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VETERINARIAN – OAHE VETERINARY CLINIC – FORT PIERRE, SD

Attention small animal, equine, or mixed animal veterinarians!

Oahe Veterinary Clinic is seeking 1-2 veterinarians to join our mixed animal practice. The practice is located in the heart of central South Dakota. Pierre/Fort Pierre are towns full of activities for any outdoor enthusiast. With our location right on the Missouri River, boating, fishing and camping opportunities are abundant. We encourage small animal exclusive veterinarians to apply as well!

Our practice is a four veterinarian mixed animal clinic. We are equipped with four portable hydraulic chutes, haul in facilities with a hydraulic chute in clinic, 3 Easi-scan ultrasound units, equine stocks, digital X-ray, ultrasonic small animal dental machine, two gas anesthesia machines, small animal ultrasound and serum chemistry/CBC in house. Our team is searching for a full-time veterinarian that is motivated, well rounded, has excellent communication skills and is interested in practicing high quality, mixed animal medicine. We welcome applicants with other interests and talents that could help us expand and grow as well.

Our current veterinarians have over 65 years' worth of experience that a new/recent graduate could use for mentorship. The clinic is open M-F, 8-12p and 1-5pm. We do not have Saturday hours, but emergency services will be split among all veterinarians. We offer a competitive salary, health insurance, paid vacation, continuing education, association and professional dues, matched 401K, cell phone, a practice vehicle and necessary equipment, along with an experienced support staff. Please contact Dr. Heather Osnes at (605) 280-1654 for more information. Send a cover letter and resume to carlisledvm@gmail.com.

COMPANION ANIMAL PRACTICIONER – CENTRAL VETERINARY CLINIC – SIOUX CENTER, IA

Central Veterinary Clinic is seeking a companion animal practitioner (mixed-animal also considered). We are looking for 3 days/week to full time. Sioux Center IA is one hour southeast of Sioux Falls and is a prospering community in with various amenities, a

university, and strong school system. Brand new well-equipped facility - visit our website for info and a tour. Strong mentorship opportunity if needed, along with a flexible and family-friendly work environment. Medical insurance with HSA, IRA match, CE allowance, state and local dues, and negotiable relocation allowance. Please contact jayl1330@gmail.com for more information.

ASSISTANT VETERINARIAN TECHNICIAN – NORTH DAKOTA

At the North Dakota Department of Agriculture, we are committed to serving, advocating for, protecting, and promoting agriculture to benefit everyone. Through support for diversity, innovation, research, and trade, we work to strengthen and advance the state's agriculture industry. As a valued member of the department, you will have the opportunity to contribute to meaningful work that supports agricultural producers, businesses, and the citizens of North Dakota.

We offer a comprehensive benefits package, including fully paid family health insurance, paid holidays and leave, a retirement plan, a flexible work schedule, and opportunities for professional growth and development.

Salary Range: $7,500–$8,500 per month

The Assistant State Veterinarian supports the health and welfare of North Dakota's livestock industry and protects public health through livestock inspection, animal disease surveillance, regulatory compliance, and emergency preparedness and response.

This position plays an important role in the State Meat and Poultry Inspection Program and the Animal Health Programs. Working in coordination with the Agriculture Commissioner, the Animal Health Division, and the Board of Animal Health, the Assistant State Veterinarian applies veterinary expertise, professional judgment, and knowledge of applicable laws and regulations to protect animal health, promote humane treatment, and support the safe and efficient movement of livestock and livestock products throughout North Dakota.

The preferred candidate will reside in the eastern portion of North Dakota, with preference given to candidates located in Barnes, Foster, Kidder, or Stutsman County. Geographic location is an important consideration to ensure timely regulatory oversight and consistent coverage of meat and poultry processing plants within the designated service area.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Conduct ante-mortem and post-mortem livestock inspections, oversee humane handling verification, evaluate findings, determine carcass dispositions, and obtain diagnostic assistance when needed.
- Carry out Board of Animal Health rules and orders, review Certificates of Veterinary Inspection, investigate regulatory violations, and assist with compliance activities.
- Monitor, investigate, and report animal diseases; conduct herd and field surveillance; and support state and federal animal health programs.
- Maintain accurate records and follow established biosecurity, specimen handling, and disease prevention procedures.

- Participate in animal health and agricultural emergency preparedness and response activities, including coordinating with partner agencies and training emergency responders.
- Assist with livestock welfare complaint investigations, provide stakeholder education, facilitate authorized animal confiscation or removal, and coordinate with USDA Animal Care when applicable.
- Assist with Board of Animal Health newsletters, educational materials, training, and presentations for veterinarians, livestock producers, industry groups, and state organizations.
- Respond to inquiries from veterinarians, producers, and other stakeholders regarding animal health, disease prevention, inspection findings, and regulatory requirements.
- Present findings and reports at Board of Animal Health meetings and provide testimony at court proceedings and legislative hearings, as needed.

