



8:45 - 9:30 AM	<b>KEYNOTE SESSION:</b> Assume Good Intent <i>Megan Brashear</i> CONCORD C/D			
Track	VETERINARY NURSE+TECH THEATER	PRACTICE MANAGEMENT THEATER	VTS PREP TRACK	WORKSHOPS
Location	CONCORD C/D	CONCORD A	CONCORD G/H	EXPO HALL THEATER
Sponsor				
<b>EXHIBIT HALL 9:30 - 10:00 AM (BREAKFAST REFRESHMENTS SERVED)</b>				
10:00 - 10:50 AM	<b>Reading The Room: How Clinics Influence Behavior</b> <i>Jessica Scheip</i>	<b>Develop Them to Leave, Watch Them Stay</b> <i>Maria Pirita</i>	<b>VTS: The Application Process</b> <i>Megan Brashear, Leslie Wereszczak</i>	<b>Go With the Flow – Venipuncture &amp; IVC Placement</b> <i>Alyssa Mages</i> <i>(Limited to 25 attendees)</i> <i>This session ends at 11:30 AM</i>
11:00 - 11:50 AM	<b>Bridging the Gap: Communication in Behavior Cases</b> <i>Jessica Scheip</i>	<b>One-on-Ones That Actually Develop People</b> <i>Maria Pirita</i>	<b>VTS: Writing the Perfect Case Report</b> <i>Megan Brashear, Leslie Wereszczak</i>	
<b>EXHIBIT HALL 12:00 - 1:00 PM (LUNCH PROVIDED TO PREMIUM PASS ATTENDEES)</b>				
12:00 - 1:00 PM	Join Us for Peer-to-Peer Mentoring <i>Alyssa Mages</i> EXPO HALL THEATER Facilitated by:  Sponsored by:			
1:00 - 1:50 PM	<b>An Innovative Approach to Treating Canine Allergic Dermatitis</b> <i>Jess Stroble</i> 	<b>Birds of a Feather: Community Consulting</b> <i>Lee Gimpel</i> <i>This interactive session will drive community solutions and you'll leave with fresh perspectives.</i>	<b>VTS Case Discussions: Straight from the ECC</b> <i>Megan Brashear, Leslie Wereszczak</i>	<b>We Can Move Forward Together!</b> <i>NAVHIVE Champions!</i>
2:00 - 2:50 PM	<b>Homemade Diets for Healthy Pets: Risks, Benefits, and How to Do Them Right</b> <i>Ashley Self</i> 	<b>The Financial Pulse of a Healthy Veterinary Practice</b> <i>Lindsey McMakin</i>		<b>A Day In The Life of a Lab Animal Veterinary Technician</b> <i>Pam Nagrem</i>
3:00 - 3:50 PM	<b>It's a Cat's World, We're Just Living In It—Understanding Feline Behavior</b> <i>Tiffany Tupler</i> 	<b>Fixing the Busy - Practical Operations Strategies for a More Efficient Veterinary Practice</b> <i>Lindsey McMakin</i>	<b>VTS Panel: Why Do It and Where Can I Go?</b> <i>Benita Altier, Megan Brashear, Jessica Scheip, Leslie Wereszczak</i>	<b>CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES I</b> <i>Meagan Smith</i>
<b>OPENING NIGHT SOCIAL 4:00 - 5:30 PM</b> Join fellow attendees for a fun and engaging evening reception with food and refreshments and an exciting game lead by the HiVE team! You won't want to miss this!				

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10:00 - 10:50 AM	No Pulse, No Panic! RECOVER CPR Review <i>Leslie Wereszczak</i>	Breaking Barriers and Building Bridges: Why Inclusion and Accessibility Matters in Veterinary Medicine <i>Susie Crockett</i>	Paws, Pixels, and Progress: Navigating AI Adoption in Veterinary Medicine <i>Sydney Christian</i>	Dental Radiology Interpretation Course for Veterinary Technicians <i>Benita Altier</i>  (Limited to 50 attendees)
11:00 - 11:50 AM	The BEAR Essentials of Trauma <i>Leslie Wereszczak</i>	Driving Progress with Purpose: Change Leadership in Modern Veterinary Medicine <i>Susie Crockett</i>	CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES II <i>Meagan Smith</i>	
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1:00 - 1:50 PM	What Would You Say? Nutrition Questions from Real Pet Parents <i>Ashley Self</i>  	Workplace Culture: Go from Surviving to Thriving <i>Kellie Olah</i>	Spectrum of Care - From Gold Standard to Real-World Practice <i>Tiffany Tupler</i>  	Birds of a Feather: Targeted Talks <i>Lee Gimpel</i> This session is designed to help the right people find each other and quickly connect around the topics they care about most.
<b>EXHIBIT HALL 1:50 PM - 2:20 PM (REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED)</b>				
2:20 - 3:10 PM	Acid Base: Easy as Tic Tac Toe <i>Megan Brashear</i>	Financial Transparency: It's not as Scary as it Sounds <i>Jenni George</i>	Successfully Managing Conflict in Your Veterinary Practice <i>Kellie Olah</i>	Triage: Its a Team Sport <i>Alyssa Mages</i>
3:20 - 4:10 PM	When Good Food Goes Bad: Refeeding Syndrome in a Cat <i>Megan Brashear</i>	Retention: The Most Important Word in the veterinary Industry <i>Jenni George</i>	Data Over Drama: Turning Practice Metrics into Better Decisions, Stronger Teams and Higher Profit <i>Sydney Christian</i>	This session ends at 3:40 PM

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 SATURDAY, AUGUST 1 • 9:00 AM - 5:30 PM  
 SUNDAY, AUGUST 2 • 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM