinical coordinators are certified veterinary technicians who are dedicated to working with referring veterinarians before, during, and after their patient's treatment here.

You may contact the clinical coordinator to schedule appointments and discuss treatment options with you or your clients before referring a case. After your patient arrives at the teaching hospital, the clinical coordinator is available to answer your questions, connect you with the doctor managing the case, and keep you informed about your patient. Once your patient is released, the clinical coordinator can provide test results and help with follow-up care.

Service	Clinical Coordinator	Phone (217 AC)	Email	Hours	Service Schedule
Senior Coordinator of Client Services and Communications	Ginger Passalacqua	333-5311	passalac@uiuc.edu	For immediate assistance with any service area.	
Anesthesia/Pain Management	Deneen Cordell	265-0694 333-5328	dcordell@uiuc.edu	7:30–3:30	appt: M-F
Dentistry	Misty Finn	333-5859	mae80@uiuc.edu	8:30–5:00	appt: M-Th
Dermatology	Sandra Grable	244-8303	sgrable@uiuc.edu	8:30–4:30	appt: M-F
Emergency Small Animal	Jessica Garrett	333-5300	jessicab@uiuc.edu	8:00–4:00	24/7
Equine	Natalie Harrison	265-2666	nharrison@uiuc.edu	8:00–4:00	appt: M-Th
Exotics	Kim Byrne	265-6437	kjayne@uiuc.edu	8:00–4:00	appt: M, Th
FARMS	Connie Arnold	244-5117	cjarnold@uiuc.edu	8:00–4:00	as needed
Imaging	Susan Hartman	244-2031	shman@uiuc.edu	9:00–5:00	none
Intensive Care	Alyssa Galligan	265-8098	agalliga@uiuc.edu	7:30–3:30	none
Small Animal Medicine	Megan Miller	333-5300		8:30–4:30	appt: M-F (F rechecks only)
Oncology	Nancy George	244-7789	ngeorge@uiuc.edu	8:30–3:30	appt: M,T,Th,F
Ophthalmology	Shari Poruba	333-5374	poruba@uiuc.edu	8:00–4:00	appt: M,W,F
Orthopedics	Carrie Bubb	265-5533	cbubb@uiuc.edu	8:00–4:00	appt: M,W
Rehabilitation	Kim Knap	265-5314	knap@uiuc.edu	7:30–3:30	appt: M-F
Soft Tissue Surgery	Michelle Jaeger	333-6808	mjaeger@uiuc.edu	8:00–4:00	appt: T,Th
Theriogenology	Kim Kensell	244-1357	kcormany@uiuc.edu	7:30–3:30	appt: as needed

Information for the Referring Veterinarian

Important Phone Numbers

	Small Animal Clinic	Large Animal Clinic
Referring DVM Hotline	217-333-5311	217-333-2001
Appointment Line for Clients	217-265-5163 or 217-333-5300	217-333-2000
Medical Records Phone	217-333-5363	217-333-8100
Medical Records Fax	217-244-9554	217-333-9796

Members of the Patient Care Team

The team of caregivers who will work with you and your client to provide exceptional care for the patient will be directed by a faculty member who has received advanced training and, in most cases, board certification from specialty organizations. Other members of the team may include:

- Residents in training for board certification;
- Interns engaged in postdoctoral training;
- Certified veterinary technicians and possibly veterinary technician students;
- Fourth-year veterinary students.

Please understand that in addition to their clinical service, faculty members also have teaching, research, and administrative responsibilities. Therefore, referrals must be made with the faculty member assigned to clinical duty at the time the animal is presented. This is true even if you've spoken with another faculty member by phone and he/she has encouraged you to refer a case. Although the clinicians on duty during your patient's visit may vary, we strive for close communication among the staff and complete medical records to enable us to provide continuity of care.

Communication Regarding Cases

- A preliminary contact report will be sent to you after your referral patient has been examined, or the case clinician may contact you by phone.
- As the referring veterinarian, you will receive a final written report after the patient is discharged.
- Please contact the appropriate clinical coordinator if you have questions about the diagnostic and treatment plans or estimated costs for referred patients. The clinical coordinators are dedicated to helping you gain information about your patient's status.
- If you wish to be contacted by email, please send your email address to: medrec@cvm.uiuc.edu.

How to Refer a Patient

Please complete the following steps when you are referring a patient:

- Contact the hospital via the referring DVM hot line or by calling the appropriate clinical coordinator.
- Complete the appropriate Referral Data Form (www.uiuc.edu/goto/referral). (You may send the completed form with the client or fax it to our Medical Records section before the patient arrives. See fax numbers above.)
- Provide your client with:
 - a copy of the medical record
 - the completed Referral Data Form (unless it is faxed)
 - relevant diagnostic images
 - the client information sheet and map to our hospital
- Please inform your clients that a deposit equal to one-half of the estimated cost will be required at the time of admission, and the balance of the bill must be paid in full at patient discharge.
- If a specialty clinic service appointment is not immediately available, emergency referrals are possible. The clients and the patient will be seen by an intern or resident who is under the supervision of the senior emergency clinician on duty.

