



ECVIM-CA Internal Medicine Residency Position at The Ralph Veterinary Referral Centre, UK

The Ralph Veterinary Referral Centre is pleased to announce a position for an ECVIM-CA Resident in Internal Medicine commencing between July and September 2025.

Our fantastic team consists of:

- Five senior clinicians (four ECVIM-CA Diplomates (two of which are also ACVIM Diplomates) and one ACVIM Diplomate))
- One third-year Resident
- Three dedicated Internal Medicine Interns
- A Senior Internal Medicine nurse (with a VTS qualification) and a team of four dedicated Internal Medicine nurses

This three-year ECVIM-CA Residency programme will be based at The Ralph, the UK's largest independent (non-corporate) multidisciplinary specialist referral centre in southeast England. Our busy caseload provides an excellent opportunity to be trained in a truly multidisciplinary referral centre. Particular strengths of our hospital include:

- The Internal Medicine service sees a significant Acute/Urgent Medicine caseload.
- A dedicated ICU (separate for dogs and cats) with an established Diplomate-led Emergency and Critical Care team and a vast range of challenging critical cases. Yearly rotations through this service are part of the Residency programme.
- A broad range of endoscopy equipment and a visiting specialist to perform more specialised interventional procedures (including laser treatments and oto-endoscopy).
- Imaging facilities, including ultrasound, CT, fluoroscopy, and MRI, with ECVDI Diplomates on-site.
- All our clinical services are Diplomate-led. The Medicine team works closely with Soft Tissue Surgery, Oncology, Cardiology, Neurology, Ophthalmology, Anaesthesia & Analgesia, Dentistry, Physiotherapy & Rehabilitation and Orthopaedics to provide excellent patient care. This will expose you to a wide range of cases with specialist support for complex, multidisciplinary cases.
- The Ralph workplace focuses on core values, culture, vision and mission. We emphasise kindness, compassion and empathy for all our communities.



We include Residents in a shared out-of-hours rota, always under Diplomate supervision.

The successful candidate will be enthusiastic, organised and dedicated. You will have excellent communication skills and be able to work flexibly in a demanding referral hospital environment. Our passionate and very experienced team will provide support and teaching (both formal scheduled teaching and teaching in clinics). You will receive pastoral support from within your service, our Resident and Vet Intern Support Officers, and others. You will have regular check-ins and feedback opportunities.

Marlow is located on the River Thames between Henley and Windsor. This is a beautiful area with lovely walks, water-based activities and more. Our hospital is just off the A404 with easy access from the M4 and M40 motorways and close to London. Marlow is conveniently located only 25 minutes from Heathrow Airport, 45 minutes from Luton Airport and one hour from Gatwick or Stansted Airport. This location makes it very convenient for weekend getaways or our European colleagues to 'pop back' to their home countries to visit friends and family.

Candidate requirements:

- You must be an MRCVS; ideally, you will already be eligible to work in the United Kingdom. Visa sponsorship may be available. Don't hesitate to get in touch with us to discuss further.
- As per ECVIM Pre-Residency requirements, you must have done at least a one-year rotating internship or have at least two years of experience in primary care general practice.
- An additional specialised internship in Internal Medicine is desirable but not essential.
- Clinical experience in primary care practice is desirable.

For more information on the position, please contact Annelies Willems (Head of Internal Medicine) at annelies.willems@theralph.vet in the first instance on an informal basis.

* To Apply*

Please send the documents below to sophie.dowdeswell@theralph.vet (PA to Shailen Jasani; Founder, CEO & Clinical Director):

- Your curriculum vitae
- Cover letter



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- The names and contact details of two referees; references will be sought before an offer is made.

Closing date for applications: Wednesday, 14th May 2025. Informal visits are encouraged to meet the team before the closing date if time allows.

Provisional date for interviews: The week of 2nd June 2025.

We would love to hear from you if you want to be part of a team delivering exceptional, compassionate, ethical veterinary care in a large independent hospital.

Visit <https://theralph.vet/> for more details about The Ralph.