

JULY- NOVEMBER 2024

Workshop Catalogue

Veterinarians & Veterinary Nurses









learning@veterinarytrainingcentre.com



www.veterinarytrainingcentre.com.au



<u>@veterinarytrainingcentre</u> #veterinarytrainingcentre



www.linkedin.com/showcase/veterinary-training-centres/



The Veterinary Training Centres (VTCs) are dedicated to empowering clinical excellence through elevating the skills and knowledge of veterinary professionals. As the field of veterinary medicine continues to evolve, it is crucial that todays practitioners remain up to date with the latest techniques and standards of care.

Our VTCs provide a safe and supportive learning environment where individuals can learn, practice and ask questions in a small group environment. This format gives workshop attendees the opportunity to build their skills and the confidence to be able to implement their new learning back in the consultation room or surgery.

Our VTCs have purpose-built facilities for training veterinary professionals in Australia and New Zealand. Each location features a high-tech seminar room, along with a separate wet-lab area where the practical components of workshops are held. Our Training Centres welcome veterinary professionals from the entire industry.

LOCATIONS:

NEW SOUTH WALES

Level 1, 63 Herbert Street, Artarmon, NSW, 2064

QUEENSLAND

Unit 1/28 Burnside Road, Ormeau, QLD, 4208

VICTORIA

Unit 8/37 Keilor Park Drive, Keilor Park, VIC, 3042

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

31 Main Street, Mawson Lakes, SA, 5095 TAFE SA Vet and Applied Science Centre: 33 Blacks Road, Gilles Plains, SA, 5068

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

30 Hector Street West, Osborne Park, WA, 6017 CTEC: 35 Stirling Hwy, Crawley, WA, 6009

NEW ZEALAND

155 Corsair Drive, Wigram, Christchurch, 8025











N

Contents

New South Wales Training Schedule	5
Queensland Training Schedule	6
Victoria Training Schedule	7
South Australia Training Schedule	8
Western Australia Training Schedule	9
New Zealand (Christchurch) Training Schedule	10
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses I - AUS	11
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses II - AUS	12
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses I - NZ	13
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses II - NZ	14
Behaviour for Veterinary Nurses	15
Consult Nursing	16
Emergency & Critical Care Masterclass for Vet Nurses (AUS only)	17
Emergency & Critical Care (ECC) for Vet Nurses (NZ only)	18-19
Surgical Nursing	20
Soft Skills for Vets & Vet Nurses	21
Abdominal Surgery I	22
Abdominal Surgery II	23
Behaviour for Vets	24
Brachycephalic Obstructive Airway Syndrome (BOAS) Surgery	25
Dentistry I: Dentistry for Vets	26
Dentistry II: Canine Dentistry for Vets	27
Dentistry II: Feline Dentistry for Vets	28
Dentistry III: Advanced Dentistry for Vets	29



Contents

Oncology	30
Ophthalmology I: Ophthalmic Diagnostics and Introduction to Surgery of the Eyelids	3′
Ophthalmology II: Management of Corneal Disease and Advanced Ophthalmic Surgery	32
Orthopaedic Surgery - TPLO	33
Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques I	34
Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques II	35
Thank you to our Sponsors	36





July - November 2024 Training Schedule New South Wales



How to register for Veterinary Training Centre courses:

- 1. Register through Eventbrite via the "BOOK HERE" link provided.
- 2. Please ensure that you specify any dietary requirements.
- 3. You attend the workshop!

Workshop	Audience	Date	Event times	Facilitator	Booking link
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses I	Nurse	Wed, 3 Jul	8:30am - 5:00pm	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses II	Nurse	Thu, 4 Jul	8:30am - 5:00pm	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
Behaviour for Vet Nurses	Nurse	Wed, 7 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Kersti Seksel	BOOK HERE
Behaviour for Vets	Vet	Thu, 8 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Kersti Seksel	BOOK HERE
Oncology New!	Vet	Thu, 15 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Mielke	BOOK HERE
Emergency & Critical Care Masterclass for Vet Nurses	Nurse	Tue, 27 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Jasmine Feeney	BOOK HERE
Surgical Nursing	Nurse	Wed, 28 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Jasmine Feeney	BOOK HERE
Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques II	Vet	Thu, 19 Sep	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Kaye	BOOK HERE
Abdominal Surgery II	Vet	Fri, 20 Sep	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Kaye	BOOK HERE
BOAS Surgery	Vet	Thu, 17 Oct	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Kaye	BOOK HERE
Emergency & Critical Care Masterclass for Vet Nurses	Nurse	Fri, 18 Oct	8:30am - 5:00pm*	Jo Hatcher	BOOK HERE
Soft Skills for Vets & Vet Nurses VIRTUAL	Vet/Nurse	Thu, 7 Nov	8:30am - 5:00pm*	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE

^{*}Please note that all Virtual sessions run from 8:30am - 5pm Brisbane time.



July - November 2024 Training Schedule Queensland



How to register for Veterinary Training Centre courses:

- 1. Register through Eventbrite via the "BOOK HERE" link provided.
- 2. Please ensure that you specify any dietary requirements.
- 3. You attend the workshop!

