

CASE LOGS – BRIEF OVERVIEWS

Applicant's Name: example

Case Log # example

Date: 05/23/10 Species: Equine Breed: Arabian Sex (M, F, G): female

Age: 5days Weight (kgs): 60 Patient ID: 612625

Presenting complaint: lethargic, swollen joints

Diagnosis: neonatal sepsis, second phalange plantar eminence fracture and luxation right hind pastern

Treatment: fluid therapy & stabilization, further treatment declined, elected euthanasia

Nursing procedures I performed: emergency set up, foal restraint, IgG testing, blood glucose testing, blood culture collection, blood pressure monitoring, milk sampling/collection from mare, IV fluid administration using a gravity dial system, radiographs of the right pastern region and post mortem body handling.

Nursing procedure I assisted with: placement of over the wire jugular intravenous catheter, umbilical, abdominal and thoracic ultrasound, humane euthanasia procedure

Outcome / Length of stay: The mare was thought to be open so the foal's arrival was unexpected and unplanned for. She was born in a pasture and found hours later. Due to the poor prognosis for the combination of sepsis and the injury to her right hind leg, humane euthanasia was elected.

- **Please note that the brief case logs should stick strictly to the format with two per page.**
- **You are not required to elaborate about detailed drug dosages or fluid rates in this section (that can be done in the detailed case logs)**
- **Nursing skills performed and assisted with should correlate with the skills list for the most part.**