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DENTISTRY EXPERIENCE

- 2014-present **EDVC bv, Equine Dental & Veterinary Care, Private Practice.**
Oud-Turnhout, Belgium
DVM, Equine Dental Vet

In January 2014 I officially started my own practice in equine dentistry and in 2020 I opened EDVC dental clinic in Oud-Turnhout, Belgium.

I travel to Germany almost every Monday to examine and treat horses. On Tuesdays and sometimes Wednesday I work stationary at Burg Müggenhausen, equine clinic. Here I perform routine and advanced treatments including oral surgery.

During the rest of the week I work in the Netherlands and the Belgian border region. Routine work is performed ambulatory and advanced examinations and treatments are mostly performed in the EDVC dental clinic and other Dutch referral clinics.

- 2012-2014 **Burg Müggenhausen, Pferdeklinik.**
Weilerswist, Germany
DVM, Equine Dental Vet

Worked as a veterinarian and a dental specialist within this clinic. Dental treatments included routine oral examination and treatment, oral endoscopy, extractions on the standing horse, minimal invasive extractions, periodontal treatment, trepanation for sinuscopy and flushing and minor head surgery. Next to dental work, I gained experience in general anesthesia and the veterinary management of a large equine hospital.

- 2002-2012 **Equine Dental Care, Private Practice.**
Belgium, the Netherlands
Equine Dental Technician

Worked as a horse dental technician during my veterinary education. Standard procedures included oral examinations and floating molar tables to progress balance and occlusion. Treatments were performed both with hand floats and power instruments and if necessary incisor adjustments were applied. Work was

performed without sedation or, more often, in collaboration with different veterinarians.

After graduation I worked in a Dutch equine practice for 2,5 years where I took care of all their dental patients next to doing regular equine ambulatory work.

POSTGRADUATE DENTAL EDUCATION

- Sept 2022 **NCED Congress**
Malmö, Sweden
Three day meetings with lectures on advanced dental procedures and techniques and on evidence based knowledge on bits and biting.
- 2010-2021 **Academy of Equine Dentistry**
Glenns Ferry, Idaho, USA
Annual visits to continue education in routine equine dentistry. After certification in 2013, visits included educating new students to perform proper dentistry. During the last three visits I also gave different lectures on advanced dentistry.
- 2014-2020 **IGFP Congress**
Niedernhausen, Germany
Two to three day meeting with lectures on equine dentistry and wetlabs on advanced dental topics such as rostral mandibula/maxillary fracture repair and sinus surgery.
- February 2020 **Pferdefit Dental Praxis Stoll**
Hohenstein, Germany
Three day advanced dentistry meeting with lectures on endodontic treatment techniques and caries restorations.
- January 2020 **NCED Congress**
Malmö, Sweden
Two day meetings with lectures on advanced dental procedures and techniques.
- 2015-2019 **EVDF Congress**
Ghent, Dublin, Malaga, Innsbruck, Utrecht, Europe
Three day meetings with lectures on equine dentistry and wetlabs on advanced dental procedures such as restorations of infundibular defects, endodontics, difficult extractions and sinus surgery.
- July 2017 **AAEP 'Focus on Dentistry'**
Lexington, Kentucky, USA
Two day meeting with lectures on routine and advanced equine dentistry and surgery.

- 2014-2016 **Pferdefit Dental Praxis Stoll**
Hohenstein, Germany
During the years I visited Dr. Manfred Stoll for six days and watched him perform oral examinations, dental extractions and endodontic treatments.

Also, I was invited to attend a course in endodontics and replantation of cheek teeth so to improve my skills within this field of equine dentistry.
- 2014-2016 **Veterinary Faculty of University Ghent**
Ghent, Belgium
Spread through the years I visited Dr. Lieven Vlaminck for eight days and watched him perform dental examinations, treatments and surgery.
- 2014-2016 **Klinik für Pferde, Tierärztliche Hochschule Hannover**
Hannover, Germany
Spread through the year I visited Dr. Astrid Bienert for six days and watched her and colleagues perform dental and sinus examinations, treatments and surgery.
- Nov 2016 **Extraction course including MTE, MITR and tooth segmentation**
Rosswales Equine Hospital, Exning, UK
Advanced dental extraction course with lectures and wetlabs.
- August 2016 **BEVA Sinusitis and extraction course**
Kent, Southeast London, UK
Two day practical meeting with lectures on sinus surgery and basic extraction techniques.
- Sept 2015 **Diseases of the equine head for the practitioner**
Hattersheim, Germany
Two day course with lectures and wetlab on different diseases and treatment of the head, eye and mouth of the horse.
- July 2015 **ECVS Congress**
Berlin, Germany
Annual meeting with dental lectures and a wetlab day on mandibulofacial surgery.