Necropsies

- Please inform your clients that, if their animal dies on the way to the Veterinary Teaching Hospital, the clients should report to the admissions office or, after hours, to the emergency room. Our staff will attempt to contact you for your recommendations/instructions concerning necropsy of the animal. If we are unable to reach you, the client will be asked if a necropsy examination is desired and, if so, will be referred directly to the Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory. In this case you will be listed with the Diagnostic Lab as the veterinarian of record.
- Necropsies for animal patients that have been admitted to our hospital will be performed without charge to the client.

Information about Fees

- Fee increases occur in July.
- Additional fees may be assessed for diagnostic and treatment procedures performed outside of regular business hours.
- CDs of diagnostic images are available for a fee 3 to 5 days following discharge. Please contact Medical Records with your request.

Clinical Research Trials

Patients meeting the criteria for clinical research trials may be invited to participate in efforts to find answers to health problems in animals. Such trials may provide access to new treatments not otherwise available and in some cases may assist in covering part or all of the cost of service. For the current list of clinical trials, visit www.uiuc.edu/goto/clintrial.

Estimated Cost of Selected Small Animal Procedures*

Referral office visit fee	\$72 to \$94
Emergency fee	\$98
Arthroscopy of any one joint	\$1,500 to \$2,000
Bronchoscopy	\$1,075
CSF Tap	\$360 to \$425
Cystoscopy	\$1,080
Fine-needle aspirate	\$130
Gastrosocopy	\$1,015
Hemilaminectomy	\$2,500 to \$3,500
Joint tap	\$235 to \$400
Lateral fabellar suture	\$1,500 to \$2,000
Luxating patella	\$1,400 to \$1,800
Oncology evaluation	\$92
Prostatic wash	\$170
Rehab, one session	\$48
Rehab, two daily sessions with board	\$240
Rhinocopy with CT	\$915 to \$1,740
Total, unilateral hip replacement	\$3,500 to \$4,000
TPLO	\$2,500 to \$3,000
Transtracheal wash	\$260

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Carrie Breaux
Ophthalmology



**James P.
Brendemuehl**
FARMS



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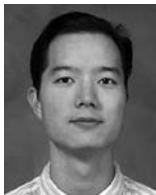
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Oncology



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Medicine



**Maureen
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Small Animal
Medicine



**Mark A.
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Small Animal
Medicine



Robert O'Brien
Imaging



Jessica Pallen
Equine Medicine
and Surgery



Marcella D. Ridgway
Small Animal
Medicine



**Debra S.
Sauberli**
Small Animal
Medicine



**Clifford F.
Shipley**
FARMS



**Allison A.
Stewart**
Equine Medicine
and Surgery



**Julia K.
Whittington**
Small Animal
Medicine



Jackie Wypij
Oncology



Carol Akers
Dentistry and Oral
Surgery



Kevin Au
Small Animal
Medicine



Kris Clements
FARMS



Virginia Coyle
Oncology



Arnon Gal
Small Animal
Medicine



Melissa Hoffer
Small Animal
Surgery



Crystal Hoh
Small Animal
Medicine



Jon Hucker
FARMS



Chantal Imbs
Small Animal
Surgery



W. Michael Karlin
Equine Medicine
and Surgery



Kenneth Keppel
Dermatology



Amber Labelle
Ophthalmology



Pamela Lucas
Oncology



**Michael
McFadden**
Small Animal
Surgery



Guillaume Ragetly
Small Animal Surgery



Varsha Ramoutar
FARMS



Domenico Santoro
Dermatology



Elysia Schaefer
Equine Medicine and
Surgery



Gwenn Schamberger
Dentistry and Oral
Surgery



Mitzi Zarfoss
Ophthalmology



Services

Assisted reproductive technologies
Cardiology
Computerized and digital radiology, ultrasound, and nuclear imaging
Dentistry
Dermatology
High-speed treadmill examinations
Internal medicine
Lameness
Mare and stallion fertility evaluation
Neurology
Oncology
Ophthalmology
Reproduction
Shock wave therapy
Surgery (soft and hard tissue, arthroscopic and laser)
Therapeutic shoeing

Special Interests

Arthroscopy
Colic
Infectious diseases of the respiratory system
Exercise physiology
Forensic detection of drugs
Joint infection
Lameness
Long-bone fracture repair
Neonatal medicine
Neurological disease
Osteoarthritis
Reproductive physiology and endocrinology
Stem cell therapy
Upper-airway surgery

Special Capabilities

Minimally invasive surgery, including arthroscopy and laparoscopy
Illinois's only Vet-MR Grande unit, capable of imaging the neck, head/brain, and lower extremities of horses; clear and concise diagnosis of deep digital flexor

tendon tears; Navicular syndrome; palmar foot pain; bone cysts; bone fractures; dedicated anesthesia and monitoring in MR unit

Two equine surgery suites with modern surgery tables and padded recovery rooms

Two climate-controlled equine wards

24-hour equine and neonatal ICU

Video endoscopy equipment for upper respiratory, urinary tract, and stomach

Faculty

Christopher R. Byron, DVM, MS, DACVS

■ Equine surgery, cartilage physiology, shock wave treatment of navicular disease, osteoarthritis, nutraceuticals, shock wave treatment, bone metabolism.

Natalie Coffey, BVetMed, DACVIM ■

Internal medicine, parasitism.

Jonathan H. Foreman, DVM, MS, DACVIM

■ Internal medicine, exercise physiology, respiratory disease, neurological disease, and neonatal medicine.

Thomas E. Goetz, DVM, DACVIM ■ Internal medicine, blood flow measurements, electrolyte imbalances, equine exercise physiology.