Workshop	Audience	Date	Event times	Facilitator	Booking link
workshop	Addience	Date	Lvent times	I dCIIILdLOI	Dooking link
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses I	Nurse	Wed, 10 Jul	8:30am - 5:00pm	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses II	Nurse	Thu, 11 Jul	8:30am - 5:00pm	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
Dentistry I: Dentistry for Vets	Vet	Tue, 30 Jul	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Anthony Caiafa	BOOK HERE
Dentistry II: Canine Dentistry for Vets	Vet	Wed, 31 Jul	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Anthony Caiafa	BOOK HERE
Dentistry II: Feline Dentistry for Vets	Vet	Thu,1Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Anthony Caiafa	BOOK HERE
Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques II	Vet	Thu, 22 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Mielke	BOOK HERE
Abdominal Surgery II	Vet	Fri, 23 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Mielke	BOOK HERE
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses I	Nurse	Tue, 10 Sep	8:30am - 5:00pm	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses II	Nurse	Wed, 11 Sep	8:30am - 5:00pm	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
Dentistry III: Advanced Dentistry for Vets	Vet	Wed, 16 Oct	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Anthony Caiafa	BOOK HERE
Emergency & Critical Care Masterclass for Vet Nurses	Nurse	Fri, 18 Oct	8:30am - 5:00pm*	Jo Hatcher	BOOK HERE
Consult Nursing New!	Nurse	Tue, 22 Oct	8:30am - 5:00pm	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
Soft Skills for Vets & Vet Nurses New! VIRTUAL	Vet/Nurse	Thu, Nov 7	8:30am - 5:00pm*	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
BOAS Surgery	Vet	Wed, 20 Nov	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Mielke	BOOK HERE
Oncology New!	Vet	Thu, 21 Nov	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Mielke	BOOK HERE
Orthopaedic Surgery - TPLO New!	Vet	Fri, 22 Nov	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Mielke	BOOK HERE

^{*}Please note that all Virtual sessions run from 8:30am - 5pm Brisbane time.







- 1. Register through Eventbrite via the "BOOK HERE" link provided.
- 2. Please ensure that you specify any dietary requirements.
- 3. You attend the workshop!

Workshop	Audience	Date	Event times	Facilitator	Booking link
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses I	Nurse	Tue, 30 Jul	8:30am - 5:00pm	Zoe Markham	BOOK HERE
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses II	Nurse	Wed, 31 Jul	8:30am - 5:00pm	Zoe Markham	BOOK HERE
Orthopaedic Surgery - TPLO New!	Vet	Thu, 8 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Kaye	BOOK HERE
Consult Nursing New!	Nurse	Tue, 13 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
Emergency & Critical Care Masterclass for Vet Nurses	Nurse	Wed, 14 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
Dentistry I: Dentistry for Vets	Vet	Tue, 10 Sep	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Anthony Caiafa	BOOK HERE
Dentistry II: Canine Dentistry for Vets	Vet	Wed, 11 Sep	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Anthony Caiafa	BOOK HERE
Dentistry II: Feline Dentistry for Vets	Vet	Thu, 12 Sep	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Anthony Caiafa	BOOK HERE
Ophthalmology I	Vet	Wed, 9 Oct	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Robin Stanley	BOOK HERE
Ophthalmology II	Vet	Thu, 10 Oct	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Robin Stanley	BOOK HERE
Emergency & Critical Care Masterclass for Vet Nurses	Nurse	Fri, 18 Oct	8:30am - 5:00pm*	Jo Hatcher	BOOK HERE
Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques II	Vet	Thu, 24 Oct	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Mielke	BOOK HERE
Abdominal Surgery II	Vet	Fri, 25 Oct	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Mielke	BOOK HERE
Soft Skills for Vets & Vet Nurses New! VIRTUAL	Vet/Nurse	Thu, 7 Nov	8:30am - 5:00pm*	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE

^{*}Please note that all Virtual sessions run from 8:30am - 5pm <u>Brisbane</u> time.







- 1. Register through Eventbrite via the "BOOK HERE" link provided.
- 2. Please ensure that you specify any dietary requirements.
- 3. You attend the workshop!

Workshop	Audience	Date	Event times	Facilitator	Booking link
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses I	Nurse	Wed, 3 Jul	8:30am - 5:00pm	Jo Hatcher	BOOK HERE
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses II	Nurse	Thu, 4 Jul	8:30am - 5:00pm	Jo Hatcher	BOOK HERE
Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques I	Vet	Thu, 15 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Kaye	BOOK HERE
Abdominal Surgery I	Vet	Fri, 16 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Kaye	BOOK HERE
Behaviour for Vets	Vet	Tue, 17 Sep	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Kersti Seksel	BOOK HERE
Emergency & Critical Care Masterclass for Vet Nurses VIRTUAL	Nurse	Fri, 18 Oct	8:30am - 5:00pm*	Jo Hatcher	BOOK HERE
Soft Skills for Vets & Vet Nurses New! VIRTUAL	Vet/Nurse	Thu, 7 Nov	8:30am - 5:00pm*	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques II	Vet	Thu, 14 Nov	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Kaye	BOOK HERE
Abdominal Surgery II	Vet	Fri, 15 Nov	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Kaye	BOOK HERE

^{*}Please note that all Virtual sessions run from 8:30am - 5pm Brisbane time.







- 1. Register through Eventbrite via the "BOOK HERE" link provided.
- 2. Please ensure that you specify any dietary requirements.
- 3. You attend the workshop!

