



Fact Sheet



Rowe Referrals is a multi-disciplinary veterinary referral service located in North Bristol, offering 24/7 hospital care for your clients' pets.

We provide vets and pet owners with an exceptional referral service. Having an unwell pet can be very stressful and we pride ourselves on excellent client care, making every effort to ensure we are able to minimise any additional stresses whether that is arranging the appointment, navigating the insurance claim process, understanding the options available or with communication during and after your clients' pet's visit.

Our highly qualified surgical nursing team are experienced in all aspects of medical and surgical care, including advanced anaesthesia and wound management.

Being multi-disciplinary we have teams able to work together on complex cases to provide a fully integrated approach to veterinary care.

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We offer referrals in:

Internal medicine and endoscopy

From cases affecting a single organ system to more complex problems affecting multiple systems and those with non-specific signs such as where owners know their pet is "just not right", our specialist led medicine department will use a pragmatic, logical clinical approach to investigate pets' problems and to provide management and follow-up plans.

"Procedure-only" referrals for example for gastrointestinal and respiratory endoscopy cases are possible, however the benefit of a consultation with the client and discussion of the problems and follow up care should not be underestimated.

Soft tissue and spinal surgery

We offer spinal surgery (hemilaminectomy) and a wide range of complex soft tissue including head and neck surgery (including BOAS, TECA+LBO), thoracic surgery (including lung lobectomy, pericardiectomy), gastrointestinal/hepatic, urogenital and abdominal surgery. Our service has a particular interest in oncological surgery and wound management.

Our soft tissue theatre is equipped with state-of-the-art equipment such as vessel sealing devices, harmonic scalpel and a Negative Pressure Wound Therapy unit.

Laparoscopic surgery

We perform routine neutering (ovariectomy and ovariectomy) as well as cryptorchid castration as well as other procedures that can be performed laparoscopically including prophylactic gastropexy, liver biopsy and cystotomy.

Orthopaedics

Our orthopaedic service offers a wealth of surgical experience in developmental joint and limb problems like hip dysplasia, elbow dysplasia and angular limb deformities as well as degenerative issues like cruciate disease. Timely investigation is undertaken with treatment tailored to each individual patient. Trauma and fracture cases are of particular interest with a focus on minimally invasive surgery where possible.

Ultrasonography

We offer a specialist led ultrasonography service with versatility for every size of animal to be cared for. As well as abdominal and cardiac scans we perform ultrasonography in a wide range of clinical situations including imaging of superficial tissues and small parts (e.g. parathyroid glands, larynx), musculoskeletal, ophthalmic and vascular ultrasound.

Ophthalmology

We have a team of ophthalmologists able to offer a comprehensive service including cataract and lens luxation surgery by phacoemulsification, electroretinography, uveitis management, medical and surgical glaucoma management, laser indirect ophthalmoscopy, a full range of corneal surgeries including corneo-conjunctival transposition and transplantation, parotid duct transposition and complex eyelid surgery.



Where to find us:

Located in North Bristol, we have excellent transport links to the M4 and M5, we are easy to access from Wales, the South West, the M4 corridor to the east and the Midlands.

Rowe Referrals

The Veterinary Hospital, Ferndene,
Bradley Stoke, Bristol, BS32 9DT

Our MRI, neuro-diagnostic and radioactive iodine therapy services are based at Wotton-Under-Edge

Rowe Veterinary MRI Centre
Bradley Green, Wotton-Under-Edge,
Gloucestershire, GL12 7PP



Dentistry

Our dental service provides a second opinion on oral examination and dental x-rays, as well as treatment of periodontal disease, complicated extractions, malocclusions, gingivitis stomatitis and other inflammatory diseases in cats, tooth resorption, enamel disorders, selected maxillofacial fractures and/or neoplasia.

Computed Tomography

Our onsite CT scanner allows us to obtain images on urgent cases on the same day if necessary. Referrals for CT can be seen for imaging and reporting only, or via our other referral services as appropriate.

Magnetic Resonance Imaging

Rowe Referrals now has a 3.0 Tesla MRI scanner available onsite – one of only a few used clinically across the whole of Europe, giving us an increased diagnostic yield, and the ability to perform more complex investigations including functional MRI (fMRI) and non-contrast angiographic studies with greater clarity.

Neuro-diagnostic service

We offer a neurological diagnostic testing service including a neurology consultation, CSF sampling as well as MRI for patients requiring investigation for neurological conditions.

Radioactive Iodine therapy for hyperthyroidism

Based at our Wotton-under-Edge site our radioactive iodine therapy unit provides treatment for hyperthyroidism in cats avoiding the need for surgery and ongoing medication. We now offer a reduced 10-day post-treatment stay, in our comfortable temperature-controlled facilities with 24-hour surveillance.

We are happy to discuss cases prior to referral and to give advice on the management of cases.



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