

Letterhead – Including veterinarian’s name, address, phone number, and (if available) website.

DATE

Dear Members of the Board,

The undersigned have met and provide this acknowledgment to the Kentucky Board of Veterinary Examiners (KBVE) regarding supervision of a student equine dental provider (EDP) under 201 KAR 16:737, Section 4.

We, the veterinarian and the licensed Allied Animal Health Professional (AAHP) – Equine Dental Provider (EDP), accept the responsibility of supervision, and understand that 201 KAR 16:737, Section 4 requires that the EDP students shall only practice the skills of an equine dental provider while at all times under the **indirect supervision of a KBVE licensed veterinarian** who is registered with and approved by the KBVE as a supervisor, **and the immediate supervision of a KBVE-licensed AAHP-EDP** who is registered with and approved by the KBVE as a supervisor.

We understand that:

- 1) "Immediate supervision" means the supervising veterinarian is physically in the immediate area and within audible and visual range of the patient and the individual treating the patient. [KRS 321.181\(61\)\(b\)](#).
- 2) "Indirect supervision" means the supervising veterinarian need not be on the premises but has given either written or oral instructions for the treatment of the patient and is readily available for communication. KRS 321.181(61)(d).
- 3) A supervising veterinarian shall be readily available and responsive to the needs of the patient that are beyond the scope of practice allowable by an EDP in [KRS 321.255](#) and as established in 201 KAR 16:737, and obligated and available to provide follow care to patients worked on by EDP students. 201 KAR 16:737, Section 4.
- 4) A supervising veterinarian is individually and separately responsible and liable for the performance of the acts delegated to and the omissions of the EDP student working under the veterinarian's supervision. This responsibility shall not be construed to relieve the EDP student working under supervision of any responsibility or liability for any of their own acts or omissions. [KRS 321.190\(7\)](#).
- 5) The EDP student is limited to practice for six (6) consecutive months from the date of KBVE-approval. Student work greater than this period triggers the requirement for reapplication to the Board for new approvals. 201 KAR 16:737, Section 4.

This agreement involves the following parties:

Individual Name	Licensee # or “Student”	Phone	Email

Please contact us with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Signature: _____

Veterinarian: Printed Name

_____ Date

Signature: _____

AAHP-EDP Licensee: Printed Name

_____ Date

Signature: _____

EDP Student: Printed Name

_____ Date