Workshop	Audience	Date	Event times	Facilitator	Booking link
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses I	Nurse	Wed, 17 Jul	8:30am - 5:00pm	Zoe Markham	BOOK HERE
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses II	Nurse	Thu, 18 Jul	8:30am - 5:00pm	Zoe Markham	BOOK HERE
Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques II	Vet	Wed, 28 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Kaye	BOOK HERE
Abdominal Surgery II	Vet	Thu, 29 Aug	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Kaye	BOOK HERE
Behaviour for Vets	Vet	Wed, 4 Sep	8:30am - 5:00pm	Dr Kersti Seksel	BOOK HERE
Emergency & Critical Care Masterclass for Vet Nurses	Nurse	Fri, 18 Oct	8:30am - 5:00pm*	Jo Hatcher	BOOK HERE
Soft Skills for Vets & Vet Nurses New! VIRTUAL	Vet/Nurse	Thu, 7 Nov	8:30am - 5:00pm*	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE

^{*}Please note that all Virtual sessions run from 8:30am - 5pm Brisbane time.







- 1. Register through Eventbrite via the "BOOK HERE" link provided.
- 2. Please ensure that you specify any dietary requirements.
- 3. You attend the workshop!

Workshop	Audience	Date	Event times	Facilitator	Booking link
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses I	Nurse	Tue, 20 Aug	9:00am - 5:00pm	Marcia Fletcher	BOOK HERE
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses II	Nurse	Wed, 21 Aug	9:00am - 5:00pm	Marcia Fletcher	BOOK HERE
Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques I	Vet	Thu, 12 Sep	9:00am - 5:00pm	Dr Helen Milner	BOOK HERE
Surgical Nursing	Nurse	Tue, 17 Sep	9:00am - 5:00pm	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
Consult Nursing New!	Nurse	Wed, 18 Sep	9:00am - 5:00pm	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
Orthopaedic Surgery - TPLO New!	Vet	Wed, 25 Sep	9:00am - 5:00pm	Dr Ben Kaye	BOOK HERE
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses I	Nurse	Wed, 16 Oct	9:00am - 5:00pm	Marcia Fletcher	BOOK HERE
Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses II	Nurse	Thu, 17 Oct	9:00am - 5:00pm	Marcia Fletcher	BOOK HERE
Emergency & Critical Care Masterclass for Vet Nurses	Nurse	Fri, 18 Oct	8:30am - 5:00pm*	Jo Hatcher	BOOK HERE
Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques II	Vet	Tue, 22 Oct	9:00am - 5:00pm	Dr Helen Milner	BOOK HERE
Abdominal Surgery II	Vet	Wed, 23 Oct	9:00am - 5:00pm	Dr Andrew Worth	BOOK HERE
Soft Skills for Vets & Vet Nurses New! VIRTUAL	Vet/Nurse	Thu, 7 Nov	8:30am - 5:00pm*	Jess Odgers	BOOK HERE
Emergency & Critical Care I	Nurse	Tue, 26 Nov	9:00am - 5:00pm	Marcia Fletcher	BOOK HERE
Emergency & Critical Care II	Nurse	Wed, 27 Nov	9:00am - 5:00pm	Marcia Fletcher	BOOK HERE

^{*}Please note that all Virtual sessions run from 8:30am - 5pm <u>Brisbane</u> time.





Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses I



One-day workshop for Veterinary Nurses

This workshop is designed for both new and experienced Nurses looking to update their anaesthesia knowledge and skills. This workshop will provide you with the foundation knowledge and skills you need to safely anaesthetise your patients. Incorporating the latest research and advancements, this workshop will enable you to develop and affirm your confidence in anaesthetising patients.

Please note that we also offer an Anaesthesia for Veterinary Nurses II workshop to complement this session.

- The admission process
- Developing an individual approach to every anaesthetic
- Understanding anaesthetic equipment and developing safety protocols
- Understanding the induction process
- Monitoring anaesthetised patients
- Monitoring recovery patients & recognising post-operative complications



ZOE MARKHAMCert IV VN, Dip ECC, TAE,
AVN, RVN, FFCP
(Veterinary)



JO HATCHER
Dip VN, Cert IV TAE, Cert IV
VN, RVN, AVN



JESS ODGERS
BAppSc (Vet tech), Cert IV
TAE, Cert IV VN, Cert IV
FIT (Personal Training)





Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses II



One-day workshop for Veterinary Nurses

This workshop is designed for Veterinary Nurses looking to enhance their knowledge of anaesthetising the compromised patient. Unfortunately, not every patient will be an ASA Risk Classification I, and it is crucial that Veterinary Nurses understand how to provide a safe as possible anaesthetic.

We strongly recommend completing our Anaesthesia for Veterinary Nurses I workshop prior to registering for this workshop.