Jessica Pallen, DVM ■ Equine internal medicine.

Allison A. Stewart, DVM, MS, DACVS ■

Equine surgery, osteoarthritis, tendonitis, stem cell therapy.

Matthew C. Stewart, M Vet Clin Stud, PhD

■ Equine surgery, pathophysiology of musculoskeletal disease in the horse and chondrocyte biology; the control of proliferation in articular chondrocytes and the relationship between cell cycle control and expression of chondrocytic phenotypes during hypertrophic differentiation.

Additional Staff

W. Michael Karlin, Surgery Resident
Elysia Schaefer, Surgery Resident
Sally Duncan, CVT
Natalie Harrison, CVT

Appointment Times

8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday

For consultations/ appointments, contact:

217-333-2000

Services

Assisted reproductive techniques (artificial insemination, embryo transfer, in vitro fertilization)

Breeding soundness examinations for male and female animals

Castration, dehorning, and routine production procedures

Diagnosis and treatment of individual animal disease

Herd performance evaluation and consultation

On-farm medical and production assistance

Pregnancy diagnosis

24-hour emergency services

Faculty

James Paul Brendemuehl, DVM, PhD, DACT

■ Reproductive management of the mare and stallion, including embryo transfer, GIFT, semen and embryo cryopreservation, fertility evaluations, cryptorchid management, and fescue toxicoses.

Sherrie G. Clark, DVM, PhD, DACT ■ Swine theriogenology with a special interest in boar infertility. Male infertility of a variety of species.

Natalie J. Coffey, BVetMed, MS, DACVIM (Large Animal) ■ Internal medicine issues, parasitism, and herd health for goats, sheep, beef and dairy cattle, and equine medicine.

Edgar Garrett, DVM, MS ■ Lameness in cattle, production-limiting diseases of cattle, mastitis control in dairy cattle, and nutrition-related metabolic disorders in cattle and small ruminants.

John A. Herrmann, DVM, MPH, DACT

■ Diagnosis and management of subfertility in cattle, breeding management of dogs, herd health investigations and public health assessment and policy development.

Debra S. Sauberli, DVM, DACT ■ Canine and equine reproduction with an emphasis on infertility and assisted reproduction techniques, especially embryo transfer in horses.

Clifford F. Shipley, DVM, DACT

■ Theriogenology in all species with an emphasis on small ruminants, herd health, and management in all species.

Additional Staff

Kris Clements, Resident

Jon Hucker, Resident

Varsha Ramoutar, Resident

Connie Arnold, CVT

Kim Kensell, CVT

Rachel Griffith, CVT

Linda Walden, Client Services

For consultations/ appointments, contact:

Large Animal Front Desk for in-house appointments:
217-333-2000

Connie Arnold, CVT,
217-244-5117

Kim Kensell, CVT,
217-244-1357

Linda Walden,
for ambulatory
(on-farm) appoint-
ments: 217-333-7232



Services

Balloon valvuloplasty of pulmonic stenosis
Cardiac catheterization
Cardiac ultrasound (echocardiography)
Detection of heart murmurs
Electrocardiograms (ECG)
Management of congenital and acquired heart disease
Pacemaker implantation
Radiographs
Specialized cardiac studies, such as Doppler and color-flow ultrasound
Transvenous coil occlusion of patent ductus arteriosus (PDA)
24-hour ECG monitoring (Holter monitoring)

Visiting Faculty

Henry W. Green, DVM, DACVIM (Cardiology) ■
Therapies for heart failure and thromboembolic diseases.

Daniel F. Hogan, DVM, DACVIM (Cardiology) ■
Congenital cardiac disease, thrombosis, interventional cardiology.

Additional Staff

Glynis Reeves, CVT

Appointment Times

Mondays

For appointments, contact:

Client services, 217-333-5300

For consultations, contact:

Glynis Reeves, CVT, 217-333-7437



Services

Digital dental radiography

Dental prophylaxis

Extractions, including simple, multirooted, and complicated surgical extractions. Management of fractured teeth including vital pulpotomy and root canal therapy, and crown therapy

Routine and advanced periodontal therapy, including periodontal probing, subgingival scaling, and bone grafting of deep periodontal pockets

Special Interests

Jaw fracture repair with interdental splints

Management of severe stomatitis and malocclusions

Management of unusual oral lesions, including myositis, osteomyelitis, bone sequestra dentigerous cysts, feline odontoclastic resorptive lesions and dental caries

Surgical treatment for oral tumors

Special Capabilities

Digital radiography

High-speed fiberoptic dental unit

Light-speed endodontic technology

Faculty

Sandra Manfra Marretta, DVM, DACVS, DAVDC (Surgery, Dentistry) ■ Epidemiology of dental disease in the dog and cat; advances in the recognition and treatment of periodontal and endodontic disease, jaw fractures, and TMJ luxations in these species.

