

# Practice Partners Digest

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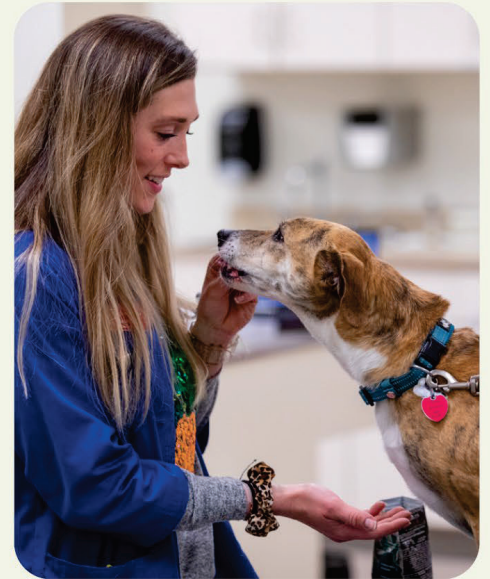
**IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY**  
College of Veterinary Medicine



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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



**Digital Communications  
and Advertising**



**In-Person Networking  
and Job Fairs**



**Facilitated Events  
with Student Clubs  
and Organizations**



**Individual Student  
Career Development  
Consulting**

For more information about the ISU-CVM Practice Partners Program, visit:

<https://www.regcytes.extension.iastate.edu/vmppp/>

Are you looking for a clinic where you can grow your skills at your own pace? Would you like to work with an experienced veterinarian who is interested in mentoring you and helping you develop those skills? How about an experienced and efficient staff that you can rely on to help manage your caseload and support your patients? Amherst Veterinary Hospital offers all of that and more.

We are a busy two-doctor semirural independently owned practice looking to bring in some bright new minds on a full or part-time basis. We provide quality flexible veterinary care for dogs and cats. Our small clinic gives you ample opportunity to develop a client base. You'll have cases of all complexity levels to choose from, as well as our excellent working relationship with nearby referral centers to rely on when you feel more advanced care is needed. Our community is tight-knit and supportive- our clients embrace learning students and trust our clinic to take care of their beloved pets.

Our dedicated staff sees outpatient appointments Monday through Saturday and performs surgery Monday through Friday. We see a wide range of patients from routine preventative visits to emergency and critical care patients. Patients at our hospital receive the benefit of state-of-the-art surgical laser; therapy light laser; and cryotherapy. We have full ultrasound and echocardiogram capability in-house with a pathology service to help evaluate and three fully trained ultrasonography technicians. Our fully computerized records system is integrated with our IDEXX in-house laboratory and digital radiography. You will have the opportunity to work with an Iowa State Grad and a Wisconsin State Grad who are open, down-to-earth, and excited to mentor new students.

We are currently hiring for part-time and full-time veterinarians with benefits  
We also accept short-term and long-term externs. You can expect hands-on experience with appointments and procedures including guided surgical experience where appropriate to skill level.

Interested? Contact us for more information at [ssowka.amhvet@gmail.com](mailto:ssowka.amhvet@gmail.com) or 715-825-2545



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For more information on our hospital and opportunities visit: <https://www.ancarevet.com/careers/associate-veterinarian>

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- Small animal exclusive
- Located in an established area of Davenport, IA
- Clinic has recently undergone an expansion renovation

Our mission is to provide compassionate, quality, and affordable animal care for all of our clients

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Care Animal Center is looking for a Full or Part Time **Veterinarian** to join our well-versed team.

\*We also offering **externship opportunities** to CVM students that includes potential free housing and excellent mentorship!\*

## OUR SERVICES

We take pride in our exceptional patient care. Our services include:

- Routine wellness/physical exams
- Surgical
- Dental
- Ultrasound
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Animal of the Month: American White Pelican  
*Pelecanus erythrorhynchos*

## OUR OFFER

- \$100,000-\$160,000
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- Health, life, dental, and vision insurance
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- Employee discount
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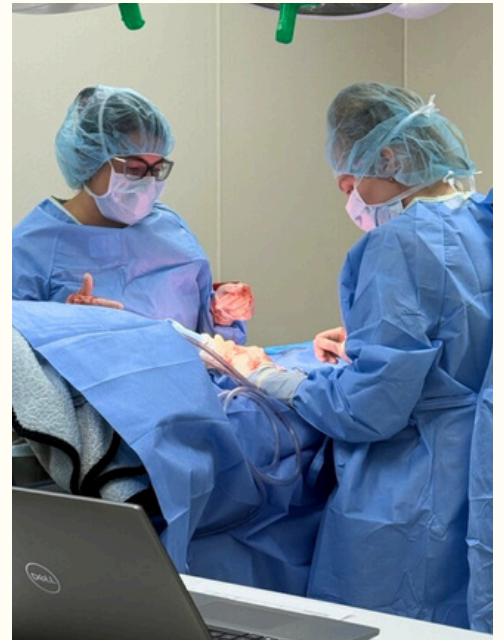
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