- Understanding the anatomy and physiology of common disease states
- Developing individualised anaesthetic protocols for compromised patients
- Pharmacology of Anaesthetic Drugs
- What are your monitors telling you Capnography, ECG, NIBP
- Developing protocols for the safe recovery of your patient



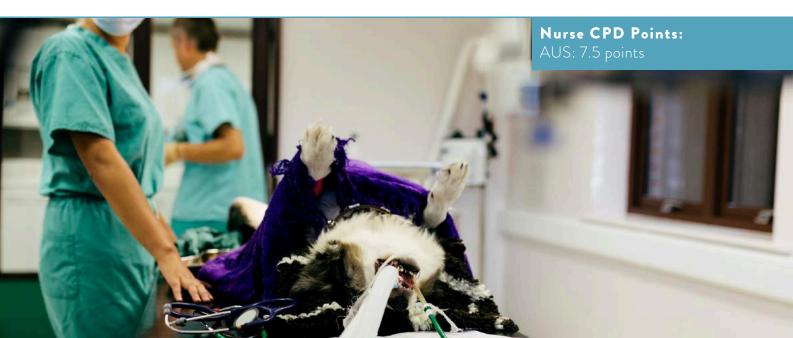
ZOE MARKHAMCert IV VN, Dip ECC, TAE,
AVN, RVN, FFCP
(Veterinary)



JO HATCHERDip VN, Cert IV TAE, Cert IV VN, RVN, AVN



JESS ODGERS
BAppSc (Vet tech), Cert IV
TAE, Cert IV VN, Cert IV
FIT (Personal Training)





Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses I

*This is Day 1 of a 2 Day workshop program



Day 1 of a two day workshop for Veterinary Nurses

The veterinary nurse plays an important role in the anaesthetic management of patients every single day. Day one of this workshop is designed for both new and experienced nurses looking to update their anaesthesia knowledge and skills, providing a solid grounding in the foundations of anaesthesia while enabling confidence in anaesthetic protocols, procedures and utilising the pre-emptive thought process all anaesthetists must possess.

- The anaesthetic machine components, pressure checks, rebreathing and non-rebreathing circuits and oxygen flow rates.
- Gold standard monitoring equipment
- Pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics of sedative and induction anaesthesia agents
- The induction and intubation process with correct endotracheal tube cuff inflation technique
- Minimum alveoli concentration and how it relates to our anaesthetised patient
- Defining ASA status, and expected complications with treatment options in the anaesthetised patient
- Defining a patient specific anticipated problems and considerations list



MARCIA FLETCHER
RVNS, Dip V.N (Distinction), VTS
Anaesthesia and Analgesia





Anaesthesia for Vet Nurses II

*This is Day 2 of a 2 Day workshop program



Day 2 of a two day workshop for Veterinary Nurses

This training day is designed to build on day 1 and is for veterinary nurses looking to advance their knowledge of anaesthesia in the compromised patient. The focus of day two is advanced monitoring techniques and the equipment utilised in compromised and high-risk anaesthesia patients, with a practical focus on anaesthesia protocols for multiple compromised patient scenarios and procedures.

- ECG rhythms and cardiac arrhythmia analysis
- Capnography and the different capnography traces
- Direct arterial blood pressure monitoring techniques
- Compromised anaesthesia patients and their management
- High risk anaesthesia cases
- Anaesthesia drug protocols for high-risk anaesthesia patients



MARCIA FLETCHER RVNS, Dip V.N (Distinction), VTS Anaesthesia and Analgesia



Behaviour for Vet Nurses



One-day workshop for Veterinary Nurses

This full-day course provides participants with instruction and hands-on learning to identify the language of canine and feline behaviour, and the appropriate responses to avoid or minimise stress and injuries.

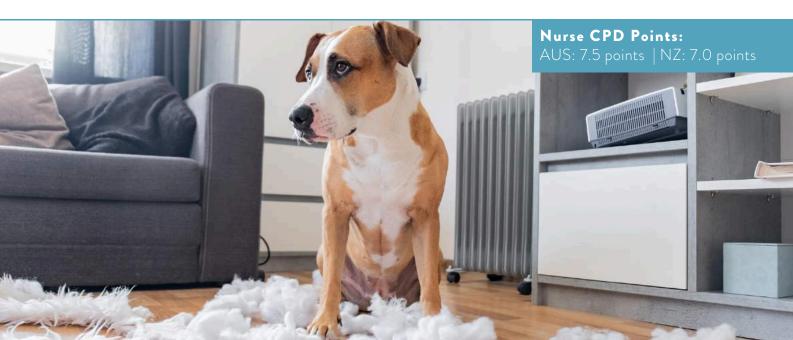
This workshop is suitable for those Vet Nurses who interact with dogs and cats during the execution of their work.

- Reading dogs and cats body language
- Understanding prey drive
- Understanding fear aggression
- Understanding characteristics of dog and cat behaviour when eliciting the above
- Understand common feline and canine behavioural complications
- Develop treatment plans and options
- Equipment and how to use it



DR KERSTI SEKSELBVSc (Hons) MRCVS MA (Hons) FACVSc

DACVB DECAWBM



Consult Nursing



One-day workshop for Veterinary Nurses

Introducing a Consulting Nurse model into your clinic benefits the practice as a whole. Nurses feel valued as they utilise their skills and knowledge, vets' workload is shared allowing more focus on patient care, client compliance increases through improved education in preventative healthcare and the quality of life of all patients improves.

- Utilise your skills and knowledge in the consulting room
- Communicate with clients on preventative healthcare to improve client compliance
- Understand the client's perspective and build long-term relationships
- Develop structure and formalise the consultation following Consulting Nurse Models.
- The frameworks of veterinary nurse consulting, the nurses' role and the skills required
- Communication skills to drive a positive client experience
- Workflow processes across various Consulting Nurse Models



JESS ODGERS

BAppSc (Vet tech), Cert IV
TAE, Cert IV VN, Cert IV
FIT (Personal Training)



JO HATCHER
Dip VN, Cert IV TAE, Cert IV
VN, RVN, AVN





Emergency & Critical Care Masterclass for Vet Nurses



One-day workshop for Veterinary Nurses

Presenting emergency patients can be stressful and overwhelming, but with the right skills, right team and strong procedures in place they can be exhilarating and rewarding.

