



Penbode
Farm Vets Since 1840

Farm Animal EMS Student Externship 2017

Penbode Farm Vets, are pleased to be able to offer a farm animal externship. This opportunity is for fourth and final year students with a keen interest in farm animal work.

The practice has 17 dedicated farm animal vets working in Devon and North Cornwall in a predominantly dairy farming area. There is a wealth of experience across the practice with including a DBR and several certificate holders.

We are offering **TWO WEEK BLOCKS** of EMS which will include:

- Going out on calls with our dedicated farm vets
- Opportunities to assist in exciting emergency out of hours work, including calvings, lambings and caesarians.
- Getting involved in seminars and tutorials, as well as presentations and herd health plans
- Helping with writing articles for our monthly farmers' newsletter.
- Learning lab skills such as worm egg counts, semen morphology evaluation, bacteriology of milk etc.
- Improving hands on practical skills such as PD's, blood sampling, routine fertility visits, assisting with bull/ram semen testing, castration, disbudding & surgery.
- Assisting with routine herd health surveillance including: lameness scoring, BCS, calf scoring and teat scoring.

The placements will run ONLY during the following dates:

7 August – 15 September 2017

15 January - 23 February 2018

19 March – 27 April 2018

If you are interested in applying, or would like further information, please email Theresa, the HR manager on theresa@penbodevets.co.uk

Please entitle your email: "**PENBODE EXTERNSHIP 2017**" and include the following:

- Address, mobile phone number, email
- Year of study and university
- Your interest in farm animal work, what area of farm practice you would like to go into, and why you think you are a suitable candidate for the externship.
- Previous veterinary farm animal experience
- What dates you would like to come
- If you require accommodation

Placements are limited and will be given to those with a genuine interest in farm work.

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