



Veterinary Position at a Forward-Thinking Independent Practice in East Grinstead

Are you looking for a rewarding career with a supportive team?

We are an independent 6 vet practice in East Grinstead seeking an experienced veterinarian to join our team. We offer a flexible working schedule with a competitive salary and benefits package ranging from £45,000 to £65,000 (full-time equivalent).

ABOUT US

Since opening in 2004, our East Grinstead practice has evolved into the main hub of our three branch practice. We are proudly independent and committed to innovation and progression; we have invested in the latest equipment and technology: laparoscopy, endoscopy, digital x-ray, dental x-ray, ultrasonography with doppler, Vet CT clinical assistance and Petsapp.

Our team is the heart of our practice. We foster a supportive and positive work environment that prioritises the well-being of our staff. This means we retain a team of highly skilled and dedicated veterinary professionals, many of whom have been with us for many years. A number of our vets and nurses hold advanced qualifications in emergency medicine, surgery, anaesthesia, and nutrition.

JOB ROLE

We are seeking an experienced vet to do a mixture of consulting, operating and inpatient shifts. Typically these are 8 hours, and can be tailored to individual schedules and are keen to support any areas of interest. Our consults are 15 minutes long and extended for more complex/time consuming cases. We book consults in a mindful way and make sure to provide time for admin, which is monitored and protected. Our team at East Grinstead provide inpatient care during the day and overnight, with our vets doing one late shift a week seeing emergencies up until 10pm on weekdays.

We have a weekend rota of approximately 1:6 Saturdays until 4pm, after which we are supported by VetsNow; a lieu day off is given the following week.

We provide comprehensive training programme for new graduates and student nurses. We would be particularly interested in a candidate who shares this passion for teaching and would be keen to be involved in mentoring and supporting our evolving team.

THE PACKAGE

- Competitive salary: £45,000 to £65,000 per year (full-time equivalent)
- Career progression plan
- Team reward scheme for social events
- RCVS/VDS fees and professional subscriptions covered by the practice
- Generous CPD budget
- Pension scheme
- Support for special interests, certificates, and qualifications
- 5 weeks of holiday per year, plus bank holidays
- Discounted private medical insurance
- Overtime, weekend, and emergency work compensated

WHY YOU'LL LOVE WORKING HERE WITH US

- We are an innovative practice that embraces evidence-based medicine and regularly update protocols
- We foster a collaborative environment with regular case study discussions to keep the entire team knowledgeable and get the most out of unusual cases
- We have a strong team spirit with dedicated staff members
- Supportive and compassionate leadership prioritises staff needs, creating a positive work environment that fosters excellence in patient care

Are you ready to be part of a team that makes a difference to their staff, clients and patients?

Send your CV to valerie@portlandvets.co.uk

We are looking forward to hearing from you!