

2026-2027 INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME

PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS

- Work closely with two boarded specialists (internal medicine & surgery), and three certificate holders
- In-depth anaesthesia training
- Utilise multiple advanced diagnostics including MRI
- Take part in the CVS new grad programme

TO APPLY

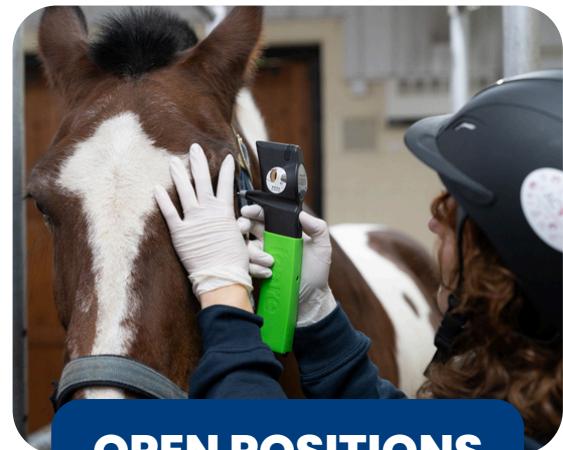


Send your CV, letter of intent and 2 references to :

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See pages 2 & 3 for an in depth look at EEH and our programme.



OPEN POSITIONS

We are seeking two enthusiastic and dedicated new/recent veterinary graduates for the internship.

ABOUT ENDELL EQUINE HOSPITAL

Endell Equine Hospital is a well-established, RCVS Tier 3 accredited equine hospital located in Salisbury. We are proud to offer a full range of advanced services, from routine care to specialised treatment. Our purpose-built facility includes state-of-the-art diagnostic imaging, surgical capabilities, and 24-hour inpatient care, complemented by a comprehensive ambulatory service covering Wiltshire, Hampshire, Dorset, and the New Forest.



EEH's caseload is primarily sport horses, as well as a mixture of pleasure and racehorses. We have experienced rapid growth in recent years with a strong surgical and imaging caseload, and now an expanding medicine service.

Our team of highly skilled veterinarians, including RCVS and Americans Specialists in Equine Surgery and Equine Medicine as well as multiple certificate holders, provide the highest standard of care while fostering an environment of learning and professional development.

MENTORSHIP AND SUPPORT

Interns will work under the direct supervision of our senior clinicians and specialists.

Regular case rounds/discussions, structured feedback, and VetGDP mentorship ensure a supportive and enriching environment for professional growth.

INTERNSHIP STRUCTURE

Our 12-month Equine Veterinary Internship is based at the hospital in Salisbury. We have staggered start dates for the two interns each year. There will be a handover period with the outgoing intern and the advantage of the offset start date is there is always an experienced intern to support a new starter, which ensure smooth running of the hospital.

The interns rotate weekly primarily between the two specialist services at the hospital, surgery and medicine. One week is primarily with the surgeon where anaesthesia is a key responsibility as well as outpatient cases and advanced imaging. The other week is with our medicine specialist seeing medical referral cases as well as inpatient care.

There is a 1-in-2 on call rota for the interns. Emergencies are received by a team of an ambulatory vet, intern and nurse, backed up by 1 of 4 specialists (you will also get experience with both surgeons at Valley Equine). There is a nurse on call at night to share the inpatient care.

INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

Our BEVA recognised internship is very hands on and provides valuable experience in a variety of areas:

- Diagnostic imaging: develop skills in acquisition and interpretation of radiography, ultrasonography, endoscopy, nuclear scintigraphy and MRI
- Anaesthesia: a core aspect to the internship is gaining experience and a comfort level in administering standing sedation and general anaesthesia (specialist training is provided a number of times throughout the year)
- Surgery: a wide range of standing and recumbent surgical procedures are performed
- Internal medicine and intensive care: we offer elective and emergency advanced medical investigations into all conditions
- Sports medicine: there is a high lameness caseload, with a combination of basic and advanced diagnostic techniques employed
- Lab: we have comprehensive internal lab capabilities, including cytology and culture
- Reproduction: during the stud season mares come into the hospital for AI, which need scanning and ovulation checks as well as mare and foal medicine

Interns will be fully integrated into the clinical team, assisting with case management and client communication where appropriate. Additional learning opportunities include participation in clinical rounds, journal clubs, case presentations, and options to contribute to clinical research/case reports for publication.

One of the main goals of the internship is to provide interns with the experience and clinical skills to be able to approach and triage any case.

CANDIDATE REQUIREMENTS

- MRCVS is essential
- Unfortunately, we are no longer able to take candidates who require visas to work in the UK
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills
- A commitment to high standards of clinical care and teamwork
- Driven by a strong desire to excel and maximise the benefits of the program.



JOB SPECIFICS

- Two 12-month positions
 - One starting 17th August 2026
 - One starting 4th January 2027
- 1-in-2 rota
- 25 days of holiday (plus bank holidays)
- Interns are enrolled in the CVS New Graduate Program that ensures various CPD opportunities are completed during the year
- VDS membership and RCVS fees paid for
- Net salary £25,559
- On-site accommodation provided



APPLICATION PROCESS

- Applications must be submitted by 28th February at the absolute latest.
- An in-person visit is preferred for serious applicants even if just for a day to meet the team at the hospital.
- Shortlisting will occur in early 2026, following which successful candidates will be invited to interview.

For further information, or to apply (please attach your CV, letter of intent, and two references) contact our Clinical Director & Surgeon at:

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