Minimum Qualifications:

- Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) degree from an accredited veterinary college.
- North Dakota veterinary license and applicable federal accreditation for animal health and meat inspection programs.
- At least three years of veterinary practice experience.
- Strong analytical, decision-making, communication, interpersonal, and leadership skills, with the ability to interpret diagnostic findings, scientific information, laws, and regulations and apply sound professional judgment.
- Ability to collaborate effectively with veterinarians, livestock producers, industry representatives, regulatory officials, the public, and partner agencies.
- Ability to lift and carry up to 50 pounds and perform animal handling, inspections, and fieldwork in varying environments and weather conditions.
- Ability to work in home-based, field, and office environments and maintain an onsite presence at the State Capitol in Bismarck one to two days per week, or as requested.
- Ability to work varying shifts, weekends, and holidays for emergency response activities and participate in an on-call rotation every fourth weekend.
  Valid North Dakota Class D driver's license and ability to travel throughout North Dakota, including occasional overnight travel to attend conferences, meetings, continuing education, and other work-related events as required.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Background in food animal or mixed-animal veterinary practice.
- Familiarity with state or federal animal health programs, emergency response, or foreign animal disease preparedness.
- Knowledge of regulatory enforcement, compliance, inspections, or investigations.
- Training or practical knowledge in epidemiology, disease surveillance, or outbreak investigation.
- Ability to administer or coordinate state or federal programs.
- Skills in meat or poultry inspection, carcass evaluation, or diagnostic laboratory coordination.

- Knowledge of animal welfare investigations and compliance procedures.
- Ability to develop educational materials and deliver presentations or training to veterinarians, livestock producers, industry groups, or the public
- Supervisory skills or demonstrated ability to lead teams and projects.
- Proficiency with Microsoft Outlook, Word, Excel, and PowerPoint.

Application Procedures:

Applicants must complete the online application at www.nd.gov/careers by the closing date at 11:59 p.m. CT. The application must include a resume, cover letter, and college transcripts, either official or unofficial.

The cover letter should provide a detailed summary of how your education, professional experience, and skills align with the qualifications and responsibilities of the position.

Applicants must be legally authorized to work in the United States. The North Dakota Department of Agriculture does not provide employment sponsorship.

Applicants experiencing technical difficulties with the application process should contact recruiter@nd.gov or call 701-328-3290.

For more information or to request accommodation or assistance during the application or selection process, please contact Shelley Theisen, Human Resource Officer, at 701-328-4757 or 1-800-242-7535.

About Team ND

"Far and away the best prize life offers is the chance to work hard at work worth doing." - Theodore Roosevelt

More than 7,500 talented, hard-working people across sixty-three agencies have come together as Team North Dakota. At Team ND, we are driven to succeed through gratitude, humility, curiosity and courage. Our purpose is to empower people, improve lives, and inspire success. Join us in being legendary.

Total Rewards: The State of North Dakota is committed to providing team members with a strong and competitive REWARDS package that support you, your health and your family.

Considering a new position on Team ND? How does your current position stack up? Use our TOTAL REWARDS CALCULATOR to estimate.

Equal Employment Opportunity

The State of North Dakota and this hiring agency do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex (including sexual orientation and gender identity), genetics, religion, age or disability in employment or the provisions of services and complies with the provisions of the North Dakota Human Rights Act.

As an employer, the State of North Dakota prohibits smoking in all places of state employment in accordance with N.D.C.C. § 23-12-10.

ANIMAL CARE LEAD TECHNICIAN – BROOKINGS, SD

Join a dynamic team supporting cutting-edge animal research and advancing excellence in animal care. This position plays a key role in supporting training and facility operations,

overseeing undergraduate staff, and maintaining inventory and equipment. The role also provides hands-on support for daily animal husbandry and research while serving as a key backup to the Animal Resource Wing Manager. This position is in *BROOKINGS, SOUTH DAKOTA*.

Requires:

Critical thinking and initiative

Ability to supervise undergraduate students and provide direction to other technicians.

Must have a valid driver's license.

Preference given to candidates having completed a program of Veterinary Technology and/or research experience. Any offer of employment is contingent on the university's verification of credentials and other information required by law and/or university policies, including but not limited to, successful completion of a criminal background check. Salary dependent on experience $21.41-24.08

Please send CV and cover letter to *SDSU.ARW@SDSTATE.EDU*

VETERINARIAN POSITION AT WESTERN VETERINARY SERVICES – WESTERN, SD

Veterinarian Position at Western Veterinary Services, PC with an opportunity for couples and ownership

Do you have a passion for serving clients with exceptional, full-service medicine? Are you someone who dreams of joining a team dedicated to professional and personal development? We have the perfect opportunity for you to join our team! Join our practice in Western SD.

