Oklahoma Veterinary Board Newsletter

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Parting Thoughts

By Dr. Dan Danner, Board Vice-President

It is hard to believe that 10 years ago Gov. Brad Henry appointed me to the OSBVME. It has been an enormous honor to give back to our profession and work closely with the last two Governors and Legislative members. I have gained a new appreciation and insight as to what it takes to have a high quality profession but also to protect the Oklahoma Veterinary Practice Act from those who wish to disregard it and others who wanted to emasculate it totally. I never would have had the opportunity to work on the national level with the American Association of Veterinary State Boards and to be elected to the Board of Directors without being in this position. I am constantly amazed and concerned of all the groups who wish to discredit and diminish the importance of who we are and what we do for the public. The Board members do not receive any financial compensation for all the time and effort that goes into what goes on but the relationships created state and nationally as well as the experiences and travel all over the country that my wife and I have been able to do have more than made up for my efforts. I ended up receiving far more than I ever expected and again thank all those who have made our State the role model for so many others on the national level. Oklahoma has truly been a leader in the nation and is currently sharing a peace and harmony that I can leave with a huge satisfaction and legacy.

Thank you again to all those I have had the privilege to work with and all those who have taken a better road after dealing with the OSBVME. I would highly recommend this opportunity to everyone who wishes to grow and expand in our profession!

Article From Oklahoma Board of Pharmacy Newsletter:

13.16. Compounding Animal Drugs: Compounding animal drugs from bulk drug substances (active pharmaceutical ingredients) violates the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FD&C Act). The FD&C Act does not distinguish compounding from manufacturing or other processing of drugs for use in animals, so animal drugs produced by compounding fall within the FD&C Act's approval, adulteration, and misbranding requirements. The only exception is for drugs compounded from finished, approved human or animal drug products, which Food and Drug Administration (FDA) considers a legal extralabel use under the Animal Medicinal Drug Use Clarification Act of 1994, so long as the compounding of those drugs meets the extralabel use requirements in the FD&C Act and FDA regulations in 21 CFR Part 530. Extralabel use does not include compounding starting with bulk drug substances.

Goodbye and Thank you!

The Board and Staff wishes Dr. Dan Danner all the best after 10 years of service to our State and Profession! He will be finishing his second term this May. We are grateful for his exceptional contribution towards the improvement of veterinary medicine, protection of the public and the preservation of the integrity of the veterinary profession while serving these past ten years. Thank you Dr. Danner, you will be missed!

Paper Renewal Tips

- ADDRESS INFO: List home and employment information then check one box to indicate which address is to be used for correspondence.
- QUESTIONS ON FRONT PAGE: All four of these questions must be answered.
- CONTINUING EDUCATION: You can obtain the two hours of Mandatory Review of CDS Laws by reviewing the Oklahoma Veterinary Practice Act (www.okvetboard.com) or any CDS laws.
- SIGNATURE: Before returning the form, please be sure you have signed and dated it.
- Send it immediately! If you do not have your renewal to us by June 30th, the cost for DVMs will be $500 to reactive it. If received after August 29th, the cost is $625 and submission of a reinstatement application.

Online Renewals - Opens 4/29/13

First Time Users:

- Go to www.okvetboard.com and click "Renew Online".
- Select "First Time User?" on the left and enter your email when prompted.
- Enter your first name and last name as listed on your wallet card, choose the license type, and enter your License/ Registration/ Certification number. Complete the required fields on the next screen and "submit".
- You will receive an email with your Login Activation Number. Choose the link the email provides and enter your number.

To Renew:

- Go to www.okvetboard.com and click "Renew Online".
- Log in on the left side.
- Click "Start Here–Step 1" to review the Personal Information.
- Click "Step 2" to review the My Clinics/Employment section. Select each clinic to answer a mandatory "CDS" question (except RVTs).
- Click "Step 3" to report your Continuing Education. You may list seminars and conferences in one entry with the total number of hours received and the date it began.
- Click the "Continue Renewal" button to complete the renewal, answering several questions and paying the renewal fee with MasterCard, Visa, Discover, and EFTs.

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Reminder

By Rod Hall, DVM,
State Veterinarian, Animal Industry Services
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This is a reminder to practitioners that with implementation of the USDA Animal Disease Traceability Rule, 9CFR Part 86.5 (B), accredited veterinarians are now required to keep their copies of documents such as CVIs and other regulatory paperwork that deal with livestock ID and traceability for five (5) years. The rule reads as follows:

(2) The animal health official or accredited veterinarian issuing or receiving an ICVI or other interstate movement document in accordance with paragraph (b)(1) of this section must keep a copy of the ICVI or alternate documentation. For poultry and swine, such documents must be kept for at least 2 years, and for cattle and bison, sheep and goats, cervids, and equines, 5 years.

Disciplined Doctors

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Christi Frederick, RVT:

As a result of a Continuing Education audit a Field Citation and Order in the amount of $500 was issued for fraud or misrepresentation in applying for a renewal of her license to practice as a registered veterinary technician; and failure to furnish the Board staff with proof of the continuing education listed on her renewal application and failure to cooperate in a lawful investigation. On or about January 7, 2013, the Executive Director sent a letter to the Respondent notifying her of her failure to pay the administrative fine and that further action may be taken by the Board if this matter was not resolved. Christi A. Frederick voluntarily agreed to surrender her license to practice as a registered veterinary technician in the State of Oklahoma; she shall not apply for or seek reinstatement of a license until after five years from the date of the Order; and the fine of $500.00 issued pursuant to the Field Citation was waived.

*Further details of Board actions can be obtained by contacting the Board office.

2013 Upcoming Dates

June 21st	4:00pm Board meeting at Board office
June 30th	Renewals Due
Aug 23rd	4:00pm Board meeting at Board office
Oct 18th	4:00pm Board meeting at Board office