

Vacancy for exotics vet in West Sussex

We are currently looking for a veterinary surgeon with experience in exotic animal medicine and surgery to join our busy first opinion and exotic animal referral practice. They will work alongside Rob Reynolds, near Horsham in West Sussex.

The applicant must be enthusiastic, and ideally have (or be studying towards) a Certificate in Zoological Medicine or the MSc in Wild Animal Health.

The practice has a large caseload of exotic pets ranging from reptiles and birds to small mammals, as well as several licensed zoos and private collections of zoo animals. There is plenty of opportunity to work with larger species: ungulates from tapirs to camels, and some big-ish cats.

The practice is well equipped for exotics with a purpose built exotic ward with a bank of vivaria, as well as cages. There is a dedicated exotic waiting room. Surgical facilities are comprehensive: full anaesthetic monitoring, ventilator, flexible and rigid endoscopy, ultrasound, and an on-site CT scanner. We would be keen to train the successful candidate in how to use the CT machine for exotic patients, and fill in any gaps in their skills, such as use of the tranquilliser rifle.

If the position would be of interest to you, please contact Dan Andrews (dan.andrews@medivet.co.uk) along with a copy of your CV.