

Vet PURRSPECTIVES

WAYNE IS IN PAIN: PAIN MANAGEMENT SYMPOSIUM

Learn how to manage a patient's pain from the emergency room to full recovery.

ONLINE TOXICOLOGY SYMPOSIUM

Get essential information for your poisoned patients!

UPDATES IN THE MANAGEMENT OF TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY

A Free Webinar for Veterinarians and Veterinary Nurses



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What's Coming Up?

Hi everyone, it's Philip here from Vet Education I'm coming to

YOU ASKED,
WE DELIVERED!

Ever opened the VetEducation Member Library and wondered where to start?

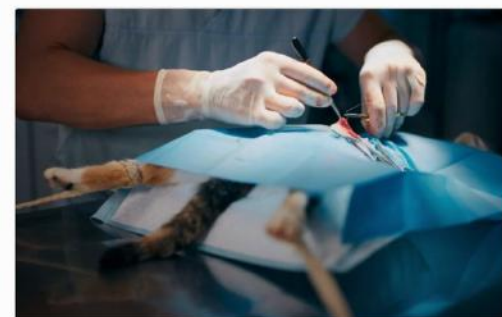
We heard you!

Latest Updates from Your Library

Introducing **Learning Pathways**: structured, topic-based courses designed to take you from start to finish in key clinical areas.

Learning Pathways

Explore our On-Demand Courses and upgrade your skills anytime, anywhere!



Intestinal Surgery

[LEARN NOW](#)



Ultrasound of the Liver and GI Tract

[LEARN NOW](#)



Radiology of the Emergency Abdomen

[LEARN NOW](#)

From the Director



Hello and welcome back to **VetPurrspectives** and our first 2026 issue after the festive season break! I hope you had a genuinely restful holiday period.

We're kicking off the new academic year with a lot of energy and a lot in the pipeline.

One of the most exciting things we launched in early January is **Learning Pathways**. So many of you asked us to help structure content in your library to make it easier to find and use. To this end, we've taken learning resources from across the library, and have grouped them into step by step routes you can follow. The early feedback from vets has been so encouraging - thank you. Truly.

If you've got ideas for topics or categories you'd love to see as Learning Pathways, please [email me here](#).

Over the coming months, you'll see **more Learning Pathways** appear in your Member Library and we're blending in a select group of our on-demand courses too! This will make your library become even more valuable to you - a complete place to learn, revisit and build learning and clinical confidence. Have a look, and tell us what you think!

On a personal note: I'd love to hear what you're aiming for this year, not just learning goals, but life goals too. I've been craving community lately, so I've set myself a very Townsville-flavoured project: I run a walking group here, and for 2026 I'm doing something I've called Brews After Views. After each walk we'll check out a **different café!** Movement, connection, and coffee feels like a pretty solid personal goal to me.

What's coming up?

We're launching the year with our **Pain Management Symposium**, and I'm really looking forward to it.

We've collaborated with **Animals Asia** for this event, so that we can shine a spotlight on the incredible work they do supporting bears in Vietnam and China in a meaningful way.

As always, in **March** we'll be teaming up with the ASPCA Animal Poisons Centre to hold our **Toxicology Symposium**. In some exciting news, this year we welcome a very special new partner: the **Australian Animal Poisons Centre**. Details of the symposium are in the coming pages - definitely check it out!

Thanks for being here with us, and for helping shape what we create. Here's to an exciting year with good learning and good community!

Charisma Judge

Warmly,
Dr Charisma Judge
Director and Education Program Coordinator, VetEducation

Coming Up

Updates in the Management of Traumatic Brain Injury

FREE WEBINAR

2026

4 FEBRUARY 2026

Speaker: Dr Philip Judge



What Will I Learn?

When trauma strikes the brain, every second and every decision counts. This special lecture gives vet nurses the tools to assess neurological deficits, prioritise stabilisation, and support recovery using trauma scores and whole-body strategies. It's practical, purposeful learning to help you act with clarity when it matters most.

