**Small Animal Veterinary Surgeon Skills Matrix**

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|  | **EXPERIENCE** |
|  | **No Experience** | **Observed Only** | **Performed Under Supervision** | **Performed Independently** | **Confident** | **Very Confident** |
| **SKILLS** | General Anaesthesia |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Sedation |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Bitch Spay |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Cat Spay |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Dog Castrate |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Cat Castrate |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Kitten neutering from 4 months of age |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Kitten neutering from 2 months of age |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Rabbit Spay |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Rabbit Castrate |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Guinea Pig Neuter |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Rat Neuter |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Gerbil Neuter |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Mouse Neuter |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Mammary Strip |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Aural Haematoma |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Rabbit ear canal marsupialisation |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Anal Gland Removal |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Cystotomy |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Enterotomy |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Lumpectomy |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Ultrasonography |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Dental Surgery |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Rabbit Dental Surgery |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Rodent Dental Surgery |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Foreign Body Removal (abdominal) |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Foreign body removal (extra-abdominal) |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Wound Repair |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Pyometra |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Cruciate repair (extracapsular) |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Cruciate repair (TPLO or TTA) |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Internal fracture repair |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | External Fixations |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Surgical treatment of patellar luxation |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Amputations |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Enucleation |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Stabilisation of Diabetic Patients |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | X-Rays General |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | X-Rays Dental |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Corneal Ulcers (medical treatment) |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Corneal ulcers (surgical treatment) |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Hyperadrenocorticism (diagnosis and management) |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | PU/PD Work Up |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Take Blood Pressure |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Blood Sample Work Up |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Pruritus Work Up |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Basic Ultrasound |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Cardiac Scan |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Treat Diabetic Ketoacidosis |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Ear surgery – lateral wall resection |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
|  | Ear surgery - total ear canal ablation |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

**Please detail experience of other small animal procedures below:**

**Please detail your experience of working with exotic species such as aviary birds and chelonia:**