Additional Staff

Carol Akers, Resident

Gwenn Schamberger, Resident

Misty Finn, CVT

Appointment Times

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday

For consultations/appointments, contact:

Misty Finn, CVT, 217-333-5859

Services

Allergic skin diseases
Bacterial skin infections
Blistering skin diseases
Cushings disease
Ear diseases
Excessive skin scaling/crusting
Fungal skin infections
Hair loss
Hormonal diseases
Immune-mediated skin diseases
Nail and nail bed diseases
Parasitic skin diseases
Pruritus
Seborrhea
Skin cancers
Thyroid disease

Special Capabilities

Intra-dermal testing to diagnose environmental allergies
Laser surgery to treat skin cancer and chronic ear infections
Specialized equipment to evaluate skin pH and hydration level
Staff pathologists with special interest in dermatology
Video-otoscopy to evaluate and treat ear diseases

Faculty

Karen L. Campbell, MS, DVM, DACVIM, DACVD
■ Dermatology, endocrinology, immunology (skin), bacteriology (skin).

Additional Staff

Domenico Santoro, DVM, Doctorate of Research, Resident ■ Dermatology, immunology (skin), canine atopic dermatitis, leishmaniasis

Sandra Grable, CVT

Appointment Times

8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday

For consultations/appointments, contact:

Sandra Grable, CVT, 217-244-8303

For allergen orders, call 217-333-5377, or visit www.cvm.uiuc.edu/allergy



Services

24-hour service, 365 days a year, accepting any emergency from anywhere, at any time. No referral needed.

Daily communication by fax to the referring veterinarian detailing diagnostics and treatments performed

Rapid response on-site laboratory services for blood gas analysis, electrolytes, lactate, glucose, ionized calcium and magnesium, and BUN and creatinine

State-of-the-art diagnostics and therapeutic options

Special Capabilities

Highly trained team consisting of diplomates in emergency and critical care or internal medicine and specialty trained technicians. We participate in clinical trials, collaborate with human and veterinary medical professionals, and remain active in professional organizations in order to offer cutting-edge treatment options to our patients.

Continuous cardiac and blood pressure monitoring

Continuous drug infusions, particularly for pain management

Defibrillators

Direct and indirect arterial blood pressure monitoring

Enteral and parenteral nutrition

State-of-the-art ventilator

On-site blood banking

Oxygen cages that are temperature and humidity controlled

Faculty

Supervising Faculty: Maureen McMichael, DVM, DACVECC

Julie Byron, DVM, MS, DACVIM

Olivier Dossin, DVM, PhD, DECVIM-CA

Thomas Graves, DVM, PhD, DACVIM

Marcella Ridgway, VMD, MS, DACVIM

Tiffany McFadden, DVM

ER/ICU Staff Intensive Care Staff

Kristin Beck, CVT

Marc Bozych, CVT

Leiah Carney, CVT

Kristina Donze, CVT

Dawn Flavin, CVT

Alyssa Galligan, CVT

Jessica Garrett, CVT

Chris Kuntz, CVT

Tara Maggio, CVT

Amber Raney, CVT

Jennifer Robbins, CVT

Casey Saindon, CVT

Abby Schraeder, CVT

Appointment Times

Open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

Referring veterinarians may alert the staff to incoming cases by calling 217-333-5311; the public may use our walk-in emergency clinic any time or call 217-333-5300.

For consultations, contact:

Emergency

Receiving: Jessica Garrett, CVT, 217-333-5300

Intensive Care

Unit: Alyssa Galligan, CVT, 217-265-8098

Services

Wellness examinations
Husbandry consultations
Vaccines
Complete diagnostics
Sexing, spay/neuter, egg-binding, and other reproductive procedures

Special Capabilities

Emergency service staff specially trained in handling and care of exotic pets
After-hours diagnostics
Intensive care for exotic pets: incubator, oxygen support, fluid therapy, nutrition support, access to full pharmacy for exotics
Radiologists, ophthalmologists, surgical specialists trained in exotic care
Real-time diagnostic testing, including hematology, radiology, cytology
Advanced diagnostic imaging: CT, MRI, digital radiography

Faculty

R. Avery Bennett, DVM, MS, DACVS ■ Surgery of exotic animals, oncologic surgery, microsurgery, minimally invasive surgery.
Jennifer N. Langan, DVM, DACZM ■ Zoological and conservation medicine, reptile, avian, marine mammals, non-domestic hoof stock and carnivores, anesthesia in all zoological species. (Dr. Langan works at Brookfield Zoo.)
Mark A. Mitchell, DVM, MS, PhD ■ Invertebrate, fish, amphibian, reptile, avian and non-domestic mammal medicine and surgery, as well as conservation medicine and clinical issues in non-domestic species.
Julia K. Whittington, DVM ■ Avian and exotic animal medicine, wildlife medicine and conservation.

Additional Staff

Kim Byrne, CVT

Appointment Times

8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday and Thursday

For consultations/appointments, contact:

Kim Byrne, CVT, 217-265-6437



Services

Emergency medicine
Endocrinology
Endoscopy
Gastroenterology
Hematology
Intensive care
Pulmonary medicine
Urology

Special Interests

Avian medicine and surgery
Blastomycosis
Chronic renal disease
Diabetes mellitus
Exotics
Feline hyperthyroidism
Lower urinary tract disorders
Reptiles and amphibians

Special Capabilities

Blood component therapy
Full range of critical care services
Radioiodine therapy
State-of-the-art endoscopy
Urodynamics

Faculty

Julie K. Byron, DVM, MS, DACVIM ■ Canine and feline urinary tract disease, canine urinary incontinence, cystoscopy and collagen implants, blastomycosis.

Olivier Dossin, DVM, PhD, DECVIM-CA ■ Gastrointestinal diseases, liver and pancreatic diseases, diagnosis and functional investigation of inflammatory bowel disease, assessment of intestinal permeability and absorption, enzymes kinetics.