Event Highlights

- Free Webinar
- Ideal for Vet Nurses and Veterinarians
- 1 Structured CPD Point

Coming Up

VetEducation and Animals Asia present to you the
Pain Management Symposium

“Wayne is in Pain”

A Global 3-Part Series

Meet Your Speakers



DR PHILIP JUDGE AND DR DONNA TANG
EMERGENCY CARE



DR EMMA JOHNSON AND EVIE TUMMON
ANAESTHESIA AND PERIOPERATIVE PERIOD

17 - 19 Feb 2026

3-Part Case-Based Series

Free with VetEducation membership

3 Structured CPD points



DR SARAH HEATH AND DR MANDALA HUNTER-ISHIKAWA
CHRONIC PAIN MANAGEMENT

Register Now



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Coming Up

Emergency Nursing of the Trauma Patient

A 2-WEEK LIVE ONLINE COURSE FOR
VETERINARY NURSES AND TECHNICIANS

2026

STARTS 23 FEBRUARY 2026

Tutor: Dr. Philip Judge



What are Live Online Courses?

These are 2-week, tutor-guided masterclasses where you learn alongside peers. Live tutorials & forums shape the learning, on top of extensive supporting resources.

What Will I Learn?

When every moment counts, confidence matters. This practical short course delivers the latest evidence on how to stabilise and resuscitate trauma patients - whether you're dealing with head injuries, haemoabdomens, or complex polytrauma.

Event Highlights

- 2-Week Course
- Ideal for Vet Nurses and Techs
- 10 Structured CPD Points (RACE Approved)

Abdominal Emergencies in the Cat

A 2-WEEK LIVE ONLINE COURSE
FOR VETERINARIANS

2026

STARTS 16 MARCH 2026

Tutor: Dr. Philip Judge



What are Live Online Courses?

These are 2-week, tutor-guided masterclasses where you learn alongside peers. Live tutorials & forums shape the learning, on top of extensive supporting resources.

What Will I Learn?

Feline abdominal emergencies don't play by canine rules. This course helps you focus your approach to the critically ill cat - where signs can be subtle. Explore the latest evidence on feline-specific presentations like pancreatitis and cholangitis, and build confidence in managing these challenging cases.

Event Highlights

- 2-Week Course
- Ideal for Veterinarians
- 10 RACE-Approved CPD Points

Coming Up



Brought to you by VetEducation, the ASPCA Poison Control and the Australian Animal Poisons Centre

Online Toxicology Symposium

Toxicology is everywhere in practice - from everyday exposures to rare poisonings - and this online symposium brings a global faculty of toxicologists direct to you.

Hosted in partnership with the ASPCA Poison Control and the Australian Animal Poisons Helpline, five live, interactive webinars will help you sharpen your skills in identifying, preventing, and managing toxicology cases with confidence. Join live or watch recordings in your own time!

Meet Your Speakers



DR CATHERINE DZIENISIEWSKI

**SPECTRUM OF CARE:
APPROPRIATE MANAGEMENT OF
TOXICOLOGY CASES ON A BUDGET**



DR LAURA STERN

**SPECIES SENSITIVITIES
IN THE TOXIN REALM**



DR KARLA SMITH

**OLD DOGS, NEW TRICKS: HOW DO NEW
TOXIN TREATMENTS MEASURE UP?**

17 - 19 March 2026

5 Outstanding Lectures

**Included with
your VetEducation membership**

5 Structured CPD points (RACE Pending)

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POOJA MEHTA

**TOXIC TOP 10: WHAT AUSTRALIAN
PETS ARE REALLY GETTING INTO
&
MANAGING RURAL AND
AGRICULTURAL POISONS IN PRACTICE**

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Catch the Action Now!

FOCUS ON SURGERY WITH DR MATTHEW SIMPSON

FLAT FACES AND BIG PROBLEMS: REVIEW OF BOAS

A practical intro to BOAS - what to watch for, how to manage, and where surgery fits in.

Watch Now



IT'S A CHOLE STORY: REVIEWING BILIARY OBSTRUCTION CASES

Biliary obstruction basics: what's blocked, what to do, and when to refer.

Watch Now



A CALL TO LIFE WITH DR SONJA OLSON - CHAPTER 1

A PODCAST SERIES

Join Dr Philip Judge and Dr Sonja Olson on the Vet Synapse podcast as they explore Chapter 1 of Dr Olson's book, A Call to Life. In this episode, they unpack practical ways to foster wellbeing and strengthen resilience within the veterinary profession.

