

CVM 7544 Selective Emergency Medicine & Critical Care Rotation

The Preceptor must be a licensed veterinarian with certification from the American College of Veterinary Emergency and Critical Care (ACVECC).

If the Preceptor is certified through a foreign certification body, the certification process must demonstrate standards comparable to those of the relevant US national certification body or program. If there is no comparable national certification body or program, approval is at the discretion of the Committee on Clinical Instruction (CCI).

The Preceptor must work directly with the student and provide ongoing supervision, monitoring and feedback of the student's performance, with learning objectives and assessment documents provided by the college. The Preceptor must ensure that the student knows which doctor(s) will provide input for the evaluation.

The Preceptor's caseload/activity level must be of an adequate number to provide a rich educational experience. The majority of the patients must be emergency/critical care cases.

The Preceptor at the site must be able to provide the student with at least 40 hours of contact time per week. If the primary Preceptor works at a site part-time, and the student will be



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The site exists as public or private specialty/referral practice, staffed by at least one licensed veterinarian who meets the preceptor requirements.

There must be the presence of or access to appropriate diagnostic service components, physical facilities, medical records, operational policies and procedures, and animal housing facilities consistent with the mission of the site. If the practice is strictly ambulatory/mobile, there will be an exception made to requirements for animal housing.

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