

2025 State of the



IAAHPC

International Association for
Animal Hospice and Palliative Care

Your IAAHPC

Core Purpose Statement:

Leadership for the field of Animal Hospice & Palliative Care.

Core Values:



Innovation



Respect



Teamwork



Integrity



Commitment



Inclusivity



IAAHPC Structure

- ❖ Board of Directors
 - Executive Committee
 - President
 - President-Elect
 - Secretary
 - Treasurer
 - Past-President
- ❖ Executive Director and support staff
- ❖ Committee Chairs and Initiative Champions
- ❖ Volunteers

** All serving the IAAHPC membership **



Executive Board of Directors



IAAHPC Board of Directors and Team



Your 2025 IAAHPC Board of Directors

- Tyler Carmack - President
- Maja Redfern - President-Elect
- Karin Christopher – Past-President
- Diane Eigner - Treasurer
- Kellie Barrett - Secretary
- Laurie Brush
- Sara Hopkins
- Sandra Soucheray
- Kelly Hill

IAAHPC Staff:

- Executive Director- Coleen Ellis
- Director of Operations – Danielle Schloemp
- Social Media Manager - Caitlin DeWilde

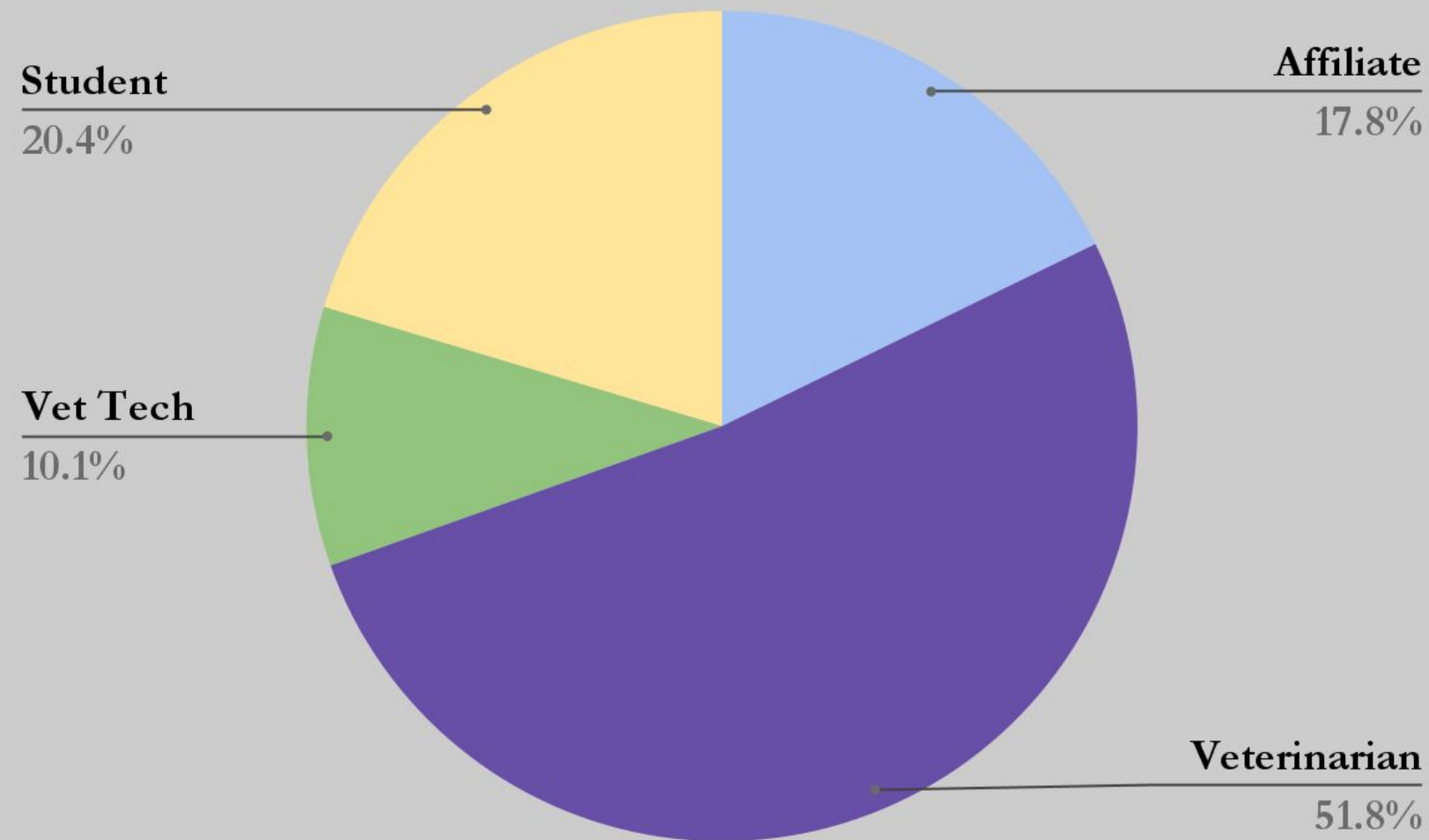


Where do we stand?

- ❖ IAAHPC was founded in 2009
- ❖ Today membership totals over 1550 members
 - Official representatives in 11 countries
 - Members in 35 countries
 - Members in 49 states in the United States
- ❖ The certification program has 412 graduates to date



Membership 2025



Conference Stats for 2025

- ❖ Total attendees: ~ 300!
- ❖ Vendor Partners: 26
- ❖ Participants from 40 of 50 states
- ❖ International Attendees from 7 countries worldwide!