Tune In



- ✓ RACE Approved
- ✓ 2 Structured CPD Points

Recording
Available



LEARN ANY TIME WITH OUR ON-DEMAND COURSES



INTESTINAL SURGERY

- 3 Months Access
- RACE Non-Interactive CE
- 6 Structured CPD Points

Enrol Now



RADIOLOGY OF THE EMERGENCY ABDOMEN

- 3 Months Access
- RACE Non-Interactive CE
- 6 Structured CPD Points

Enrol Now



NEONATAL EMERGENCIES

- 3 Months Access
- RACE Non-Interactive CE
- 6 Structured CPD Points

Enrol Now



NUTRITION OF THE CRITICAL PATIENT

- 3 Months Access
- RACE Non-Interactive CE
- 6 Structured CPD Points

Enrol Now



Explore all On-Demand Courses for Veterinarians and Veterinary Nurses



Focus on Procedures

Step-by-Step Skills, When You Need Them Most

From chest drains to dental nerve blocks, these procedural videos break down essential techniques with clarity and confidence.

Tibial Plateau Leveling Osteotomy (TPLO)



Chest Drain Placement



Local Nerve Blocks for Small Animal Dentistry



Nerve Blocks for Stifle Surgery in the Dog



Want More?

Explore our full library of procedural videos - exclusively in the VetEducation Member Library.

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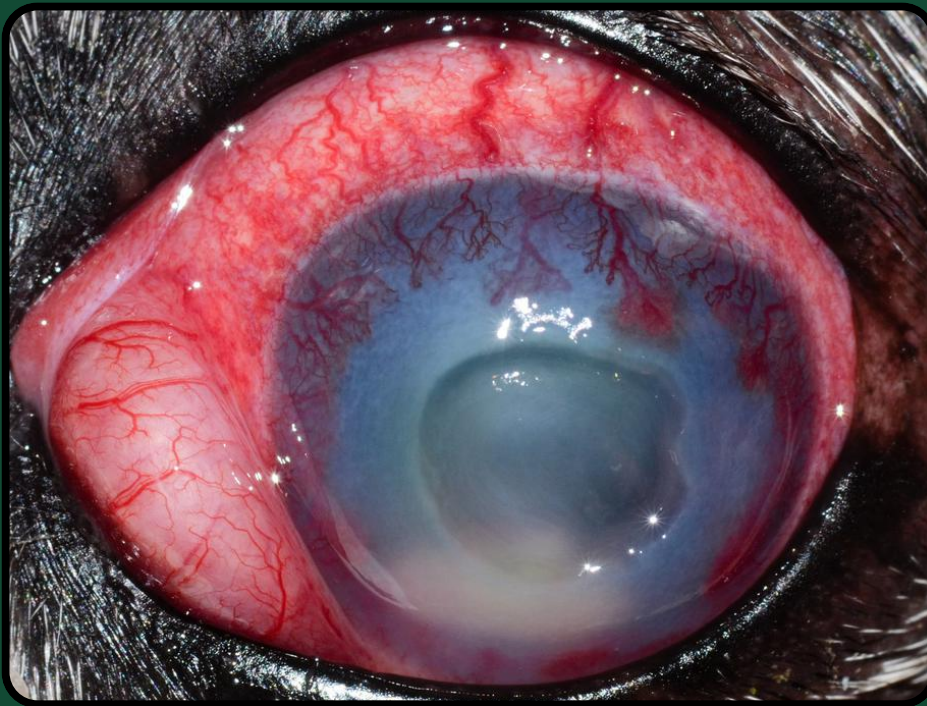
Learning Pathways

Self-Paced. Tutor-Guided. Always Relevant.

Ocular Emergencies

BY DR ELIZABETH GIULIANO

When eye cases walk through the door, fast thinking matters - but so does a clear plan. This Learning Pathway on Ocular Emergencies gives you on-demand access to expert-led, recorded lectures plus tutor support to help you sharpen your diagnostic and treatment strategies. Learn when it suits you!