Thomas K. Graves, DVM, MS, PhD, DACVIM ■ Endocrinology, geriatric medicine, renal disease, canine reproduction.

Jennifer N. Langan, DVM, DACZM ■

Zoological and conservation medicine, reptile, avian, marine mammals, non-domestic hoof stock and carnivores, anesthesia in all zoological species.

Tiffany McFadden, DVM ■ Emergency and critical care medicine.

Maureen McMichael, DVM, DACVECC ■
Emergency and critical care medicine.

Mark A. Mitchell, DVM, MS, PhD ■
Invertebrate, fish, amphibian, reptile, avian and non-domestic mammal medicine and surgery, as well as conservation medicine and clinical issues in non-domestic species.

Marcella D. Ridgway, VMD, MS ■
Gastrointestinal disorders.

Debra Sauberli, DVM, DACT ■ Canine reproduction.

Julia K. Whittington, DVM ■ Avian and exotic animal medicine, wildlife medicine and conservation.

Appointment Times

New appointments seen Monday through Thursday; rechecks afternoons and all day Friday.

For consultations/ appointments, contact:

Megan Miller, CVT,
217-333-5311

Additional Staff

Arnon Gal, Resident
Lidia Zimmerman, Resident
Crystal Hoh, Resident
Marc Bozych, Critical Care
Kristin Beck, CVT, Critical Care
Kim Byrne, CVT, Zoological Medicine
Leiah Carney, CVT, Emergency Medicine
Kristina Donze, CVT, Critical Care
Dawn Flavin, CVT, Critical Care
Alyssa Galligan, CVT, ICU/ER Supervisor
Jessica Garrett, CVT, Emergency Medicine
Christine Kuntz, CVT, Critical Care
Tara Maggio, CVT, Critical Care
Megan Miller, CVT
Amber Raney, Emergency Care
Jennifer Robbins, CVT, Critical Care
Casey Saindon, Critical Care
Abby Schraeder, CVT, Emergency Medicine
Kristie Stasi, CVT, Internal Medicine

Services

Animals with central nervous system problems as evidenced by seizures or abnormal behavior receive diagnostic and therapeutic services from the Small Animal Medicine service

Animals with signs of paralysis are evaluated by the Orthopedic Surgery service

Special Capabilities

Magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)

Computed tomography (CT)

Special Interests

Disc disease

Spinal fractures

Cancer of the spinal cord and brain

Inflammation of the central nervous system

Appointment Times

Orthopedics and Neurosurgery: Monday and Wednesday mornings, with surgeries scheduled for the following Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday.

Small Animal Medicine: Patients are seen on a referral basis only. New appointments seen Monday through Thursday; rechecks afternoons and all day Friday.

For consultations/appointments, contact:

Orthopedic and Neurosurgery: Carrie Bubb, CVT, 217-265-5533

Small Animal Medicine: Client Services, 217-333-5311

For emergency service for animals with acute or sudden onset of paralysis, 217-333-5300.



Services

Complete clinical staging and diagnosis of common tumor types affecting dogs and cats including the use of advanced imaging modalities such as spiral computed tomography and ultrasonography.

Client education regarding treatment choices including surgical resection, systemic chemotherapy, immunotherapy (melanoma vaccine), radiation therapy, and novel targeted therapies for the management of tumor-bearing companion animals.

Special Capabilities

Cooperating with the National Cancer Institute to evaluate novel anticancer drugs to treat tumor-bearing dogs

Active clinical and basic research programs focused on cancer biology and discovery of novel agents to treat tumor-bearing dogs and cats

Advanced radiological equipment to assess bone health

Computerized pressure-sensing gait analysis equipment to evaluate pain in dogs with appendicular osteosarcoma

Faculty

Sarah C. Charney, DVM, DACVIM (Oncology, Internal Medicine), DACVR (Radiation Oncology) ■ Clinical trials of new chemotherapy agents and protocols, as well as therapies for metastatic cancer.

Timothy M. Fan, DVM, PhD, DACVIM (Oncology, Internal Medicine) ■ Investigating novel therapies for slowing cancer-induced bone destruction and associated pain syndromes, with a primary emphasis in providing better therapies for alleviating discomfort caused by canine osteosarcoma.

Laura D. Garrett, DVM, DACVIM (Oncology) ■ Investigating small molecules which selectively promote cancer cell death with a primary interest in improving response rates and survival times in dogs diagnosed with multicentric lymphoma.

Jackie Wypij, DVM ■ Investigation of cancer at the molecular level and bridging the gap between basic science research and clinical application for pets.

Additional Staff

Pamela Lucas, Resident
Virginia Coyle, Resident
Nancy George, CVT
Rebecca Kamerer, CVT
Jennifer Rose, CVT

Appointment Times

New Referrals: 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

Chemotherapy: drop-off between 7:30 and 10:00 a.m., Monday through Friday

Patient Reevaluations: appointments between 9:45 and 10:15 a.m., Monday through Thursday

Clinical Trial Appointments: 9:45 to 10:45 a.m., Monday through Thursday

For consultations/appointments, contact:

Nancy George, LVT, Chief Clinical Case Coordinator, 217-244-7789



Services

Aquatic therapy (swimming and underwater treadmill)
Cart and/or wheelchair fitting/adjustment
Electrical stimulation
Evaluations
Local hot and cold therapy
Massage and soft tissue massage
Passive range of motion exercises
Tailored home exercises
Therapeutic exercise
Therapeutic ultrasound therapy
Weight management

Special Capabilities

Athletic conditioning
Dogs with chronic or neurologic conditions
Patients with inoperable conditions, such
as DJD
Post-operative patients

Appointment Times

7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday through
Friday. We make every effort to
accommodate the pet owner's schedule
and can typically see all appointments
for an evaluation within 3 to 5 days.