PREGRADUATE DENTAL EDUCATION

- 2002-2009 **University of Utrecht, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine**
Utrecht, the Netherlands
DVM Graduation July 2009.
- 22-04-2009 **NEVA and BEVA Advanced Dentistry Wetlab**
Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Utrecht, the Netherlands
Wetlab organized during Voorjaarsdagen International Congress.

- 2001, 2002 **Equine Dentistry courses**
Academy of Equine Dentistry, Glenns Ferry, Idaho, USA
160 hours of lectures and practical instruction in the field of horse dentistry including equine head and neck anatomy.

PRESENTATIONS, PUBLICATIONS, SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

- Sept 2021 **Equine endodontics and restorations course**
ABOE National Conference, Brasil, online course
Lectured on indications and techniques for endodontic procedures in equine dentistry and on equipment and materials to perform endodontic treatment.
- April 2021 **Equine endodontics and restorations course**
Austin, Texas, USA, online course
Lectured during a two day course on endodontics and caries restoration
Topics included endodontic procedures in equine dentistry and materials for restorations and endodontic treatment.
- 2016-2021 **President of the NVVGP**
NVVGP, the Netherlands
Was president of the Dutch equine dental association for a period of 5 years. This association counts approximately 180 members, both veterinarians and dental technicians. Annually a day of lectures and several practical days are organized to improve knowledge and treatment skills. Members can become NVVGP certified dental practitioners after successfully passing a theoretical and two practical exams.
- April 2019 **EVDF Congress organisation**
Utrecht, the Netherlands
Was part of the Local Organization Committee in organizing the Annual EVDF meeting. Main responsibilities included the organization of the practical equine study day and the gala dinner party.
- October 2018 **Equine oral extraction and dental segmentation course**
Austin, Texas, USA
Tutored during a three day dental extraction course. Gave presentations, assisted delegates during wetlabs on skulls and extractions on live horses.
- July 2018 **Equine dental lectures during Equi-Tech Sport Horse Conference**
Equitech, Bogota, Colombia
Lectured in Spanish on routine oral/dental examination and treatment and on dental related riding problems.
- May 2017 **Maxillary bone cysts in two horses: Diagnosis and treatment including intralesional formalin injection**
Equine Veterinary Education DOI: 10.1111/eve.12754
First author on this publication in an English Scientific Journal.

- January 2017 **Fused incisors in case of a compound odontoma in a horse: Diagnosis and treatment**
Pferdeheilkunde 33(2): 127-134
 First author on this publication in a German Scientific Journal.
- October 2016 **Basic Dentistry for Veterinary students**
Universidad de Ciencias Comerciales, Managua, Nicaragua
 Organised a six day voluntary dental course in Spanish for vet students together with WHW and BEVA. The course included one day of lectures and five practical days during which 60 working horses were examined and treated using hand floats.
- Nov 2015 **Extraction course including MTE, MITR and teeth segmentation**
Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Utrecht, the Netherlands
 Co-tutored during Dr. Frank Schellenberger's Extraction course.
- October 2015 **Tooth extractions on the standing horse**
Veterinary Faculty of University Ghent, Ghent, Belgium
 Co-tutored during wetlab on oral dental extractions.
- October 2015 **Toothday: 'Equine tooth is there a truth'**
Proveto, Bunschoten, the Netherlands
 Gave lectures on dental related fistula and incisor fracture treatment options.
- June 2015 **Minimally Invasive Buccotomy and Screw extraction**
EVDF Congress, Ghent, Belgium
 Co-tutored during wetlab on MIB and screw extraction.
- April 2015 **'Equine dentistry in ambulatory practice (from routine procedures to the moment of referral)'**
Voorjaarsdagen International Congress, Amsterdam, the Netherlands
 Gave a lecture in English for veterinarians on the way I work in ambulatory practice up to when I decide to continue treatment in an equine clinic.