The workshop is designed for the First Responders in your practice to enhance their skills and further their knowledge when faced with the emergent patient. With a strong practical focus on CPR, this workshop will have you walking away feeling confident and prepared for the next emergency in your clinic.

- Understanding what is an emergency
- Communicating with clients in Telephone Triage and appropriate First Advice
- Patient Assessment The ABC's everyone should know
- Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation CPR techniques, basic life support to advanced life support and beyond
- Post-CPA event care (including self-care and crisis management)



JESS ODGERS
BAppSc (Vet tech), Cert IV
TAE, Cert IV VN, Cert IV
FIT (Personal Training)



ZOE MARKHAMCert IV VN, Dip ECC, TAE,
AVN, RVN, FFCP (Veterinary)



JASMINE FEENEY
Cert IV VN, RVN, Cert IV
TAE, DipVN (ECC), AVN



JO HATCHER
Dip VN, Cert IV TAE, Cert IV
VN, RVN, AVN





Emergency & Critical Care I (ECC)

*This is Day 1 of a 2 Day ECC workshop program for Vet Nurses



Day 1 of a two-day workshop for Veterinary Nurses

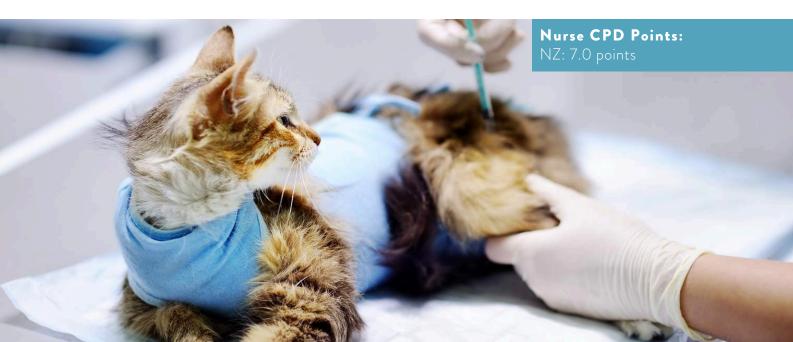
Triaging and emergency patient care are essential skills all veterinary nurses should learn. Day 1 of this workshop is designed to give the emergency nurse a strong grounding in all areas of emergency veterinary nursing, with a practical focus on understanding CPR and performing high quality basic life support in teams.

Please note that we also offer an ECC for Veterinary Nurses II (day 2) workshop to complement this session.

- Triaging including the phone and in hospital triage, the primary and secondary assessment and assigning the triage category using a triage acuity system in emergency patients.
- The main shock classifications and the emergency treatment and stabilisation of patients presenting in shock.
- IV fluid therapy and resuscitation, and the different methods of venous access in the emergency patient
- Monitoring and monitoring equipment for the emergency and critical patient
- The intubation process in emergency patients
- Cardiopulmonary resuscitation with special emphasis on basic life support



MARCIA FLETCHER RVNS, Dip V.N (Distinction), VTS Anaesthesia and Analgesia





Emergency & Critical Care II (ECC)

*This is Day 2 of a 2 Day ECC workshop program for Vet Nurses



Day 2 of a two-day workshop for Veterinary Nurses

Nurses in the emergency areas of veterinary hospitals have highly critical patients, warranting advanced surgeries and procedures for stabilisation. We as the nurses monitoring these critical patients must be able to utilise and interpret advanced equipment.

Day 2 for emergency and critical care nurses builds on the knowledge gained from Day 1, with a practical focus of performing both basic and advanced life support within a team and ultimately empowering ECC nurses to take a lead role in emergency nursing.

We strongly recommend completing our ECC for Veterinary Nurses Day I workshop prior to registering for this workshop.

- Continuous ECG monitoring including the likely and expected cardiac arrhythmias in critical patients
- Capnography monitoring including interpretation of the capnograph waveform in ventilated patients
- Mechanical ventilator use and the nursing care of recumbent and ventilated patients in critical care
- Placement of arterial catheters for arterial blood pressure monitoring and blood gas analysis in critical patients
- Blood gas interpretation
- High risk patients and their stabilisation
- Cardiopulmonary resuscitation with special emphasis on advanced life support



MARCIA FLETCHER RVNS, Dip V.N (Distinction), VTS Anaesthesia and Analgesia



Surgical Nursing



One-day workshop for Veterinary Nurses

The Surgical Nursing Workshop is looking at 'best practice' from the point of view of the Veterinary Nurse to build their confidence in assisting the Veterinary surgeon, provide support for the patient and take ownership of their role in maintaining high standards in surgical nursing.

You will be guided through the preoperative, intraoperative and postoperative phases of surgical nursing. Nurses will take home skills & knowledge to nurse their patients from admission, preparation for their surgical procedure/hospital admission, their subsequent anaesthetic/sedation event, hospital stay and recovery to discharge.