For consultations/appointments, contact:

Kim Knap, BS, CVT, CCRP, 217-265-5314,
knap@uiuc.edu



Special Interests

Angular limb deformities
Arthroscopic joint exploration
Canine hip dysplasia
Degenerative joint disease
Diseases of the elbow and shoulder
Fracture repair
Oncologic surgery
Surgery of exotic animals

Special Capabilities

C-arm radiology during surgery
Circular rings and hybrid fixation
Fluoroscopy-guided fracture repair
Harmonic scalpel
Joint replacement
Laparoscopy
Locking plate fracture fixation
Thoracoscopy

Faculty

Soft Tissue and Oncosurgery

R. Avery Bennett, DVM, MS, DACVS ■ General soft tissue surgery, surgery of exotic animals, oncologic surgery, microsurgery, minimally invasive surgery.

Cathy L. Greenfield, DVM, MS, DACVS ■ Thoracic and gastrointestinal surgery, minimally invasive surgery, and veterinary education research.

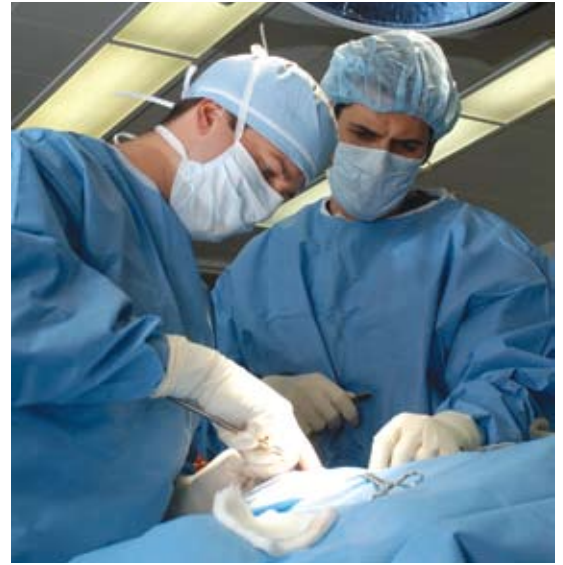
Orthopedics and Neurosurgery

Dominique J. Griffon, DVM, MS, PhD, DACVS, DECVS ■ Arthroscopy, abnormal limb conformation and elbow/stifle diseases, total hip replacement, bone graft substitutes.

Wanda Gordon-Evans, DVM, PhD, DACVS ■ Elbow replacement, osteoarthritis, post-operative pain management, cartilage repair.

Ann L. Johnson, DVM, DACVS ■ Fracture repair, bone healing, corrective osteotomies and growth deformities.

Sandra Manfra Marretta, DVM, DACVS, DAVDC (Surgery, Dentistry) ■ Epidemiology of dental disease in the dog and cat; advances in the recognition and treatment of periodontal endodontic disease, jaw fractures, and TJM luxations in these species.



Additional Staff

Kevin Au, Resident
Melissa Hoffer, Resident
Chantal Imbs, Resident
Michael McFadden, Resident
Guillaume Ragetly, Resident
Nancy Bauer, CVT
Carrie Bubb, CVT
Susan Hewitt, CVT
Michelle Jaeger, CVT
Kim Knap, CVT
Laura Lindstrom, CVT
Heather Soder, CVT

Appointment Times

Orthopedics and Neurosurgery: Monday and Wednesday mornings, with surgeries scheduled for the following Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday.

Soft Tissue and Oncosurgery: Tuesday and Friday mornings, with surgeries scheduled for the following Wednesday, Thursday, and Monday.

For consultations/appointments, contact:

Orthopedic and Neurosurgery: Carrie Bubb, CVT, 217-265-5533

Soft Tissue and Oncosurgery: Michelle Jaeger, CVT, 217-333-6808

Services

Provide individual anesthetic care to patients requiring surgery or extensive diagnostic procedures

Provide consultations to referring veterinarians and animal owners regarding anesthetic protocols or pain management strategies for acute and chronic pain states in all species

Faculty

Rachael E. Carpenter, DVM ■ Large and small animal anesthesia and pain management, critical care medicine/ anesthesia, emergency medicine.

Stuart Clark-Price, DVM, MS, DACVIM (Large Animal) ■ Characteristics of recovery from general anesthesia in horses and how they can be improved, novel uses of lidocaine, pain management, and anesthesia of the critical patient.

Additional Staff

Deneen Cordell, CVT
Shawn Broadstone, CVT
Justin Lancaster, CVT
Angela Otto, CVT
Jessica Parkin, CVT
Gena Sarr, CVT
Richard Siemers, CVT
Kim Smith, CVT

For consultations, contact:

Deneen Cordell, CVT, 217-265-0694



Services

Cobalt Radiation Therapy
Computed Tomography (CT)
Digital Radiography
Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)
Nuclear Medicine
Ultrasonography

Special Capabilities

Equine MRI
Picture Archival Capture System (PACS)

Consultation Instructions

When submitting radiographs for interpretation, please include a completed Radiology Referral Form: www.uiuc.edu/goto/radioref. Radiographs will be mailed back after they have been interpreted.

