

Diagnostic & Therapeutic Workshop: Back, Sacroiliac & Pelvic Problems – A 2-Day Practical Course

COURSE DATE: September, Fri 11 – Sat 12 2026

COURSE VENUE: Moore Equine Veterinary Centre, Calgary, AB

SPEAKERS/INSTRUCTORS:



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Total Hours of CE: 14.5

PROGRAM:

DAY 1

07:30 – 08:00	<i>Registration and Welcome Breakfast</i>	
08:00 – 08:10	Course Introduction	Course Administrator
08:10 – 08:55	Clinical Examination of the Back	Matt Durham
08:55 – 09:55	Anatomy & Imaging of the Back	Wade Tenney
09:55 – 10:10	Questions	
10:10 – 10:30	<i>Universal Imaging Coffee Break</i>	
10:30 – 11:00	Diagnostic Techniques for Back Conditions	Wade Tenney
11:00 – 11:50	Saddle Fit Assessment	Annette Gavin
11:50 – 12:50	Common Conditions of the Back	Matt Durham
12:50 – 1:00	Questions	
1:00 – 2:00	<i>Lunch</i>	

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DAY 1 (continued)

2:00 – 5:35	Practical Sessions on Live Horses & ‘VetPD Lumbar Facet & Sacroiliac Joint Injection Ultrasound Simulator’ in Small Groups	
	• Clinical Examination of the Back • Ultrasound of the Back & Facet Joint Injections • Saddle Fit Assessment	Matt Durham Wade Tenney Annette Gavin

4:15 – 4:30 *Coffee Break*

5:35 – 7:00 *Wine & Cheese Reception*

DAY 2

07:30 – 08:00	<i>VetPD Breakfast</i>	
08:00 – 08:30	Less Common Conditions of the Back	Matt Durham
08:30 – 09:10	Clinical Examination of the Pelvis & Hip	Matt Durham
09:10 – 10:00	Imaging of the Pelvis & Hip	Wade Tenney
10:00 – 10:10	Questions	
10:10 – 10:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
10:30 – 11:30	Sacroiliac Disease – Pathophysiology & Diagnosis	Matt Durham
11:30 – 12:00	Sacroiliac Disease – Injections & Therapy	Matt Durham
12:00 – 12:10	Questions	
12:10 – 1:10	<i>Lunch</i>	
1:10 – 1:40	Soft Tissue & Muscle Problems of the Pelvis	Matt Durham
1:40 – 2:25	Bony Problems affecting the Pelvis and Hip	Wade Tenney
2:25 – 2:35	Questions	
2:35 – 2:50	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
2:50 – 4:55	Practical Sessions on Live Horses & ‘VetPD Lumbar Facet & Sacroiliac Joint Injection Ultrasound Simulator’ in Small Groups	
	• Ultrasound of the Pelvis, SI Region & Hip • Sacroiliac Injection Techniques	Matt Durham Wade Tenney
4:55 – 5:15	Questions & Final Remarks	