Topic 1

Corneal Ulcers

Topic 2

Uveitis

Topic 3

Glaucoma

Topic 4

The Big Blue Eye

Topic 5

Enucleation of the Eye

Topic 6

Selected Ocular Emergencies

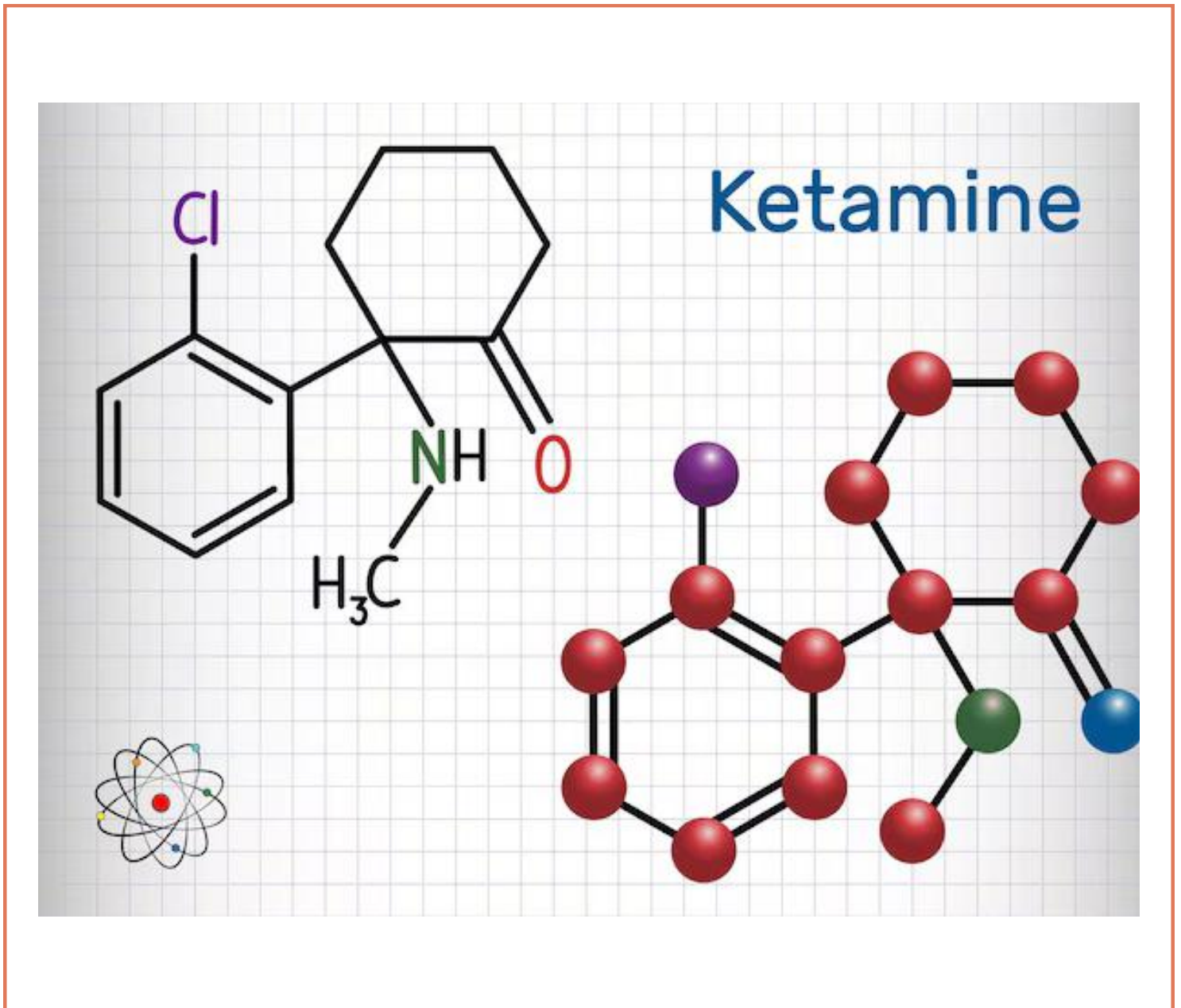
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