

Cornell University Veterinary Specialists

Transforming Care. One Life at a Time.

Veterinary Technician Specialist Mentoring Program

Is Achieving Your VTS One of Your Goals?...



If you are a credentialed veterinary technician with an interest in obtaining your Veterinary Technician Specialist (VTS) in Emergency and Critical Care, Anesthesia or Internal Medicine, you may be interested in our VTS Mentorship Program.

Cornell University Veterinary Specialists (CUVS) is a mission-driven specialty and emergency center, providing exceptional and innovative medicine that is both patient-centered and service-oriented. We are an independent, for-profit subsidiary of Cornell University, combining the best aspects of academia and of private practice to create a unique hospital model. Our Core Values include: Patient-Centered Medicine, Integrated Care, and a Culture of Learning. We are currently enhancing our intensive VTS mentorship program, designed to facilitate and support technicians committed to achieving their goal of VTS certification.

If you have been a credentialed veterinary technician for at least 2 years and have the desire and the commitment necessary to achieve your VTS, we will support you. Our program provides: a robust caseload, exposure to complex cases and advanced diagnostics and therapeutics, access to many board-certified specialists in a teaching environment, ongoing and active mentorship by Veterinary Technician Specialists and others, ample continuing education opportunities, structured study and exam preparation opportunities, collaboration and collegiality. The rest is up to you. But we will commit to doing our best to prepare you in reaching your next career milestone.

Obtaining your VTS is a validation of your commitment to exceptional medicine. It provides you a greater role in patient care, team development and leadership, as well as a higher earning potential! Obtaining your VTS is challenging and requires additional effort above and beyond your regular job responsibilities for 2 or more years. Why go it alone? Why not work towards a common goal with a team of like-minded peers?

CUVS has a truly exceptional and unique culture that makes for an unparalleled work environment. This culture prioritizes and values the veterinary technician and their essential role in the clinical team. Our doctors and technicians are a cohesive team of professionals who strongly believe in collaboration, communication and respect. **Why choose a hospital that offers you a job, when you can choose a hospital that offers you a career?**

CUVS offers an outstanding compensation package with excellent pay structure and terrific benefits that include CE allowance, matching 401k, medical, dental, pet, disability and life insurance. CUVS is a great place to utilize and grow your skills in a challenging, rewarding, fun, and respectful environment. Individuals with a passion for their work, a keen sense of collaboration and teamwork, and an appreciation for diversity are strongly encouraged to apply.

Read about our unique culture and staff testimonials, and learn about our hiring process at www.cuvs.org.

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