Veterinary Medical Center Wish List

Equine (Updated Dec 2019)

$3,000 – Sponsor a Resident

Residency programs are usually over a 3-year period and provide intense learning opportunities. Sponsor a resident by assisting with the cost of textbooks, computer and statistical software, learning aids, and continuing education events. This gives our residents the opportunity to learn the latest information and to present the results of their research at national meetings and short courses.

$3,000 – Ophthalmoscope

This allows us to fully examine a horse’s eyes. We have a fantastic ophthalmology service, but this basic eye exam is also a necessary skill to be practiced by students, interns and residents.

$10,000 – Equine Surgery Tables

These surgery tables are specifically designed to support the body of a horse and include hydraulics to allow the table to be raised. Our current tables are coming to the end of their lifespan!

$25,000 – Wireless Radiography Unit

Wireless plates can be used with any x-ray generator and allow for greater safety and efficiency without cords. This equipment would be used for our sports medicine cases and in the operating rooms.

$25,000 – Equine Palpation/Colic Simulator

These life-sized models help teach students the technique of rectal palpation, an important skill to help make our graduates practice-ready.

$25,000 – Dynamic Endoscope

This endoscope is attached to the horse’s tack so the upper airway can be viewed during normal riding. This is especially important for horses that have breathing problems related to riding under collection or only under certain conditions.

$500,000 – Standing CT Unit

This new technology would allow for advanced imaging of the equine head and neck without general anesthesia.