- Preparing the patient, the theatre and the personnel, including surgical site preparation, scrub solutions and techniques, gowning & gloving of surgical personnel, maintaining asepsis
- Understanding best theatre practices in maintaining sterility, surgical instruments and other associated surgical equipment
- Understanding the role in assisting the surgeon from positioning and securing the patient, the role & responsibilities of the scrubbed-in surgical nurse, including specific procedures
- Understanding complications associated with surgery itself and appropriate responses
- Postoperative care such as wound cleaning, bandage application and drains
- Postoperative cleaning routines, instrument cleaning and sterilisation



JESS ODGERS
BAppSc (Vet tech), Cert
IV TAE, Cert IV VN,
Cert IV FIT (Personal
Training)



ZOE MARKHAM
Cert IV VN, Dip ECC, TAE,
AVN, RVN, FFCP
(Veterinary)



JASMINE FEENEY
Cert IV VN, RVN, Cert IV
TAE, DipVN (ECC), AVN



Soft Skills for Vets & Vet Nurses



One-day virtual workshop for Veterinary Professionals

This comprehensive workshop for veterinary professionals steps into the core skills that are instrumental to success. Without these soft skills, being able to administer the medical care is far more challenging. Behavioural aspects are addressed, encouraging a balance between professionalism and approachability to maximize a trusting relationship.

The workshop addresses the emotional demands of the profession. Veterinary professionals learn to navigate challenging scenarios while prioritizing their well-being, fostering a holistic approach to client interactions that enhances both patient care and practitioner satisfaction.

Key Learning Outcomes:

- Refining consultation skills
- Emphasizing effective communication
- Fostering positive client interactions
- Language patterns and body language cues
- Time management techniques
- Resilience and self care
- Holistic well-being approach



Opt for comfort and convenience: this workshop is offered virtually.

Perfect for regional team members.

Virtual: \$375!



Abdominal Surgery I



One-day wet lab and workshop for Veterinarians

Gain more confidence, create new enthusiasm and enhance your surgical skills and capabilities to provide a better service and experience to your patients and clients.

Our Abdominal Surgery workshops are designed to be a hands-on practical workshop to enhance your skills in various aspects of abdominal surgery. This workshop is ideal for Veterinarians wanting to spend time practicing surgical techniques on cadavers, with close supervision by our experienced tutors.

Please note that we also offer an Abdominal Surgery II workshop to complement this session.

- Preparing a patient for exploratory laparotomy, drug choices analgesia, antibiotics
- Avoiding peek and shriek (standard approach and evaluation of the abdomen)
- Tips for Gastrointestinal surgery identifying issues, suture type/pattern choice, use of suction and cautery
- Assessing GI tissue viability
- Organ biopsy methods: liver, pancreas, lymph node, intestinal
- Simple enterotomy, gastropexy (prophylactic), gastrotomy, serosal patching, omentalisation
- Oesophagostomy tube placement
- Post op care



DR BEN MIELKE
BVSc. (Hons) MVetMed
MANZCVS (Surgery) Dip.
ECVS MRCVS



DR ANDREW WORTHBVSc (Hons) MRCVS



DR BEN KAYEBVSc, MANZCVS (ECC), MVetMed, Dip. ECVS, EBVS®
European Specialist in Small Animal Surgery and Registered
Specialist in Small Animal Surgery



Abdominal Surgery II



Our Abdominal Surgery workshops are designed to be a hands-on practical workshop to enhance your skills in various aspects of abdominal surgery. This workshop is ideal for Veterinarians wanting to spend time practicing surgical techniques on cadavers, with close supervision by our experienced tutors.

Gain more confidence, create new enthusiasm and enhance your surgical skills and capabilities to provide a better service and experience to your patients and clients.

We strongly recommend completing our Abdominal Surgery I workshop prior to registering for this workshop.

- Foreign body identification and management (intestinal, linear, oesophageal)
- Anastamoses tips and tricks
- Partial gastrectomies
- GDV's and Splenectomies
- Intussusceptions
- Diaphragmatic hernia repair
- Post operative care



DR BEN MIELKE
BVSc. (Hons) MVetMed
MANZCVS (Surgery) Dip.
ECVS MRCVS



DR ANDREW WORTHBVSc (Hons) MRCVS



DR BEN KAYEBVSc, MANZCVS (ECC), MVetMed, Dip. ECVS, EBVS®
European Specialist in Small Animal Surgery and Registered
Specialist in Small Animal Surgery



Behaviour for Vets



One-day workshop for Veterinarians

This full-day course provides participants with instruction on the anatomical reasoning behind the canine and feline behaviour including the latest insight on developments to understand and treat common canine and feline behavioural problems. This workshop is suitable for veterinarians.

- Develop understanding of the neurophysiology of behaviour to enhance clinical decision
- Understand behavioural modification techniques and medications
- Understand the interrelationship between behaviour and physical health problems
- Tips to effective communication regarding behaviour





Brachycephalic Obstructive Airway Syndrome (BOAS) Surgery



One-day workshop for Veterinarians

BOAS is a complex multifactorial disease that can result in profound respiratory distress. This course will concentrate on the three most popular extreme brachycephalic breeds (French bulldog, pug and bulldog) and explain the different lesion sites, disease recognition and risk factors.

There will be a hands-on practical session to teach different types of soft palate reduction, tonsillectomy, nostril surgery and saccule resection. We will also review the management of cases that require emergency airway surgery. New surgical procedures will be discussed. Preoperative and post-operative care will be highlighted to decrease surgical complications.

