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## TOP STORY

### Beware of Unauthorized Marketing by Printer Ink Vendor

Source: CVMA

The CVMA has been informed that a company called "Re-Ink" has been sending emails to CVMA members (and possible other recipients) promoting Re-Ink's products, and suggesting that the CVMA endorses Re-Ink and its offerings. Please note that this advertising has not been authorized by the CVMA, that the CVMA has no affiliation whatsoever with Re-Ink, and that the CVMA does not endorse Re-Ink or its products. In fact, the CVMA has sent a cease-and-desist letter to Re-Ink demanding that Re-Ink discontinue its use of CVMA's name in any current or future marketing publications. If you receive any communications from Re-Ink that reference the CVMA in any way, we ask that you notify us by email directed to <u>staff@cvma.net</u>.

#### **UPCOMING CE**



Pacific Veterinary Conference in San Francisco June 2-5, 2022 Advance registration closes May 18.

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#### **MEMBER BENEFITS**

## **CVMA NEWS**



## It's National Veterinary Receptionist Week!

Source: CVMA

Veterinary Receptionist Week is celebrated the last full week of April each year. As the first and last point of contact during veterinary visits, veterinary receptionists provide crucial communication and help information flow between clients and veterinary professionals. The CVMA would like to express our appreciation of all veterinary receptionists and celebrate the important service they provide.

## **VETERINARY BUZZ**

### FDA Announces Draft Guidance for the Use of Published Literature to Support New Animal Drug Approvals

Source: U.S. Food and Drug Administration

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration announced last week the availability of draft Guidance for Industry #106 entitled "<u>The Use of Published Literature in Support of</u> <u>New Animal Drug Approvals</u>." The document provides guidance to animal drug sponsors on specific areas of the approval process where the available scientific literature may be useful to support the approval of a new animal drug application, an abbreviated new animal drug application, or a conditionally approved new animal drug application. Read more <u>here</u>.

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### **CVMA POLL**

Dr. Timothy McCarthy will be teaching the Karl Storz Endoscopy Lecture and Lab at PacVet on June 3, 2022. What can participants expect to learn during the laboratory session?

A. Recommended techniques to perform the laparoscopic ovariectomy (OVH) and ovariohysterectomy (OHE), including abdominal access and surgical technique. (0%) B. Introduction to energybased vessel sealing technology to facilitate open and laparoscopic surgery. (0%) C. How to procure successful laparoscopic biopsies. (0%) D. Success techniques to remove nasal/ear foreign bodies with use of endoscopic imaging. (0%) E. Recommendations for handling and cleaning endoscopic instrumentation. (0%) F. All of the above. (100%)

The answer is F - All of the

above. Click here for more

## FDA Releases NARMS Integrated Summary 2019

Source: U.S. Food and Drug Administration

Last week, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, in cooperation with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Food Safety and Inspection Service (USDA-FSIS), its partners in the National Antimicrobial Resistance Monitoring System (NARMS), released the NARMS Integrated Summary 2019. NARMS is a national public health system that monitors certain pathogens in human and animal samples for resistance to antimicrobial drugs used in human and veterinary medicine. Click here to read the full summary.

# Take the University of Colorado's Telemedicine Survey

Source: Colorado Integrated Food Safety Center of Excellence

In conjunction with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Colorado Integrated Food Safety Center of Excellence is conducting a survey of veterinarians and animal owners in the United States and U.S. territories to assess how telemedicine is currently being used. The survey closes this Saturday, April 30. The CVMA strongly encourages our members to complete the survey, which only takes about five minutes, in order to pinpoint trends and issues in the use of telemedicine. Click <u>here</u> for the survey. information about the 2022 PacVet in San Francisco.

#### **NEW QUESTION**

On average, how often will a veterinary practice undergo a random inspection by the VMB?

A. Every 6 months

- B. Every 10 months
- C. Every 1–2 years
- D. Every 2-4 years
- E. None of the above

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