

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2022 to **Robson Forensic, Inc.**
Present *Associate*

Provide technical investigations, analysis, reports, and testimony related to commercial and personal injury litigation involving all areas of veterinary science and practice including, but not limited to the following: emergency and critical care medicine, administration of veterinary specialty hospitals, animal abuse and neglect issues, injuries inflicted by dogs or cats, prescription and non-prescription drug administration and use in animals, infectious diseases, small animal behavior, safety protocols for veterinary staff and animal restraint, failure analysis of small animal medicine and surgery. Areas of expertise include:

Emergency and Critical Care Medicine: Extensive experience in emergency case receiving and long-term management of critically ill patients, stabilization and post-operative care of surgical emergencies, design and implementation of triage protocols, collaboration with specialists in a multidisciplinary specialty setting, emergency medical and catastrophic trauma assessment and management of multiple body organ systems (e. g., cardiopulmonary, neurologic, gastrointestinal, nephrology/urology, musculoskeletal, and endocrine).

Anesthesia and Pain Management: Special interest in general anesthesia protocols and anesthetic patient monitoring, critical care pain management (analgesia) including acute and chronic pain, hospice care, and humane euthanasia.

Behavior and Training: Assessing and addressing normal and abnormal behaviors in cats and dogs, safe and compassionate physical restraint, chemical restraint, group housing dynamics, and staff safety.

Abuse and Neglect: Evaluation of abuse or neglect associated with injury (intentional or unintentional), training procedures, failure to provide medical care, irresponsible breeding for sale, confinement, and nutrition issues.

Infectious Disease: Surveillance and tracking infectious disease outbreaks among companion animals, reporting infectious disease data to local public health authorities, designation, and implementation of isolation protocols in clinic or shelter settings, and prevention of zoonotic disease transmission.

Professional Communications: Assessing and evaluating Veterinary-Client-Patient relationships (VCPR), including those within the referring veterinary community regarding collaborative patient care and client education, medical record keeping, and controlled substance documentation.

MCGEE LEONARD, DVM, DACVECC
Veterinarian

2020 to **TrueCare for Pets**

Present *Director of Emergency Services/Senior Emergency & Critical Care Clinician*

- Primary management of patients hospitalized by the Emergency Service
- Consulting with other specialists and referral veterinarians
- Training for both emergency clinicians and technical staff

2018 to **Veterinary Specialty & Emergency Center**

2020 *Director of Emergency Services/Senior Emergency & Critical Care Clinician*

- Receiving and managing all daytime and overnight emergency hospitalized patients within the Emergency Service
- Consulting with other specialists and referral veterinarians
- Training emergency clinicians and technical staff
- Scheduling and interviewing emergency clinician applicants for relevant positions
- Providing continuing education lectures to the local community of referring veterinarians

2015 to **Western University of Health Sciences**

2017 *Clinical Assistant Professor of Veterinary Medicine (Affiliate)*

- Supervising and mentoring third- and fourth-year veterinary students during 2-to-4-week emergency medicine rotations at VCA Animal Specialty & Emergency Center (ASEC)
- Mentoring and preparing fourth-year veterinary students for national board exams (NAVLE)
- Assisting fourth-year veterinary students with applications for internship positions

2009 to **VCA Animal Specialty & Emergency Center**

2017 *Emergency Director*

2015-2017

- Reviewing applications and interviewing candidates for the hospital's internship program
- Liaison to hospital medical director and corporate management regarding the status and needs of the Emergency Service
- Management of critically ill patients in the Emergency Service
- Consulting with other specialists in the hospital and with referral veterinarians regarding patient care

Emergency Clinician

2014-2017

- Receiving and managing all daytime and overnight emergency hospitalized patients within the Emergency Service
- Providing continuing education lectures to the local community of referring veterinarians
- Mentoring and teaching third- and fourth-year veterinary students

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Emergency and Critical Care Resident

2010-2013

- Receiving and managing all daytime and overnight emergency hospitalized patients within the Emergency Service
- Providing continuing education lectures to the local community of referring veterinarians

Rotating Intern

2009-2010

- Primary emergency receiving responsibilities on daytime and overnight shifts
- Clinical assistance with patient care, client communication, and record keeping, working with specialists in Internal Medicine, Surgery, Cardiology, and Radiology

PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIALS

Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM)
License to Practice Veterinary Medicine: California
National USDA Accreditation, Category II (All species)
Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) Prescribing License: Up to and including schedule II drugs
Diplomate of the American College of Veterinary Emergency & Critical Care (DACVECC)

EDUCATION

Doctor of Veterinary Medicine, Western University of Health Sciences
B.S., Microbiology, Immunology, Molecular Genetics, University of California, Los Angeles

Continuing Education

International Association for Animal Hospice & Palliative Care Conference, 2021

Global FAST Point of Care Ultrasound Training, 2019

International Veterinary Emergency & Critical Care Symposium, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2020, 2022

Society of Critical Care Medicine Critical Care Congress, 2011, 2013

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LECTURES

- “Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation,” Veterinary Specialty & Emergency Center Continuing Education Continuing Education Series, 2018
- “Fluid Therapy,” Animal Specialty & Emergency Center Continuing Education Series, 2017
- “Management of Hypotension,” Animal Specialty & Emergency Center Continuing Education Series, 2017
- “Transfusion Medicine,” Animal Specialty & Emergency Center Continuing Education Series, 2012
- “Venomous Animals in Southern California,” Animal Specialty & Emergency Center Continuing Education Series

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American College of Veterinary Emergency and Critical Care, 2016-present
Veterinary Emergency and Critical Care Society, 2011 to present
International Veterinary Academy of Pain Management, 2021 - present
American Veterinary Medical Association, 2009-present

PUBLICATIONS

Leonard M, Bresee C, Cruikshank A. “Effects of the canine rattlesnake vaccine in moderate to severe cases of canine crotalid envenomation” *Veterinary Medicine: Research and Reports*, 2014(5): 153-158.

Leonard M. “Rattlesnake Envenomation” *SCVMA Pulse Magazine*, September 2012.