

Missouri Veterinary Medical Association

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MVMA Members:

We have learned that the Missouri Veterinary Medical Board, and all other professional licensing bodies, were moved to limited operations (Monday, March 23rd) at 5 p.m. by order of the Governor. Their offices will be closed to the public, and mail will be received, but not processed, for at least a two-week period. Phone calls will still be returned, and emails will still be answered as before.

Here is the link for MVMB's COVID-19 related updates: https://pr.mo.gov/general-covid-19.asp

We have been told an emergency board rule regarding facility licenses has been submitted but pending the governor's approval at this time. In the next month, additional emergency rules are being considered regarding CE and other subjects.

The Missouri Veterinary Medical Association remains at your service. Due to the Pandemic, we are working remotely. We are processing voicemail and email as usual with limited public hours, so please leave a message, or email mvma@movma.org to let us know how we can be of service.

At this time, we can confirm that the MVMA Summer Equine Seminar scheduled for July 12-13, 2020 has been cancelled.

In monitoring the situation in other states, some are requesting veterinary clinics to submit their inventory of personal protection equipment in case human medical facilities and equipment are overwhelmed.

We are working with state government to consider ways our Missouri Volunteer Veterinary Corps can offer assistance if the member is willing and able.

If you did not see it in our previous notices, we remind you that veterinary medicine and agriculture are among the services the governor has deemed essential.

Continue to check our COVID-19 webpage.

We wish you and your families the best of health and look forward to a return to normalcy in the not too distant future.

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