United Kingdom

Singapore

Canada

Portugal

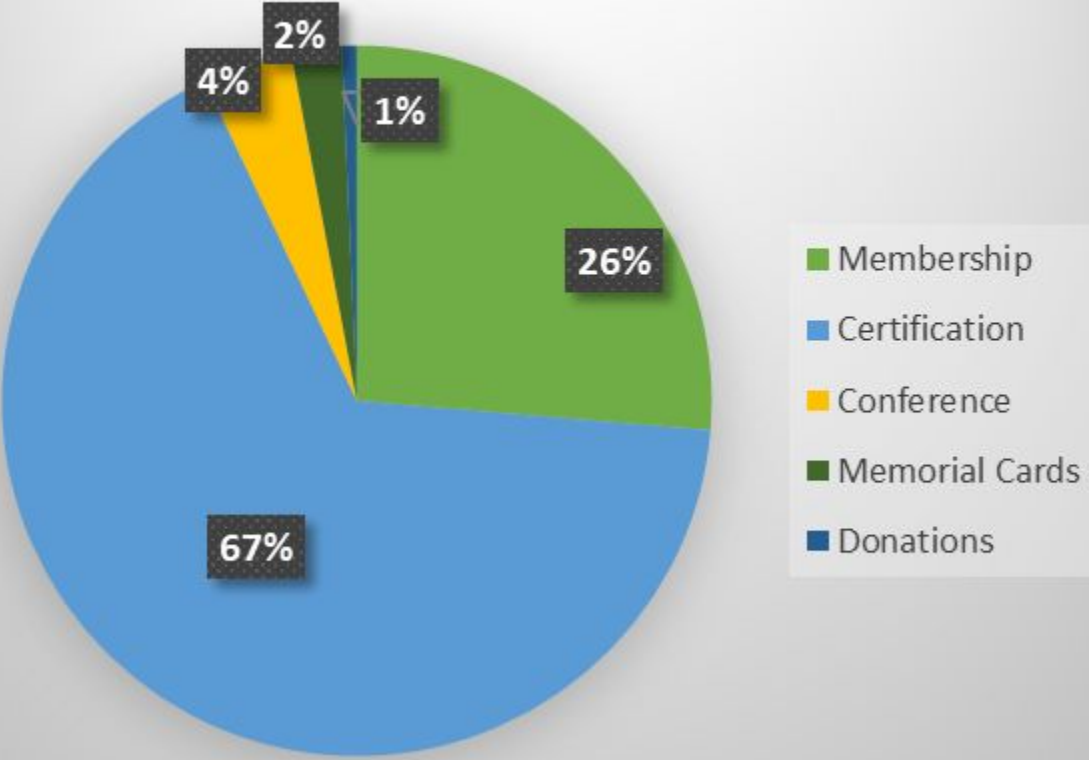
Australia

Puerto Rico