Practice Overview

Established in 1978, Western Veterinary Services is a second-generation practice originating with the retiring veterinarians, Bill and Norma Headlee and carried on by their daughter, Corale. We are passionate about taking care of our clients, our community, and our team. We believe in serving our communities through a dedication to personalized service in a clinic-based setting. We have a newly updated facility with all the bells and whistles for equipment from ultrasound and digital x-ray to surgery suites with gas anesthesia and in-house blood work. We also have hydraulic chutes, hydraulic trim tables, padded equine surgery room and fully stocked vet trucks with Bowie vet boxes. In addition, our clients bring the individual animal cases to the clinic so doctors don't live in their truck.

What You'll Be Working On

- Continue the full-service exceptional medicine our loyal clientele appreciates.
- Build and maintain client relationships and educate on treatment options for all species.

- Manage a diverse livestock caseload from internal medicine, chute work, lameness, reproduction, record analysis and more as well as providing a full range of companion animal services.
- 85% beef cow calf, 10% companion animal 5% equine with room to expand.
- Guide and utilize exceptional trained support staff (2 staff to doctor ratio) including in-truck vet assistants.

Qualifications

- Doctor of Veterinary Medicine from an accredited program is required.
- Licensed in SD with Level 2 Federal Accreditation.
- Possess job skills that let you be operational when you begin.
- Highly motivated, with a demonstrated passion for service and continuous learning.
- Demonstrate commitment to ethics and integrity.
- Possess excellent interpersonal and communication skills.

What's In It For You

- Starting pay $90,000 – 140,000 based on experience with bonus opportunities.
- Enjoy a 4-day work week option with rotating emergency coverage shared with owners (avg 40 emergencies/year/doctor and 100% of emergencies done in clinic.)
- Weekly team meetings and weekly doctor rounds to discuss cases and develop new services.
- Health, Dental and Vision Insurance
- SIMPLE IRA with up to 3% match
- Sixteen days Paid Time Off PLUS extra time off for CE
- Loan Forgiveness through VMLRP as a Food Animal Practitioner available
- All licensing and professional fees covered
- Generous CE (over $3,000) & Uniform Allowance
- Fully stocked Vet Truck with Bowie Vet Boxes
- An opportunity to own your own practice if you are interested, with a seasoned practice manager and trained support staff to make you profitable straight out of the gate.

How to Apply

If you want to learn more in a confidential setting, you can reach out to Dr. Corale Dorn. Call or text my cell phone at 605-359-4968 or email drdorn@westernvs.com. Check us out at westernvs.com

VETERINARIAN POSITION – EAST RIVER VETERINARY CLINIC – EASTERN, SD

Full-Time and/or Part-Time Veterinarian Position

Are you a veterinarian in search of an opportunity to join a rapidly growing, fast paced, client and employee focused practice? Does the concept of practicing compassionate and progressive medicine, while establishing long term client relationships appeal to you? East River Veterinary Clinic is looking to add a companion, production, or mixed animal associate DVM to our growing mixed animal practices located in Platte and Corsica, South

Dakota. All levels of experience are welcome. We are excited about expanding into our brand new Platte facility in 2026 and look forward to integrating your ideas into our practice. Our practice is 50:50 beef cattle:companion animals; providing care for local cow/calf and seedstock herds, feedlots, working dogs (ranch and hunting), sheep/goats, equine, and pets. We are also the Platte Livestock Market veterinarian, board pets, and provide 24-7 emergency services. This is a flexible position adaptable to your needs, mentoring if needed, full staff of experienced assistants, and rotating on-call. A compensation package will be designed to benefit your specific needs.
If you are looking to grow your skills and work in a fun and challenging environment, we encourage you to apply by sending your resume to or reaching out to Dr. Haley Hoien at 605-337-2168, drhhoien@gmail.com.

OCTOBER 2026

CLINICAL TRACK ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE/FULL PROFESSOR – CLINCAL EDUCATOR – AMES, IA

The Department of Veterinary Clinical Sciences (VCS) in the College of Veterinary Medicine at Iowa State University, located in Ames, Iowa, is seeking qualified candidates for a full-time, term (clinical-track) faculty position to support the clinical education of professional students in veterinary medicine and surgery. The successful candidate will have a unique opportunity to teach throughout all four years of the veterinary curriculum as a member of the Surgery, Anesthesia, and Community Outreach team.