Send radiographs to:

Imaging and Radiation Therapy Office
Veterinary Teaching Hospital
1008 Hazelwood Drive
Urbana, IL 61802

Digital images may be submitted via CD or email to:
medrec@cvm.uiuc.edu.

To request digital copies of diagnostic images, please contact
Medical Records at 217-333-5363 or medrec@cvm.uiuc.edu.

Faculty

Robert T. O'Brien, DVM, MS, DACVR ■ Contrast ultrasound; feline cardiopulmonary imaging; advanced CT imaging of emergency and critical care patients.

Additional Staff

Jill Franzen, CVT
Susan Hartman, RT(R)CT
Debra "Sam" McCall, CVT
Beth Saupe, CVT
Melinda Smith, CVT
Caroline Wagner, CVT
Stephanie Walker, CVT

Hours

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday

Emergency radiographs available 24/7.

For consultations/appointments, contact:

Susan Hartman, RT(R)CT, 217-244-2031;
pager, 217-265-2139

To set up access to PACS images, please contact:

Medical Records at 217-333-5363

Services

Comprehensive eye care for large and small animal patients and exotic animals, such as birds of prey, lions, tigers, and cougars.

Special Interests

Cataracts
Dry-eye
Glaucoma
Hereditary eye disease

Special Capabilities

Aqueous shunts for glaucoma
Endolaser for glaucoma

Faculty

Carrie Breaux, DVM, DACVO ■ Surgical treatment of glaucoma, diseases of the posterior segment and equine ophthalmology.
Ralph E. Hamor, DVM, DACVO ■ Surgical treatment of glaucoma, tear function, tear testing and retinal electrophysiology.

Additional Staff

Amber Labelle, Resident,
Mitzi Zarfoss, Resident
Shari Poruba, CVT

Appointment Times

9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Emergency service and urgent appointments available through special arrangement.

For consultations/appointments, contact:

Shari Poruba, CVT, 217-333-5374

Small Animal Services

Artificial insemination using rigid fiber-optic scope transcervical techniques, vaginal or surgical deposition
Consultation services for private practitioners
Infertility diagnosis
Kennel health programs
Semen collection, freezing, and storage; import and export of frozen semen
Staging estrous cycles to determine optimum time to breed

Large Animal Services

Breeding soundness examination of females and males
Collection, freezing, storage, and shipment of semen and embryos
Embryo transfer
Herd reproduction record analysis and consultation, including nutritional and cow comfort
Immunization schedules to maximize reproduction
In vitro fertilization
Ovum pick-up techniques
Post-partum, post-breeding and management of sub-fertile animals
Routine reproduction exams of horses, dairy and beef cows, sheep, goats, cervids, and camelids
Synchronized breeding programs
(See also Food Animal Reproduction, Medicine and Surgery listing)

Faculty

James Paul Brendemuehl, DVM, PhD, DACT ■ Reproductive management of the mare and stallion including embryo transfer, GIFT, semen and embryo cryopreservation, fertility evaluations, cryptorchid management and fescue toxicoses.

Sherrie G. Clark, DVM, PhD, DACT ■ Swine theriogenology with a special interest in boar infertility. Male infertility of a variety of species.

John A. Herrmann, DVM, MPH, DACT ■ Diagnosis and management of subfertility in cattle, breeding management of dogs, herd health investigations and public health assessment and policy development.

Debra S. Sauberli, DVM, DACT ■ Canine and equine reproduction with an emphasis on infertility and assisted reproduction techniques, especially embryo transfer in horses.

Clifford F. Shipley, DVM, DACT, Section Head ■ Theriogenology in all species with an emphasis on small ruminants, herd health and management in all species.

Additional Staff

Kim Kensell, CVT
Rachel Griffith, CVT
Linda Walden, Client Services

For consultations/appointments, contact:

Linda Walden, Client Services, 217-333-7232
Kim Kensell, CVT, 217-244-1357
Rachel Griffith, CVT, 217-265-6750

Pharmacy

The University of Illinois Veterinary Teaching Hospital Pharmacy is a full-service hospital pharmacy that dispenses medications, provides intravenous admixture service, and advises on dosages and pharmacy calculations. As an Illinois Division V hospital pharmacy, it must comply with all relevant state and federal laws and regulations.

The pharmacy serves as a resource for clinicians, staff, and students and is actively involved in clinical research studies. Hospitalized patients are provided 24-hour service through faculty/interns/residents as needed. Medications may be dispensed to clients only for conditions currently being treated by hospital clinicians.

Hours

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday

Phone

217-333-5329

Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory

The Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory provides diagnostic medical testing to assist veterinarians and public officials in identifying and controlling disease conditions affecting animals, animals industries, and public health. It tests for infectious agents, toxins, and other causes of disease in animal diagnostic samples submitted by veterinary practitioners serving animal owners, public officials associated with public health, law, or wildlife management, and scientists with collaborative research projects. The laboratory also provides collaborative research support on the University of Illinois campus and assists in the training of veterinary and graduate students.

