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## TOP STORY



## CVMA Fall Seminar Registration Is Now Open!

Source: CVMA

Join us on September 30-October 2 in the beautiful desert oasis of Palm Springs for the CVMA's Fall Seminar! Veterinarians can earn up to 12 CE units and technicians and CVMA CVAs can earn up to 8 CE units. Mornings are chock-full of fantastic CE, and afternoons are open for exploring the resort town, hiking the area's


## UPCOMING CE




### Pacific Veterinary Conference in San Francisco

June 2-5, 2022

**\*On-site registration will be available for in-person attendees beginning Thursday, June 2 at 6:30 AM in the Hilton San Francisco Union Square Yosemite Lobby.**

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many scenic trails, riding the aerial tramway, sightseeing the one-of-a-kind, mid-century modern architecture, or simply relaxing by the pool. However you decide to enjoy Palm Springs, there's not a more luxurious way to earn CE! Click [here](#) for more information and to register.

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## CVMA NEWS

### Happy Jewish American Heritage Month!

Source: CVMA

Throughout the month of May, the CVMA is proud to observe Jewish American Heritage Month, a time to reflect on and honor the Jewish community's continual achievements. The CVMA pays tribute to the generations of Jewish Americans who have shaped veterinary medicine and who have helped form the fabric of American history, culture, and society.

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### Got Any Good News to Share?

Source: CVMA

The CVMA wants to hear about you and your team's many accomplishments! Whether you were recently promoted, passed a difficult exam, launched a new business venture, or celebrated a major life development like buying a new home, we want to share in your excitement! Please submit your good news to Taryn DeOilers at [tdeoilers@cvma.net](mailto:tdeoilers@cvma.net), and we might feature your accomplishment in the next issue of the *California Veterinarian* magazine. The deadline to be featured in the July/August 2022 issue is tomorrow, May 26, so don't be shy!

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## VETERINARY BUZZ



### CVMA Fall Seminar in Palm Springs

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For more information on other [CVMA CE opportunities](#), visit [cvma.net](http://cvma.net).

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## MEMBER BENEFITS

### The CVMA Career Center

CVMA members have access to an online career center featuring a classifieds section and job board. Employers may post an advertisement and review resumes, and job seekers may search jobs and post their resume. Read more [here](#).

Visit the [CVMA website](#) for additional member benefits and services.


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## CVMA POLL

DEA Controlled Substance dispensation logs must be retained for a minimum of:

A. Six months (0%)

B. Two years

 (12%)

C. Three years

 (68%)

D. As long as the DEA registration is active



## AVMA Report Identifies Antimicrobial-Resistant Pathogens Impacting Animal Health

Source: American Veterinary Medical Association

Antimicrobial use in animals, people, and the environment may contribute to antimicrobial resistance, which poses direct risks to animal health and welfare and can potentially impact human health. A report from the American Veterinary Medical Association (AVMA) on antimicrobial-resistant pathogens and their impact on animal health, entitled "Antimicrobial-resistant pathogens affecting animal health in the U.S.," serves as a resource to assist veterinary teams, producers, breeders, and animal owners with antimicrobial stewardship. Read the AVMA's report [here](#).

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## FDA Request for Comments on Antimicrobial Drug Use in Companion Animals

Source: U.S. Food and Drug Administration

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is soliciting comments from the public on antimicrobial drug use practices in companion animals and the potential impacts of such uses on antimicrobial resistance in both humans and animals. The FDA is issuing this notice as part of its objective to engage with its stakeholders to develop and implement a strategy for promoting antimicrobial stewardship in companion animals. The deadline to comment is June 16.

(20%)

The answer is B - two years. For more information, read the [Controlled Substances FAQs page](#) on [cvma-inline.net](#).

### NEW QUESTION

The Palm Springs region produces more than 80 percent of which fruit in the United States?

- A. Dates
- B. Pomegranates
- C. Peaches
- D. Coconuts

Click [here](#) to give the CVMA your answer.

Click [here](#) for more information and to comment.

## Twenty-Four California Horses Test Positive for EIA

Source: The Horse

On May 20, the California Department of Food and Agriculture reported that 24 horses tested positive for equine infectious anemia (EIA) in Tulare County. Eleven horses were exposed to the virus. EIA is a viral disease that attacks horses' immune systems. The virus is transmitted through the exchange of body fluids from an infected to an uninfected animal, often by blood-feeding insects such as horseflies. Read more [here](#).

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