

## Grading Rubric for Seminar Critiques

Your name: Kyra Glowczak

Seminar critiqued (presenter, title, location) :

Presentation- VET.CT Veterinary Webinar: Dental Emergencies

Presenter- Ana Nemec

Location- For online audiences

Grade the seminar in the following areas:

• **Organization (0-20pts): 19**

The presentation had a great, organized flow. There was an introduction of the speaker, followed by a quick explanation of dental emergencies. Specific conditions were then discussed, such as maxillofacial trauma and crown fractures. Treatments and other recommendations were discussed. Time was allotted for a question and answering as well.

• **Content (0-20pts): 20**

This would be a valuable discussion for practicing veterinarians as a review. It was stated that a lot of these conditions do not threaten the animal's life, but are overall important to discuss for better quality of animal health. Prognosis data with imaging recommendations were shown. Overall there was a lot of evidence to base veterinary protocol on.

• **Subject Knowledge (0-20pts): 20**

She is very experienced in her subject knowledge as shown through her use of review studies, statistics, and imaging.

• **Graphics (0-20pts): 20**

This was very well done and there was a photo to coincide with each condition being discussed which allowed the audience to follow along. CT scans, histological slides, and clinical case photos were used which were labeled and covered by the speaker.

• **Eye contact (0-5pts): 4**

It is a bit more difficult to get a clear image online, but she did a great job of facing forward, being in frame, and looking towards the camera.

• **Elocution (0-5pts): 5**

She was very articulate and I, as the audience, didn't have any difficulty understanding medical terminology or what was being said.

• **Enthusiasm (0-5pts): 4**

Her tone was fairly engaging throughout the presentation.

• **Time (0-5pts): 5**

All of the content was designated to an impactful time span without any drag, or any rushing by the speaker. By the end of the presentation, there was plenty of time for discussion.

• **Overall grade (0-100pts): 92/100**

**Briefly summarize:**

There are specific protocols for managing dental and oral emergencies in dogs and cats. She explains that true life-threatening cases are rare, but intervention is needed to heal traumatic injuries before they worsen. Periodontal trauma, maxillofacial fractures, abscesses, soft-tissue avulsions, jaw-locking, and burns were explained. Pain management should be considered, followed by radiography, and client communication is necessary to keep the owner updated.

**Strong points of this presentation –**

- Outstanding presence of visual aids through radiographs, CT scans, clinical photos, and histology
- Professional approachable to subjects aside from immediate emergencies

**Areas for improvement –**

- Home prevention strategies would be helpful
- Contacts for clinic directed questions
- Simpler summaries for highly technical terms