

October 19-22, 2017 Sheraton Denver Downtown Hotel Denver, CO

#### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2017

**Pre-conference Day Sessions** 

	PRE-CONFERENCE DAY Separate registration required	Ì				
8:00 - 10:00 am	Partner       Feline-Friendly Handling Lab, Dr. Ilona Rodan – Room 14       Separate registration required	Nonsor Sponsor				
10:00 - 11:15 am	Healthy People, Healthy Practices: Wellness & Compassion Satisfaction, Dr. Laurie Fonken – Plaza Ballroom D - F Included in pre-conference registration					
11:20 – 12:45 pm	Food for Thought Luncheon – Plaza Ballroom A - C Included in pre-conference registration	Sponsor				
11:45 – 12:45 pm	Feline Fitness, Fatness, & Feeding: Maximizing Comfort & Mobility Dr. Robin Downing					
1:00 – 5:30 pm	ABVP/AAFP Seminar & Social – Plaza Ballroom D - F Included in pre-conference registration					
1:00 – 2:00 pm	Pain Physiology & Feline Neuropathic Pain Conditions Dr. Mark Epstein					
2:00 – 3:00 pm	Update on NSAIDs & Opioids in Feline Pain Management Dr. Mark Epstein					
3:00 – 3:30 pm	Seminar & Social Refreshment Break – Plaza Ballroom A - C Included in pre-conference registration					
3:30 – 4:30 pm	Updates on Adjunctive Pain Modifying Drugs in Cats Dr. Mark Epstein					
4:30 – 5:30 pm	Local Anesthesia & Loco-regional Techniques in Cats Dr. Mark Epstein					
5:30 – 7:00 pm	WELCOME RECEPTION – South Convention Lobby - 2nd Floor All attendees invited	Sponsor Boehringer Ingelheim				

Track Descriptions Tracks A & B - This conference offers two concurrent veterinary tracks that allow attendees the opportunity to customize their learning experience. Both tracks offer cutting-edge feline research and the latest information in feline medicine. You can choose to follow one track exclusively or you can jump between tracks, based on your own interests and needs.

Para-professional Track - This track is designed for technicians, practice managers, and other team members who consult with clients.

\*Sessions and speakers are subject to change.



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### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2017

nba Time! – Room 15 ration required mor's Square & Plaza Ballroom Foyer ur registration		6:00 – 7:00 am		
		7:15 – 8:00 am		
		8:00 – 8:15 am		
Dr. Lauren Demos           Bisk Factors Affecting the Incidence of FIP in Dense Multi-cat Environments         Partner           Dr. Niels Pedersen         Partner				
Use of Novel Anti-viral Drugs to Treat Cats with Naturally Occurring FIP Dr. Niels Pedersen				
<b>IENT BREAK</b> – Exhibit Hall ur registration		10:00 – 11:00 a		
	Sponsor BA BAYER R	11:00 – 12:15 p		
Exhibit Hall ur registration				
12:30 - 1:30 pm       Lunch & Learn #1:       Sponsor         Feline Emergency Room Procedures You Must Know, Dr. Justine Lee       Sponsor         Room 14, Overflow Room 11				
12:30 - 1:30 pm Lunch & Learn #2: Managing Appetite in Feline CKD, Dr. Jessica Quimby Room 15, Overflow Room 10				
uired for Lunch & Learns				
<b>TRACK B</b> Plaza Ballroom D - F				
Otitis Media: It's Not All Polyps Dr. Karen Moriello		1:45 – 2:35 pm		
		2:40 – 3:30 pm		
<b>IENT BREAK</b> – Exhibit Hall ur registration		3:30 – 4:10 pm		
or Treatment & Debunking Ringworm	Folklore	4:10 – 5:00 pm		
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### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2017