Main Phone

217-333-1620

Receiving

217-244-7630

Fax

217-244-2439

Email

vdifees@cvm.uiuc.edu

Address correspondence to:

Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory
College of Veterinary Medicine
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
1224 Veterinary Medicine Basic Sciences Building
2001 South Lincoln Avenue
Urbana, IL 61802

Ship diagnostic specimens to:

Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory
College of Veterinary Medicine
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
P.O. Box U
2001 South Lincoln Avenue
Urbana, IL 61802

Please note: Clinical pathology samples are accepted between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday in Room 1137 of the Veterinary Medicine Basic Sciences Building (not in the Veterinary Teaching Hospital).

Grief Counseling

The Veterinary Teaching Hospital health care team cares for both the medical needs of the companion animal and the emotional needs of the client. Emotional support is offered to clients and their families in coping with the illness, injury, or death of their animal. Support is available in person at the hospital, or by phone or email. The service is provided at no charge.

Please contact the hospital client counselor,
Cheryl Weber, MSW, LSW:

Hours

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday thru Friday

Phone

217-265-6702

Email

cweber79@uiuc.edu

CARE Pet Loss Helpline

The **Companion Animal Related Emotions Pet Loss Helpline** is a confidential telephone service offered through the University of Illinois College of Veterinary Medicine. Those who are either grieving the loss of a companion animal or are anticipating a loss are encouraged to call to find a compassionate, understanding person who will listen and offer support.

The helpline is staffed by veterinary students who understand the importance of the human-animal bond and the emotions involved when that bond is threatened or altered. The students have received training by professional grief counselors and undergo continued supervision by a licensed clinical social worker.

Calls focus on the emotions related to pet loss. To discuss specifics of an animal's illness or questions of a medical nature, callers are directed to contact a veterinarian. Callers who may need mental health services are assisted in identifying appropriate referral options in their community.

Hours

7:00–9:00 p.m. Central Time, Sunday,
Tuesday and Thursday

Phone

217-244-CARE (2273), local; 877-394-CARE
(2273), toll-free

Other Services

Wildlife Medical Clinic

The Wildlife Medical Clinic has a threefold mission: to provide care and treatment to sick, injured, or orphaned wild animals so that they can be returned to the wild; to provide hands-on training to veterinary students; and to teach the members of the community about the local environment and its wildlife.

The Wildlife Medical Clinic accepts ill, injured, or orphaned wildlife (except for skunks and bats) 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Upon presentation, the animals are triaged and then assigned to a team of 8 to 10 volunteers (generally veterinary students) who are responsible for treating the patient.

Phone

217-244-1195

Web site

www.vetmed.illinois.edu/wmc/



Other Services

Office of Advancement

The University of Illinois College of Veterinary Medicine aspires to be a leader in veterinary and comparative biomedical education, scholarship, and public engagement in the University of Illinois system, in the state, in the nation, and around the world. The Office of Advancement supports the goals of the College through outreach to alumni, fund-raising activities, and communications with veterinary, scientific, and animal-owning publics.

Alumni Opportunities: Join the University of Illinois Veterinary Medical Alumni Association to help support current students and alumni activities. Attend alumni receptions and events at national veterinary meetings. Connect with fellow alumni through the online social networking site "Always Illinois."

Communications: Sign up to receive the monthly College e-newsletter. Share your news for publication in the College magazine, *Veterinary Report*. Read the message from the dean in the *ISVMA Epitome*.

Development: Participate in the Companion Animal Memorial Fund to enhance your client relations. Put us in touch with grateful clients who want to make a gift to the Veterinary Teaching Hospital or the College in your honor. You can participate in the "Brilliant Futures" campaign by making an annual gift to the College, organizing a class gift, or including the College in your financial planning.

Phone

217/333-2761

Web site

www.vetmed.illinois.edu/advancement/

Email

advancement@cvm.uic.edu

This unit of the College of Veterinary Medicine is charged with engaging the public in veterinary medicine through continuing education programs for veterinarians and animal owners, exhibits at events, and Extension programs.

Continuing Education Programs: More than 100 hours of educational programming for veterinarians, veterinary technicians, veterinary students, and the animal-owning public are made available each year to meet the diverse educational needs of these audiences. For a current listing of upcoming programs, see the Web site.

Veterinary Education Online: This program delivers professionally developed, university-level courseware for veterinarians and veterinary technicians in an interactive Web-based format. Courses can be taken any time from office or home, at the user's pace. Find out more at www.VEOIllinois.org.

Pet Columns: These authoritative columns geared toward animal owners are available to veterinary practices for use in client education. To view an archive of past Pet Columns or to sign up to receive them by email, visit www.vetmed.illinois.edu/petcolumns/.

University of Illinois Extension: University of Illinois Extension provides practical, research-based information to help individuals, families, farms, businesses, and communities in Illinois "put knowledge to work." Extension veterinarians coordinate contacts with more than 13,000 consulting veterinarians and members of the animal-owning public each year, offering expertise in the following areas: equine, swine, small animal, dairy, and wildlife and exotics.

Open House: The student-run Open House, held each April, includes more than 50 fun and educational exhibits and demonstrations for all ages. The focus is on the art and science of veterinary medicine and animal-related areas. This is a great opportunity for those considering a veterinary career to learn more. Details for upcoming Open House events can be found at www.vetmed.illinois.edu/openhouse/.

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