For the complete job vacancy and application instructions, please visit:
https://isu.wd1.myworkdayjobs.com/IowaStateJobs/job/Ames-IA/Clinical-Track-Assistant-Associate-Full-Professor---Clinical-Educator_R19963

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SEPTEMBER 2026

ASSOCIATE VETERINARIAN – CANTON, SD

Join Our Growing Small Animal Practice

Our small animal veterinary practice in **Canton, South Dakota**, is seeking an Associate Veterinarian to join our team.

As a **privately owned and growing practice**, we are looking for the right individual who wants to become an integral part of our team and help shape the future of the clinic. Our

practice provides comprehensive small animal care, including routine preventive medicine, surgery, dentistry, and treatment of sick and injured patients.

We are seeking a veterinarian who brings a **compassionate, practical, and patient-focused approach to veterinary medicine** and enjoys developing lasting relationships with clients and their pets.

Exceptional Work-Life Balance

Enjoy a rewarding veterinary career while maintaining time for life outside of work.

- **No evening or night hours**
- **No weekends**
- **No holidays**
- **No on-call responsibilities**
- Regular Monday–Friday schedule

We utilize a nearby **24/7 emergency veterinary facility located within 30 minutes of the clinic**, eliminating the need for after-hours on-call responsibilities while ensuring our patients have access to excellent emergency care when needed.

Life in Canton

Canton offers the best of small-town living with the convenience of a larger city nearby. With a welcoming community, excellent schools, local businesses, outdoor recreation, and a relaxed pace of life, Canton is a great place to put down roots and build a career.

Sioux Falls is only 20 minutes away, providing convenient access to shopping, dining, entertainment, advanced healthcare, and cultural activities while allowing you to enjoy the community and quality of life of a smaller town.

About Our Practice

- Privately owned small animal practice
- Operational since 2004 with a large, established client base
- Monday–Friday, **8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.**
- No evening, night, or holiday hours
- No on-call responsibilities
- Growing practice with opportunities for continued expansion
- Supportive and collaborative team environment

Equipment and Technology

Our practice is equipped to provide high-quality patient care and support an efficient workflow, including:

- Digital radiography
- In-house laboratory
- Ultrasound
- Dedicated surgery suite
- Dental wet sink with ultrasonic scaler and high-speed dental drill

- Complete, well-stocked pharmacy
- New cloud-based veterinary software

Benefits

We offer a competitive compensation and benefits package, including:

- Competitive compensation
- Paid Time Off (PTO)
- Health Reimbursement Arrangement (HRA)
- Retirement Plan with employer match
- Continuing Education (CE) stipend
- Mentorship and support for new graduates
- Opportunity to develop areas of professional interest
- Opportunity to contribute to the continued growth and direction of the practice

Qualifications

The ideal candidate will demonstrate a commitment to high-quality medicine, compassionate patient care, and strong client relationships.

- DVM degree from an accredited veterinary school
- Licensed or eligible for licensure in South Dakota
- Ability to work effectively within a collaborative team environment
- Compassionate, patient-focused approach to veterinary care
- Interest in developing long-term client relationships
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills
- Sound clinical judgment and practical problem-solving skills
- Experienced veterinarians and new graduates are welcome to apply

Come Grow With Us

Whether you are an experienced veterinarian looking for an exceptional work-life balance or a new graduate seeking a supportive environment in which to build your skills and confidence, we would love to hear from you.

Join a **privately owned practice where your voice is valued, your professional growth is encouraged, and your time outside of veterinary medicine is respected.**

Send your résumé and reach out to learn more.

Contact:
cantoncac@gmail.com
605-764-5474

LARGE ANIMAL ASSOCIATE VETERINARIAN- DIMOCK, SD

Sweetgrass Veterinary Services is looking to add a full-time Large Animal Associate Veterinarian with a focus on Cow/Calf Production and Herd Health. The ideal candidate will be an engaging and approachable professional with strong communication skills among colleagues, support staff and clients alike. We offer a strong, team-based environment with some of the best veterinary assistants and technicians in the business. Job will be full time with rotating on call/after-hours emergency.

SGVS is an integral part of the neighboring rural communities and is highly sought after for our semen testing and ultra-sounding services. We are proud to work with some of the top seedstock producers in the country as well as great family-run operations. We are hoping the right applicant can expand our highly in demand business even more in ways that may interest them. **We are currently building a new veterinary center!**

What benefits do we offer?

- Competitive Wages (Depending on experience)
- Health Insurance
- Paid Time Off & Holidays
- 401(k) with company match
- Discounted services and products
- Performance-based merit increases and bonuses
- Continuing Education Allowance and paid Continuing Education Days
- Paid AVMA, SDVMA and one specialty association membership dues.
- All professional fees covered – licensing, liability, memberships
- Stocked practice vehicle
- Clothing Stipend
- 100% paid professional liability coverage, life insurance & short-term disability insurance.

Contact:

Dr. Erik Holum

605-928-8387

holum@sweetgrassvets.com