

References for RCVS Knowledge 'Research in practice' podcast

Definition of research:

National Research Council (2005). *Critical needs for research in veterinary science*. Washington, DC: National Academies Press. <https://doi.org/10.17226/11366>

BVA policy brief on the relevance of research in the veterinary profession (BSAVA members only)

https://www.bva.co.uk/uploadedFiles/Content/News_campaigns_and_policies/Policies/Ethics_and_welfare/pol_brief_RD_and_vet_profession.pdf

Getting started in practice-based research:

Buckley, L.A. and Mansbridge, S.C. (2018) Sixteen tips for getting started in practice-based research. *Veterinary Nursing Journal*, 33 (1), pp. 30-32. <https://doi.org/10.1080/17415349.2017.1394678>

Vets: Stay, Go Diversify group and careers Facebook group:

<https://www.vsgd.co/>

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/vsgdcareers/>

RCVS Knowledge – free, practical evidence-based veterinary medicine resources:

rcvsknowledge.org

- Library and Information Service
<https://knowledge.rcvs.org.uk/library-and-information-services/>
- EBVM Learning tutorial: ebvmlearning.org
- *Veterinary Evidence* open access journal: veterinaryevidence.org

RCVS ethics review panel:

<https://www.rcvs.org.uk/who-we-are/committees/ethics-review-panel/>

Getting the research skills you need:

<https://www.bsava.com/Education/Masters>

<https://www.rvc.ac.uk/study/postgraduate/veterinary-epidemiology>

<https://www.nottingham.ac.uk/cevm/training-opportunities/training-opportunities.aspx>

Funding sources:

PetSavers (BSAVA) <http://www.petsavers.org.uk/>

Animal Welfare Foundation <https://www.animalwelfarefoundation.org.uk/>

MSD Research Bursaries (companion animal and ruminants)
<https://www.msd-animal-health-hub.co.uk/Bursary-Vets>

Dogs Trust <https://www.dogstrust.org.uk/>

The Horse Trust <http://www.horsetrust.org.uk/>

UFAW <https://www.ufaw.org.uk/grants-and-awards/ufaw-grants-and-awards>

Places to find advertisements for structured research programmes:

<https://www.jobs.ac.uk/>

<https://www.findaphd.com/>

<https://www.findamasters.com/>

<https://jobs.vettimes.co.uk/>

<https://www.vetrecordjobs.com/>

Further information about Zoe Belshaw and Hannah Doit's projects:

Zoe Belshaw

Belshaw, Z. et al. (2019) Developing practical recommendations for preventative healthcare consultations involving dogs and cats using a Delphi technique. *Veterinary Record*, 184, p. 348. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/vr.104970>

Robinson, N.J. et al. (2019) Topics discussed, examinations performed and strategies implemented during canine and feline booster vaccination consultations. *Veterinary Record*, 184, p. 252. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/vr.104835>

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Belshaw, Z. et al. (2018c) Owner and veterinary surgeon perspectives on the roles of veterinary nurses and receptionists in relation to small animal preventative healthcare consultations in the United Kingdom. *Veterinary Record*, 183, p. 296. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/vr.104773>

Belshaw, Z. et al. (2018b) Motivators and barriers for dog and cat owners and veterinary surgeons in the United Kingdom to using preventative medicines. *Preventive Veterinary Medicine*, 154, pp. 95-101. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.prevetmed.2018.03.020>

Belshaw, Z. et al. (2018a) "I always feel like I have to rush." Pet owner and small animal veterinary surgeons' reflections on time during preventive healthcare consultations in the United Kingdom. *Veterinary Sciences*, 5 (1), p. 20. <https://doi.org/10.3390/vetsci5010020>

Belshaw, Z. et al. (2018) Owners and veterinary surgeons in the United Kingdom disagree about what should happen during a small animal vaccination consultation. *Veterinary Sciences*, 5 (1), p. 7. <https://doi.org/10.3390/vetsci5010007>

Hannah Doit

Parameters to measure in feline CKD treatment [University of Nottingham - Centre for Evidence-based Veterinary Medicine] [online] Available from: <https://www.nottingham.ac.uk/cevm/practice-based-research/small-animal/parameters-to-measure-in-feline-ckd-treatment.aspx> [Accessed 29 January 2020]

Present an abstract at Congress 2020 – see the winning abstracts [BSAVA Congress 2020] [online] Available from: <https://www.bsavaevents.com/bsavacongress2020/en/page/clinical-abstracts> [Accessed 29 January 2020]

Clinically relevant research projects:

RECOVER initiative – guidelines for veterinary CPR <https://recoverinitiative.org/>

Pet Blood Bank UK study:

Walton, J.E. et al. (2014) Coagulation factor and hemostatic protein content of canine plasma after storage of whole blood at ambient temperature. *Journal of Veterinary Internal Medicine*, 28 (2), pp. 571-575. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jvim.12277>

Using veterinary practice records for research:

SAVSNET (Small Animal Veterinary Surveillance Network)
<https://www.liverpool.ac.uk/savsnet/>

Vet Compass <https://www.rvc.ac.uk/vetcompass>

CEVM Clinical trials network
<https://www.nottingham.ac.uk/cevm/practice-based-research/the-veterinary-clinical-trials-network-vctn/the-veterinary-clinical-trials-network-vctn.aspx>

REACT campaign <https://www.bhs.org.uk/our-work/welfare/our-campaigns/react>