

Langford Veterinary Services

Job Description

Job Title: **Oncologist / Oncology Staff Clinician**

Job Purpose:

- To provide excellent oncology service for patients
- To provide excellent customer care
- To provide clinical teaching to undergraduate students as and if required.

Principal Accountabilities:

- To undertake oncological (feline and canine) diagnoses, treatments and procedures to the standards expected by the RCVS
- To record all case records accurately
- To ensure that client consent is gained as necessary and that they are aware of and kept up to date with treatment costs
- To ensure that laboratory findings are reported to clients
- To assess and examine in patients on a daily basis, and to keep all records up to date and update all relevant staff of any changes
- To follow all LVS protocols and policies
- To comply with the debt protocol
- To ensure telephone queries are answered
- To have students assigned to you on their clinical rotations and on EMS as required and as necessary
- To contribute to the assessment and delivery of appraisals of students on their practical rotation when applicable
- To ensure that veterinary nurses are supervised to the required level
- To ensure the correct pricing and charging of all procedures
- To ensure the continuing growth of the referral caseload by providing excellent customer and patient care
- To support growth of the service through involvement in marketing initiatives undertaken by LVS
- To undertake relevant training as requested in order to expand services offered within LVS
- To be available when requested on the rota to provide cover for the relief of pain and suffering in animals and to support residents in receiving and treating emergency cases
- On rare occasions, when asked and agreed by CEO, to undertake some formal teaching duties
- To perform administrative tasks as are required by the hospital manager and the Chief Executive Officer
- To undertake any reasonable requests made by your Manager.

Person Specification

The skills, abilities, experience and knowledge outlined below provide a summary of what is required to carry out this job effectively.

Criteria	Essential	Desirable
<p>Relevant experience, Skills and Knowledge</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At least 5 years working as veterinary surgeon • Minimum 3 years working in specialist medicine role • Undergraduate teaching experience • Understanding of veterinary computer systems 	<p>Yes Yes</p>	<p>Yes Yes</p>
<p>Relevant Qualifications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MRCVS • ECVIM / ACVIM or eligible 	<p>Yes Yes</p>	
<p>Communication and Interpersonal Skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excellent client communication • Good team player 	<p>Yes Yes</p>	
<p>Additional Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Worked in a teaching hospital • Eligibility to work in the UK 	<p>Yes</p>	<p>Yes</p>