

Student Name: _____ KSU CVM Class of: _____

Practice Name: _____

Mentor: _____ Dates of Mentorship: _____

Clinical Skill List for Small Animal Practice Mentorship

<u>Records</u>	Discussed / Performed	Confident to apply in a professional setting. From 1(I need to learn more) to 5 (Easily)
Examine and discuss patient records with mentor		
Discuss inventory control of drugs, etc.		
Discuss licensing, drug permits, etc.		
Discuss veterinary-client-patient relationship		
Discuss animal identification (breeds, implants, etc.)		
Obtain complete patient history.		

Notes (any though you want add, reflexion,...):

<u>Animal handling / physical examination</u>	Observed	Performed	Confident to apply in a professional setting. From 1(I need to learn more) to 5 (Easily)
Demonstrate safe restraint techniques for dogs and cats			
Apply dog muzzle safely			
Obtain body temperature from dog and cat			
Obtain pulse from dog and cat			
Obtain respiratory rate from dog and cat			
Auscultate heart and lungs of dog and cat			
Perform otoscopic exam			
Take blood pressure Dog Cat			

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<u>Obtain diagnostic specimens</u>	Observed	Performed	Confident to apply in a professional setting. From 1(I need to learn more) to 5 (Easily)
Perform venipunctures: Cephalic (dog and cat) Jugular (dog and cat) Lateral saphenous (dog) Medial saphenous (cat) Medial femoral			
Collect urine samples: Dog Cystocentesis Catheter (Male) Cat Cystocentesis			
Obtain skin scrapings and discuss cytology findings			
Obtain otitis ear swab and discuss cytology findings			
Perform fecal float			

Notes:

<u>Animal husbandry</u>	Observed	Performed	Confident to apply in a professional setting. From 1(I need to learn more) to 5 (Easily)
Bathe dog			
Trim toe nails (dog and cat)			
Express anal sacs (dog)			
Clean and medicate ears (dog and cat)			
Administer Medications: Subcutaneous (dog and cat) Intramuscular (dog and cat) Intravenous (dog and cat)			
Hand pillling (dog and cat)			
Topical medications (dog and cat)			

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<u>Surgery</u>	Observed	Assisting	Confident to apply in a professional setting. From 1(I need to learn more) to 5 (Easily)
Spay Dog Cat			
Neuter Dog Cat			
Other surgeries:			

Notes:

<u>Wellness programs</u>	Discussed	Confident to apply in a professional setting. From 1(I need to learn more) to 5 (Easily)
Discuss vaccination protocols Dog (puppy, adults) Cat (kitten, adults)		
Discuss parasite control protocols Dog Cat		
Discuss nutrition protocols For puppy, kitten For overweight patient For specific diseases		

Notes:

Practice management:

<u>Practice management</u>	Discussed	Confident to apply in a professional setting. From 1(I need to learn more) to 5 (Easily)
Observe / discuss billing procedures		
Discuss accounts receivable procedures		
Discuss vaccination reminder procedures		
Discuss one case involving veterinary ethics with mentor		
Discuss continuing education with mentor		

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