- Risk factors and disease recognition for BOAS
- How to perform a thorough assessment of brachycephalic patients
- Anaesthetic management, preoperative planning and postoperative management
- Surgical techniques for airway surgery
- Management of acute airway crisis



DR BEN MIELKE
BVSc. (Hons) MVetMed
MANZCVS (Surgery) Dip.
ECVS MRCVS



DR BEN KAYE

BVSc, MANZCVS (ECC), MVetMed, Dip. ECVS, EBVS®

European Specialist in Small Animal Surgery and Registered

Specialist in Small Animal Surgery



Dentistry I: Dentistry for Vets



One-day wet lab and workshop for Veterinarians

Develop your skills and gain greater confidence in identifying and treating dental cases in your practice. Our dental workshops include a strong practical component with a large portion of the day spent practicing newly developed skills.

Fine-tune your extraction skills, become more knowledgeable about dental disease, dental charting, oral anatomy and how to encourage better dental care for your patients. Spend time practicing correct techniques for scaling and polishing, taking dental radiographs and getting the best out of your equipment.

- Oral anatomy and tooth numbering systems
- Dental charting
- Dental equipment use and maintenance including ultrasonic scalers, dental workstation, hand instrumentation and x-ray units
- Correct techniques for scaling and polishing
- Dental radiographic positioning techniques and introduction to radiographic interpretation
- Local anaesthesia techniques in cats and dogs
- Non-surgical tooth extractions
- Introduction to surgical tooth extractions
- Dental homecare advice for clients







Dentistry II: Canine Dentistry for Vets

Total Price **\$2,100!**

One-day wet lab and workshop for Veterinarians

Take the next step to further enhance your dentistry skills with our Dentistry II workshop. Dentistry II: Canine focuses on more complex surgical extractions, oronasal fistula repair and dental sealing and tooth preservation. Each workshop has a strong practical component with a large portion of time spent practicing new skills.

Fine-tune your skills and gain confidence in diagnosing and treating dental tumours and in taking and interpreting radiographs.

We strongly recommend completing our Dentistry I workshop prior to registering for this workshop.

- Complex tooth extractions
- Oronasal fistula repair techniques
- Dental sealing and tooth preservation
- Management of odontogenic tumours
- Dental radiographic interpretation







Dentistry II: Feline Dentistry for Vets



One-day wet lab and workshop for Veterinarians

Take the next step to further enhance your dentistry skills with our Dentistry II workshop. Dentistry II: Feline takes a deeper dive into the unique differences in the advanced dental care of cats compared to dogs, with a focus on feline dental diseases as well as extraction tips and techniques.

Each workshop has a strong practical component with a large portion of time spent fine-tuning your skills in all areas of feline dentistry.

We strongly recommend completing our Dentistry I workshop prior to registering for this workshop.

- Dental radiology and interpretation
- Diagnosis of common feline dental pathologies
- Extraction techniques, review and mastery
- Tooth sealing and preservation
- Client communication
- Workplace health and safety







Dentistry III: Advanced Dentistry for Vets



One-day wet lab and workshop for Veterinarians

Are you ready to take your dentistry skills to the next level? Master the skills of pulpcapping, jaw fracture repair, interarcade fixation and more. With a focus on learning the technical skills, you will also learn how to communicate these advanced treatment options to your clients.

This level III workshop will offer participants the opportunity to perform a vital pulpotomy procedure (pulp capping) for elective or recently fractured teeth with an exposed pulp (complicated crown fracture). Participants will receive expert tuition on all aspects of the pulpotomy procedure, including dental materials and instrumentation/equipment requirements, and hands on guidance in performing the procedure on canine teeth.

Prior attendance at our Dentistry I, and at least one of our Dentistry II workshops are pre-requisites for this workshop. This advanced workshop will assist candidates interested in sitting membership examinations in dentistry.

Key Learning Outcomes:

- Vital pulp therapy for traumatic crown fractures and for management of "base narrow" malocclusions
- Jaw fracture repair: Use of minimally invasive techniques for mandibular fractures in dogs
- Interarcade fixation for jaw fractures in cats



DR ANTHONY CAIAFABVSc, BDSc MANZCVS (SA Surgery, Veterinary Dentistry)





Oncology



One-day wet lab and workshop for Veterinarians

Gain more confidence, create new enthusiasm and enhance your surgical skills and capabilities to provide a better service and experience to your patients and clients. The sad reality is that oncology cases are presented to clinics on a daily basis. This workshop is ideal for Veterinarians with a deep desire to influence a difference in the quality of life of their patients.

- Understanding the general principles of surgical oncology
- Oral tumours Fibrosarcoma, osteosarcoma, melanoma, acanthomatous ameloblastoma, squamous cell carcinoma
- Soft tissue sarcomas
- Mast cell tumours
- Osteosarcomas
- Anal sac adenocarcinomas
- Understanding general principles of surgical oncology with sample tumour resections antebrachium, lateral abdominal wall with flank fold flap reconstruction
- Partial mandibulectomy
- Toe amputation



DR BEN MIELKE
BVSc. (Hons) MVetMed
MANZCVS (Surgery) Dip.
ECVS MRCVS



Ophthalmology I: Ophthalmic Diagnostics and Introduction to Surgery of the Eyelids Total Price \$2,100!

One-day wet lab and workshop for Veterinarians

This course is designed to develop your skills so you can increase the repertoire of your clinical abilities. Our ophthalmology workshop provides high detail, focused practical teaching for a specific number of common and important ophthalmic situations and problems.

Please note that we also offer an Ophthalmology II workshop to complement this session.

