

Maddie's IVMA Animal Sheltering Symposium



Join us for a terrific day of shelter medicine for shelter staff and veterinarians! This meeting is co-sponsored by the Indiana Veterinary Medical Association and the Purdue Maddie's Shelter Medicine Program. Space for this conference is limited to the first 75 registrants. The deadline to register is Monday, October 3, 2011.

**Sunday, October 16,
2011**

8:30 am-4:30 pm

Indianapolis

Mariott East

Veterans Hall 2

7202 East 21st Street

Indianapolis, Indiana

**46219. Call the Marriott for hotel
reservations at 317/352-1231—rate is \$79!**

Registration Fee- \$25 per person

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

8:30-9:00am	REGISTRATION	
TIME	SPEAKER	TOPIC
9am-10am	Dr. Annette Litster	Guidelines for standards of care in animal shelters
10am-11am	Dr. Annette Litster	Managing feline panleukopenia in a shelter
11am-11:15am	Break	
11:15am-12:15pm	Dr. Sandy Manfra	Practical aspects of dentistry in shelter pets
12:15pm-1:15pm	Lunch - provided	Veterans Hall 1
1:15pm-2:15pm	Dr. Susan Krebsbach	Curing the litter box blues: Feline elimination disorders
2:15pm-3:15pm	Dr. Susan Krebsbach	Seniors and Shelters: Looking after geriatric pets in shelters and getting them adopted
3:15pm-3:30pm	Break	
3:30pm-4:30pm	Dr. David Bash of reTails; Robin Kennedy of Southside Animal Shelter; Christine Jeschke of Humane Society of Indianapolis	Adoption forum—Three speakers each present 10 min of adoption tricks and tips followed by Q & A

Speaker biographies and directions are on the back.

Mail Registration Form to the
IVMA at:

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Indiana 46225

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Name _____ Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____ Business/Organization _____

Please make \$25 check payable to _____ Date _____
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Dr. David Bash

Dr. Bash is a recently retired physician and an animal welfare advocate. A native Hoosier, he is a graduate of Indiana University School of Medicine and board certified in Internal Medicine and Gastroenterology. He is a long time board member of Move to ACT and has served on the citizen board of Indianapolis Animal Care and Control. Dr. Bash helped found reTails Neighborhood Pet Place in 2010 and now serves as its vice president. He enjoys cycling, music, sports and reading.

Christine Jeschke

Christine Jeschke is currently the Chief Operations Officer for the Humane Society of Indianapolis. She has served in this role since December 2008. She is also on the board of Spay-Neuter Services of Indiana and is a past president of the organization. Christine served on the board for the Alliance for Responsible Pet Ownership for many years, as well as consulted for Indy Pit Crew. She co-authored two reports entitled 'Saving Money, Saving Lives: Spay-Neuter Solutions for Indianapolis 2009' and 'Community Assessment: Indianapolis Animal Welfare 2008'.

Dr. Susan Krebsbach

Dr. Krebsbach, affectionately known as Dr. Susan, has always had a passion for animals. But, her initial career path did not lead her to veterinary medicine. After graduation from the University of Wisconsin in 1983 with a Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering, she started out as a Systems Engineer for the IBM Corporation. As her career blossomed in the world of computers, she was promoted to the level of Advisory Marketing Representative. After receiving many awards for her marketing achievements, she was recognized as one of the top 5% marketing representatives in the country. Although IBM was a wonderful company to work for and she enjoyed professional success there, she heard another calling: veterinary medicine. Dr. Susan decided to turn in her briefcase for books and started veterinary school at The Ohio State University in 1991. She felt that this would provide a perfect opportunity to capture her passion for animals and encompass her business background. After graduation in 1995, In addition to her private practice, Dr. Susan is a veterinary consultant for Maddie's Fund, is a featured speaker at the University of Wisconsin School of Veterinary Medicine and other professional and animal rescue organizations, has written an animal behavior series, and authored several articles on animal behavior. Dr. Susan has been a champion for animals, especially in the area of the ethical use of animals in education. She has been a Leadership Council member and currently is a veterinary consultant for the Humane Society Veterinary Medical Association, a professional veterinary organization dedicated to providing progressive leadership in advocacy for all animals and direct care opportunities for animals in need. Dr. Susan has given invited presentations for veterinary schools and schools of veterinary technology, was the editor of the *Alternatives in Veterinary Medical Education* newsletter for over eight years, a publication dedicated to highlighting alternative educational tools to the harmful use of animals, and has been a veterinary consultant for the Association of Veterinarians for Animal Rights (AVAR). Previously, she was the science director for the AVAR and as a veterinary student, co-founded an AVAR student chapter at The Ohio State University College of Veterinary Medicine. Dr. Susan is truly dedicated to the enhancement of the special relationship that exists between pets and their people and advocating for the wellbeing of all animals.

Dr. Annette Litster

Dr. Litster graduated from the University of Queensland in Brisbane, Australia in 1982 and became a registered specialist in Feline Medicine in 2001 after successfully completing a Fellowship of the Austrian College of Veterinary Scientist by Examination. She was awarded a PhD in 2004 and a Master of Medical Science in Clinical Epidemiology in 2006. Dr. Litster is the director of the Maddie's Shelter Medicine Program at the Purdue School of Veterinary Medicine and has recently completed a major study on the diagnosis and treatment of upper respiratory infection in shelter cats at PAWS Chicago.

Robin Kennedy

Robin started with Southside Animal Shelter approximately 12 years ago as a volunteer adoption counselor. Southside Animal Shelter is a 501(c)3 private, nonprofit shelter governed by a volunteer Board of Directors composed of community members dedicated to animal welfare. Since then Robin served on the Board of Directors as Vice President from 2007 to 2010. Robin wrote a number of grants for the shelter including a \$50,000 grant from the Nina Mason Pulliam Charitable Trust and an Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant to install Energy Efficient HVAC systems in the buildings on the shelter grounds. She planned and coordinated successful adoption and fundraising events including the first annual Big Dog Fat Cat Festival, Yappy Hour and more.

Dr. Sandra Manfra

Dr. Sandra Manfra received her DVM degree from Cornell University. She completed an internship, surgical residency and clinical dentistry training at The Animal Medical Center. She is a Diplomate of the American College of Veterinary Surgeons and a Charter Diplomate of the American Veterinary Dental College. She is currently a Professor of Small Animal Surgery and Dentistry at the University of Illinois and President of the American Veterinary Dental College.

Directions

From I-69/Muncie/Fort Wayne/Anderson: I-69 South to 465 South to 70 West (Exit 44) To Shadeland Avenue (Exit 89). Turn right on Shadeland, left at first intersection (21st St—second light). Hotel is on the left.

From I-74 West: From Ohio—74 to 465 South to 70 West (exit 44) to Shadeland Avenue, (exit 89), turn right on Shadeland and left at first intersection (21st Street—second light). Hotel is on the left.

From I -74 East: From Illinois—74 to 465 South to 70 East, to Shadeland Avenue, (exit 89), turn right on Shadeland, and left at the first intersection (21st Street). Hotel is on the left.

From I-65: Either North or South—take 70 East to Shadeland Avenue. (exit 89), turn right on Shadeland, and left at the first intersection (21st St). Hotel is on the left.

From HWY 31: From either direction—take 70 East to Shadeland Avenue. (exit 89), turn right on Shadeland and left at the first intersection (21st Street). Hotel is on the left.

From I-70: Either way get off at Shadeland Avenue, (exit 89), turn right on Shadeland and left at the first intersection, (21st Street). Hotel is on the left.