



Ultrasound! Can Veterinary Nurses Scan? Yes, They Can!

This combined theory and practical course is aimed at both absolute beginners and those with ultrasound skills already in development, we will guide you through everything you need to know to become competent at ultrasonography. From patient preparation, machine controls and how ultrasound is applied, we will build your skills and get you confidently performing point-of-care ultrasound examinations of the thorax and abdomen. All of this is presented in an interactive, format full of quizzes, animations and videos and you will put all the techniques from the theory into practice in a series of demos and practical sessions in a relaxed, friendly and informal environment. All under the guidance and tuition of special guest, Jack Pye RVN and our vet Fiona McFarland.

The course will cover the following:

- Machine setup and patient preparation
- How ultrasound artefacts appear when scanning, and how they can be useful to you
- Machine controls and how to optimise the image
- APOCUS techniques and how abdominal organs appear
- TPOCUS techniques and how the lungs and heart appear
- Guidance and in-practice experiences from Jack Pye RVN CertVNECC



Speaker

Jack Pye

RVN CertVNECC

Jack began his career in a 'first opinion' practice where he quickly developed a passion for progression. He qualified in 2018 and then went on to pursue a career in emergency & critical care, working in out of hours at a busy small animal hospital. He completed his certificate in ECC in 2022 and is currently undertaking the nursing certificate in diagnostic imaging.

Jack is currently an account manager for IMV Imaging, he supports practices with their imaging needs across multiple modalities. He also still carries out clinical work as a locum veterinary nurse.

Jack's specialist interests are ultrasonography and other modes of diagnostic imaging. He regularly shares his experiences and ultrasonography content on his social media platforms (@Pye_rvn) aiming to encourage and support the development of other veterinary professionals. He also provides in-house ultrasound CPD to practices around the country to empower veterinary nurses to utilise this valuable imaging tool.

Agenda

9.30am - 10.00am	Arrival and tea/coffee
10.00am - 11.00am	Lecture - Abdominal Scanning
11.00am - 1.30pm	Practical - Abdominal Scanning
1.30pm - 2.30pm	Lunch
2.30pm - 3.30pm	Lecture - Thoracic Scanning
3.30pm - 5.00pm	Practical - Thoracic Scanning



Thursday 17th October 2024

VENUE
CAFRE Greenmount Campus,
45 Tirgracy Road, Antrim, BT41 4PS

£199 + VAT / €229 + VAT
Includes lunch and course notes
Numbers are limited

6 hours CPD



EQUIPMENT
All will be provided, but you may bring your own ultrasound machine if preferred.

DOGS
We need patients to scan, so we ask attendees to bring dogs willing to be clipped for abdominal and thoracic scans.



Book Your Space

To book your space on the course, scan/click here



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