- Ophthalmic examination Extraocular and reflex testing
- Ophthalmic examination Intraocular
- Fundamental principles of eyelid surgery
- Fundus examination
- Hotz-celsus for entropion
- Wedge resection for eyelid tumour
- Modified morgan pocket technique for prolapsed nictitans gland (cherry eye)



DR ROBIN STANLEY BVSc (Hons), MANZCVSc (Small Animal Surgery), FANZCVSc (Ophthalmology)



\$2,100!

Ophthalmology II: Management of Corneal Disease & Advanced Ophthalmic Surgery

One-day wet lab and workshop for Veterinarians

Take the next step to further enhance your ophthalmology skills with our Ophthalmology II workshop. This course is designed for experienced veterinary surgeons who already have skills in performing basic ocular surgeries. In this workshop you will focus on more complex procedures that will allow you to gain confidence in treating larger eyelid tumours, entropion cases and progressive corneal ulceration.

We strongly recommend that attendees to this workshop have a minimum of 4 years clinical experience and/or have attended our Ophthalmology I workshop.

- Medical management of corneal ulceration
- Decision making for ophthalmic surgery
- Planning for success in ophthalmic surgery
- Triangle-triangle rotational eyelid graft
- Read procedure for lower lid entropion
- Lateral canthal closure procedure for entropion
- 360-degree conjunctival graft for corneal ulceration



DR ROBIN STANLEY BVSc (Hons), MANZCVSc (Small Animal Surgery), FANZCVSc (Ophthalmology)



Orthopedic Surgery - TPLO



One-day wet lab workshop for Veterinarians

This workshop is aimed at clinicians with a good level of understanding in basic orthopaedic surgery and a desire to expand what they can offer in practice.

Cruciate disease is one of the most common orthopaedic conditions seen in practice. TPLO has been shown to offer the best long-term outcome for patients of all the available techniques for cruciate disease.

Practical component of this workshop will teach you to obtain appropriately positioned radiographs and practice preoperative radiographic planning. You'll carry out the surgical approach and the TPLO technique in extensive guided wet lab sessions with hands-on help and invaluable practical tips from the expert and approachable tutor. Leave with the confidence and skills you need to start offering TPLO surgery through your practice

- Describe the pathogenesis of cruciate ligament disease and understand the most common clinical signs associated with this condition
- Perform epidural analgesia and understand the utility of femoral and sciatic nerve blocks
- Perform meniscal surgery: probing, therapeutic release, prophylactic release and partial meniscectomy
- Learn how to position patients for radiography
- Understand the principles of TPLO and locking implants
- Understand the pre-operative planning and surgical equipment required for TPLO surgery
- Understand how to identify and manage complications of surgery



DR BEN MIELKE BVSc. (Hons) MVetMed MANZCVS (Surgery) Dip. ECVS MRCVS



DR BEN KAYE

BVSc, MANZCVS (ECC),

MVetMed, Dip. ECVS, EBVS®

European Specialist in Small Animal

Surgery and Registered Specialist in

Small Animal Surgery



Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques I

One-day wet lab and workshop for Veterinarians

Our Surgical Wound Management workshops are designed to be a hands-on practical workshop to develop your understanding of surgical wounds and stages of healing, closure techniques and diagnosing of skin masses. This workshop is ideal for Veterinarians wanting practical experience with close supervision by our specialised tutors.

Please note that we also offer a Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques II workshop to complement this session.

Key Learning Outcomes:

- Wound healing and bandaging in wounds
- General soft tissue surgery principles and aseptic technique
- Skin tension and tension relieving techniques
- Tension relieving suture patterns and techniques
- Basic of flaps and grafts
- Rotational flaps and punch/strip grafting techniques



DR HELEN MILNERBVSc(Dist), PhD, FANZCVS(Small Animal Surgery), CertVR(Radiology), Registered Specialist in Small Animal Surgery, Consultant Surgeon



DR BEN MIELKEBVSc. (Hons) MVetMed
MANZCVS (Surgery) Dip.
ECVS MRCVS

\$2,100<u>!</u>



DR BEN KAYE

BVSc, MANZCVS (ECC), MVetMed, Dip. ECVS, EBVS®

European Specialist in Small Animal Surgery and Registered

Specialist in Small Animal Surgery



Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques II



One-day wet lab and workshop for Veterinarians

Wound closure can be a big source of stress for surgical practitioners. Complex wound closure is a skill typically learnt from experience. Our Surgical Wound Management workshop will provide you with a systematic approach to closing complex wounds, along with practical training to develop your confidence. With the support of our experienced facilitator, you can recieve the best advice on clsing even the most complex of wounds.

We strongly recommend completing our Surgical Wound Management & Reconstructive Techniques I workshop prior to registering for this workshop.

Key Learning Outcomes:

- Brief revision of wound healing
- Principles and use of surgical drains
- Complex reconstruction flaps on Interpolation surgery
- Post operative care of Flaps and Grafts
- New advances in wound management and healing



DR HELEN MILNERBVSc(Dist), PhD, FANZCVS(Small Animal Surgery), CertVR(Radiology), Registered Specialist in Small Animal Surgery, Consultant Surgeon



DR BEN MIELKEBVSc. (Hons) MVetMed
MANZCVS (Surgery) Dip.
ECVS MRCVS



DR BEN KAYE

BVSc, MANZCVS (ECC), MVetMed, Dip. ECVS, EBVS®

European Specialist in Small Animal Surgery and Registered

Specialist in Small Animal Surgery



Veterinarian CPD Points: AUS: 16 points | NZ: N/A

Thank you to our partners!























