

Job Vacancy: Part-Time Veterinary Surgeon, Two By Two Veterinary Centre

Contract: Permanent

Hours: 22-32 hours per week (negotiable)

Shift: 3-4 days per week plus 1 in 2 Sunday rota 10am-2pm (followed by on-call).

No Saturdays or Bank Holidays.

Location: Two By Two Veterinary Centre, 178-180 Long Lane, Finchley, London N3

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Closing date for applications: Friday 13 August 2021

About Two By Two Veterinary Centre

Two By Two Veterinary Centre is an independent veterinary practice in Finchley, north London, with modern and spacious facilities. Since its establishment in 2017, we are proud to have built up a loyal community of clients and their pets who are looking for a friendly, caring and individually tailored service that puts pets health and wellbeing first and foremost.

We welcome small animals of all shapes and sizes – whether they come with fur, beaks, scales or feathers. We always go that extra mile to give clients and their pets the very best level of support, care and professional advice that animals inevitably need through life.

Join our dynamic, professional team as a small animal Veterinary Surgeon and be part of Two By Two Veterinary Centre's growth.

About the Role

Our client base is expanding, therefore we are seeking a Veterinary Surgeon to support the Clinical Director. The role will include an equal share of consultations and surgery. We are a busy independent practice and have a varied caseload ranging from routine surgery to dentistry and orthopaedics. We are well equipped with an internal lab covering biochemistry and haematology, ultrasound, digital x-ray, and more.

As part of the friendly team, you will be part of maintaining our excellent reputation in the community as a private practice. You will run 15 minute consults with time for case work up. You will have case continuity and be able to follow your cases through to completion.

Two By Two Veterinary Centre runs two RSPCA clinics a week, as we are the location for the provision of RSPCA Finchley, Golders Green, Hendon and District Branch veterinary services. You will be involved in running the clinics.

Person Specification

- Competent small animal Veterinary Surgeon registered with the RCVS
- High level of general practice competence gained by 3-5 years UK experience

- Confident in routine procedures and surgeries
- Experience of working with exotics
- Some sole charge required therefore you should be self-sufficient and confident to work alone
- Excellent communication skills, with clients to deliver excellent customer care and with the rest of the team
- Strong work ethic and a caring, sensitive approach
- Good standard of personal presentation
- Take responsibility for own learning
- Aligned with animal welfare aims of RSPCA
- Lives within reasonable commutable distance of Finchley, London

Core Responsibilities

- Provide excellent standard of clinical care to animals
- Deliver customer satisfaction to ensure customer return and retention
- Communicate effectively with clients about cases and treatment
- Provide thorough approach to new cases
- Clinical and Surgical work consultations, diagnostic investigations, surgical procedures quickly and safely and inpatient care
- Maintain up-to-date clinical records
- Work in a timely manner
- Ensuring that your work supports the Director's objective of ensuring the practice runs efficiently and effectively, and grows the client base
- Promote animal welfare through client education and preventative medicine during consultations

Other Duties

- Use computer software for records and billing
- Maintain proper documentation promptly in the electronic medical record
- Be environmentally sound when possible
- Adhere to the RCVS Code of professional conduct
- Ensure compliance to standards in respect of all legislative requirements, including but not limited to RCVS, Fire, Control of Substances Hazardous to Health (COSHH), Basic Life Support, Infection Control and Display Equipment.
- Comply with GDPR, Privacy Policy and European Regulations.
- Be aware of the Health and Safety At Work Act (1974) and comply with the regulations.
- Assist with maintaining a Covid-secure environment to prevent spread of the virus.
- Assist in ensuring compliance with risk assurance processes including; health and safety, clinical governance and Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons (RCVS) guidelines.
- Wear uniform during working hours

Knowledge And Skills

- 3+ years MRCVS (this role is not suitable for a new grad)
- Excellent academic record
- Knowledge and experience of small animals, birds and reptiles
- Excellent English verbal and written communication skills
- Maintain and develop professional skills with Continued Professional Development in accordance with RCVS Guidelines
- Experience of working in a busy practice
- Computer literacy

Hours

This is a part-time role working 22-32 hours over 3-4 days, with potential for more hours in the future.

Hours must include:

Tuesdays 9am-1pm

Thursdays 4pm-7pm

Every other Sunday 10am-2pm and then on-call.

Weekday designated one night a week on-call preferred.

Flexible on other days/hours for excellent work/life balance for the right candidate. Please include your preferred days/hours in your application.

This job description does not necessarily cover every task or duty that might be assigned. There may be additional responsibilities assigned as the needs of the business dictate.

Subject to a three-month probation period.

Immediate start available.

Benefits

Salary: £38,000 - £42,000 dependent on experience (pro rata)

NEST pension

Part-time hours to fit in with your lifestyle

20 days annual leave (pro rata) plus Bank Holidays

No Saturday working

RCVS fees paid

£1000 annual allocation towards CPD

One membership paid

Staff discount on pet services and products

We will work with you to support you to develop your potential

Apply now!

To apply to join Two By Two Veterinary Centre, please send your CV and covering letter detailing your interest, experience and include preferred days/hours and availability to enquiries@twobytwovets.co.uk for the attention of Andrew Monchar, Director.

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