	COMBINED TRACK Plaza Ballroom A - F				
6:15 – 7:15 am	<b>Rise &amp; Shine: It's Zumba Time!</b> – Room 15 Separate registration required				
7:30 - 8:30 am	BREAKFAST – Exhibit Hall Included in your registration				
8:30 – 9:20 am	Starting on the Right Paw: Preventive Healthcare for Kittens Dr. Susan Little				
	<b>TRACK A</b> Plaza Ballroom A - C	<b>TRACK B</b> Plaza Ballroom D - F	PARA-PROFESSIONAL Room 12		
9:25 – 10:15 am	Anesthesia & Analgesia for Electiv Procedures in Kittens Dr. Tammy Grubb	ve Surgical sponsor Zoetis	Kitten Kindy Classes Dr. Kersti Seksel		
10:15 - 10:45 am	NETWORKING REFRESHMENT BREAK – Exhibit Hall Specific Line Line Line Line Line Line Line Line				
	10:20 – 10:45 am AAFP Membership Meeting – Room 12				
10:45 - 11:35 am	Anesthesia & Analgesia for Urgent/Emergency Surgical Procedures in Kittens Dr. Tammy Grubb	Important Stages in Feline Development: Why They Matter Dr. Kersti Seksel Sponsor	Taming the Cantankerous Cat Ms. Ellen Carozza		
11:40 – 12:30 pm	What's New with Old Sponsor Viruses? Feline Retrovirus Update Dr. Susan Little	Problem Intervention: When & Why During Kitten Development Dr. Kersti Seksel	Troubleshooting Fading Kitten Syndrome Ms. Ellen Carozza		
	LUNCH – Exhibit Hall Included in your registration				
	12:45 - 1:45 pm       Lunch & Learn #1:       Sponsor         Improving the Diagnosis & Management of Kidney Disease in Hyperthyroid Cats,       Dr. Jane Robertson       Room 14, Overflow Room 11				
12:30 – 2:00 pm	12:45 - 1:45 pm       Lunch & Learn #2:       Sponsor         Fifty Years of Advances in Feline Medicine, Dr. Margie Scherk       MERCK         Room 15, Overflow Room 10       Animal Health				
	Separate registration required for Lunch & Learns <b>1:15 - 1:45 pm ABVP: Is It For Me?</b> – Plaza Ballroom A - C				
	Included in your registration				
2:00 – 2:50 pm	How to Treat the Small & the Sick: Part 1 Dr. Susan Little Sponsor	Feline Socialization     Sponsor       Dr. Kersti Seksel     Sevent	The Secret to Increasing Pet Health Insurance in Cats Mr. John Volk		
2:55 – 3:45 pm	How to Treat the Small & the Sick: Part 2 Dr. Susan Little	Feline Vaccinology: Science to Inform Protocols Dr. Annette Litster	New AVTCP Feline Specialty: Criteria & Qualifications of the Feline Technician Ms. Ellen Carozza		
3:45 – 6:30 pm	FREE TIME				
3:50 – 4:40 pm	Cat Friendly Practice <sup>®</sup> : Where to Start & How to Keep it Going Plaza Ballroom A - C				
3:50 – 4:50 pm	Making a Clear Recommendation, Dr. David Gosche Room 14 Separate registration required				
6:30 – 10:30 pm	Offsite Event: Colorful Colorado Gala Separate registration required Boarding begins at 6:00 pm				



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### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2017

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Plaza Balh	room A - F		
Rise & Shine: It's Zun Separate regist	6:15 - 7:15 am		
BREAKFAST Included in you ABVP Breakfast for D	7:30 - 8:30 am		
Infectious Diarrhea in Kittens & Cats: Diagnosis Dr. Craig Webb		Sponsor	8:30 – 9:20 am
Infectious Diarrhea in Kittens & Cats: Treatment Dr. Craig Webb	9:20 - 10:10 am		
NETWORKING REFRESHM Included in you	10:10 - 10:45 am		
<b>TRACK A</b> Plaza Ballroom A - C	<b>TRACK B</b> Plaza Ballroom D -	F	
Upper Respiratory Infections: Prevention & Diagnostics Dr. Michael Lappin	What's New with the Old: Panleu Heartworm & Sinonasal Aspergil Dr. Annette Litster	Ikopenia, Iosis Partner	10:45 - 11:35 am
Update on Infectious Disease Diagnostic Tests Dr. Michael Lappin	Treatment of Infectious Upper Respiratory Tract Disease: An Evidence-Based Approach Dr. Annette Litster	ISCAID	11:40 – 12:30 pm
LUNCH – E Included in you			
12:40 - 1:40 pm Obesity Management in Cats: Incorpo Dr. Maryanne Murphy Rod Separate regist	12:30 – 1:45 pm		
<b>Clinical Brief - Clinical Uses of Probiotics</b> Dr. Michael Lappin	<i>Clinical Brief -</i> Fecal Transplanta What's Coming Down the Pipelir		1:45 – 2:10 pm
Sponsor	Dr. Craig Webb		
Emerging Feline Pathogens Summary: The Weird & Wonderful Dr. Michael Lappin	Contaminated Wounds: Infectious Healing is Delayed Dr. Catriona MacPhail	Reasons	2:15 – 3:05 pm
Conclusion of	3:05 pm		