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EMPLOYMENT

- August 1997 – present *Equine Veterinary Health Alternatives*
Principal: Laura Taylor DVM, EDO
Mobile holistic equine practice throughout Alberta
- April 1997 – present *Sundance Animal Hospital*
Independent contractor in clinic
Holistic small animal practice, Calgary, Alberta
- April 1993 – February 2000 *Locum veterinarian* at various veterinary
practices in Calgary area
- July 1990 – July 1992 *Locum veterinarian* at various veterinary
practices in Ontario and England, UK
- July 1989 – July 1990 *Associate Veterinarian*
Abbotsford Animal Hospital, Aurora, Ontario

EDUCATION

- June 1989 *Doctor of Veterinary Medicine*
Ontario Veterinary College
University of Guelph, Guelph, Ontario
- 1982 – 1985 *Bachelor of Science (Agriculture), 2 years pre-veterinary training*
University of Guelph, Guelph, Ontario

EDUCATION IN COMPLEMENTARY AND ALTERNATIVE VETERINARY MEDICINE

- February 2008 – November 2010 Canine Osteopathy training
Functional Indirect Techniques, Craniosacral Therapy
Instructor: Patricia Kortekaas, PT
Full Spectrum Canine Therapy, Eugene, Oregon
- January 2006 – November 2007 Equine Osteopathy training
Instructor: Janek Vluggen, DO, MRO, EDO
The Vluggen Institute for Equine Osteopathy and
Education, San Marcos, Texas
Equine Osteopath Degree (EDO) granted Nov. 2007
- January 2005 – March 2005 Veterinary Chinese Herbal Medicine
Instructor: Steve Marsden, DVM, ND, MSOM, L. Ac, Dipl. C.H.
Edmonton, Alberta
- September 2001 – March 2002 ANHC Advanced Course in Veterinary Homeopathy
Instructor: Richard Pitcairn, DVM, PhD
Ontario, California, Florida
- September 2000 – March 2001 ANHC Professional Course in Veterinary Homeopathy
Instructors: David Evans, DVM, Richard Pitcairn, DVM
Victoria, British Columbia, and Clearwater, Florida
- September 1996 – April 1997 Basic Course on Veterinary Acupuncture
International Veterinary Acupuncture Society
Albuquerque, New Mexico
- September 1995 – August 1998 Advanced Diplomate Program on Animal Chiropractic
American Veterinary Chiropractic Association
Hillside, Illinois
- April 1995 – August 1995 Basic Course on Animal Chiropractic
American Veterinary Chiropractic Association
Hillside, Illinois

MISCELLANEOUS TRAINING IN HUMAN COMPLEMENTARY THERAPIES

June 2009 – January 2011

Biodynamic Craniosacral Therapy (BCST)
Certification through Body Intelligence Training (UK)
Calgary, Alberta

September 1997 – May 2014 (Upledger/Barral Institutes, West Palm Beach, Florida)

Various courses in manual therapies: human craniosacral therapy, somato-emotional release, visceral manipulation, lymphatic drainage therapy, peripheral nerve manipulation, brain neural manipulation, viscero-vascular manipulation, unwinding acupuncture meridians

SPEAKING / LECTURES (on veterinary osteopathy, visceral osteopathy, craniosacral therapy)

July 2016 - Worldwide Alliance of Equine Osteopaths Conference, Olds, AB

July 2012 - Canadian Veterinary Medical Association annual conference, Montreal, QC

August 2011 – American Holistic Veterinary Medical Association Conference, San Diego, CA

September 2010 - American Holistic Veterinary Medical Association Conference, Covington, KY

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

Equine Osteopathy (EDO): International Association of Equine Osteopaths (IAEO), International Registry of Equine Osteopaths (IREO)

Veterinary Acupuncture: International Veterinary Acupuncture Society (IVAS), Association of Veterinary Acupuncturists of Canada (AVAC)

Animal Chiropractic: American Veterinary Chiropractic Association (AVCA)

Biodynamic Craniosacral Therapy (BCST): Body Intelligence training (human)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Alberta Veterinary Medical Association

College of Veterinarians of British Columbia

Canadian Veterinary Medical Association

American Holistic Veterinary Medical Association

Worldwide Alliance of Equine Osteopaths

International Registry of Equine Osteopaths
International Veterinary Acupuncture Society
Association of Veterinary Acupuncturists of Canada
Academy of Veterinary Homeopathy
American Veterinary Chiropractic Association
Calgary Academy of Veterinary Medicine