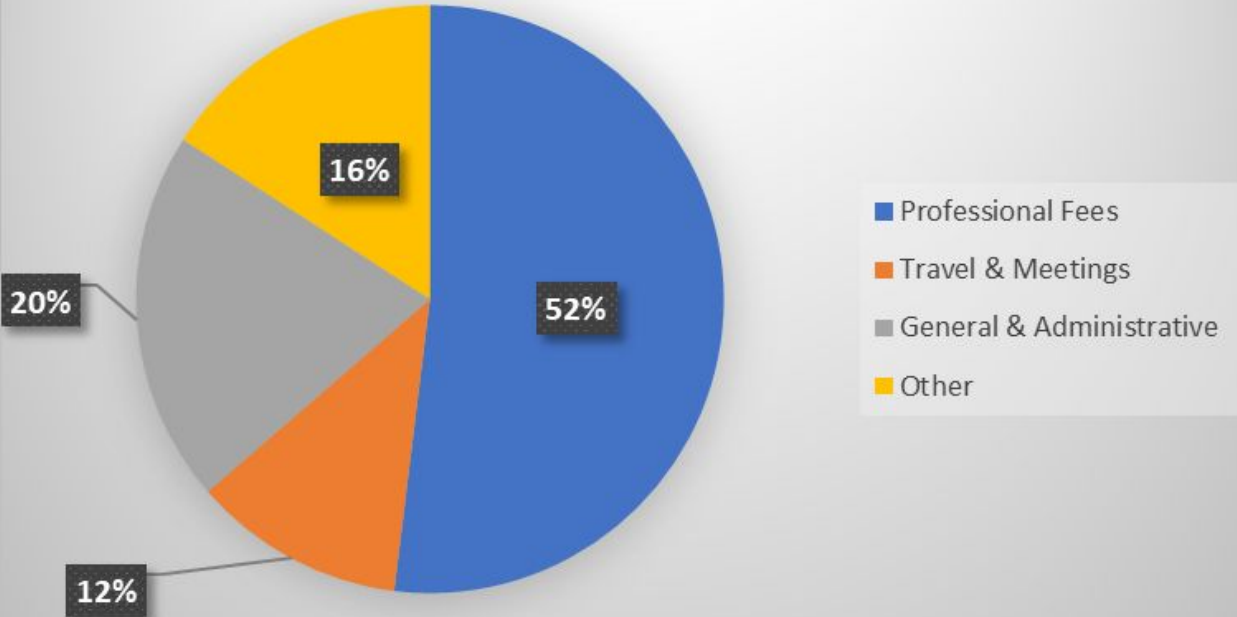


Financial Updates

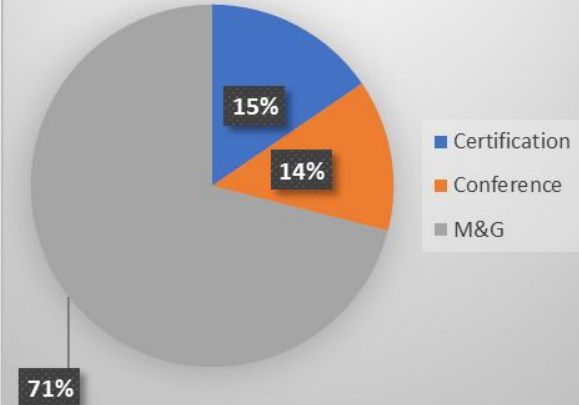
2024 YTD Revenue



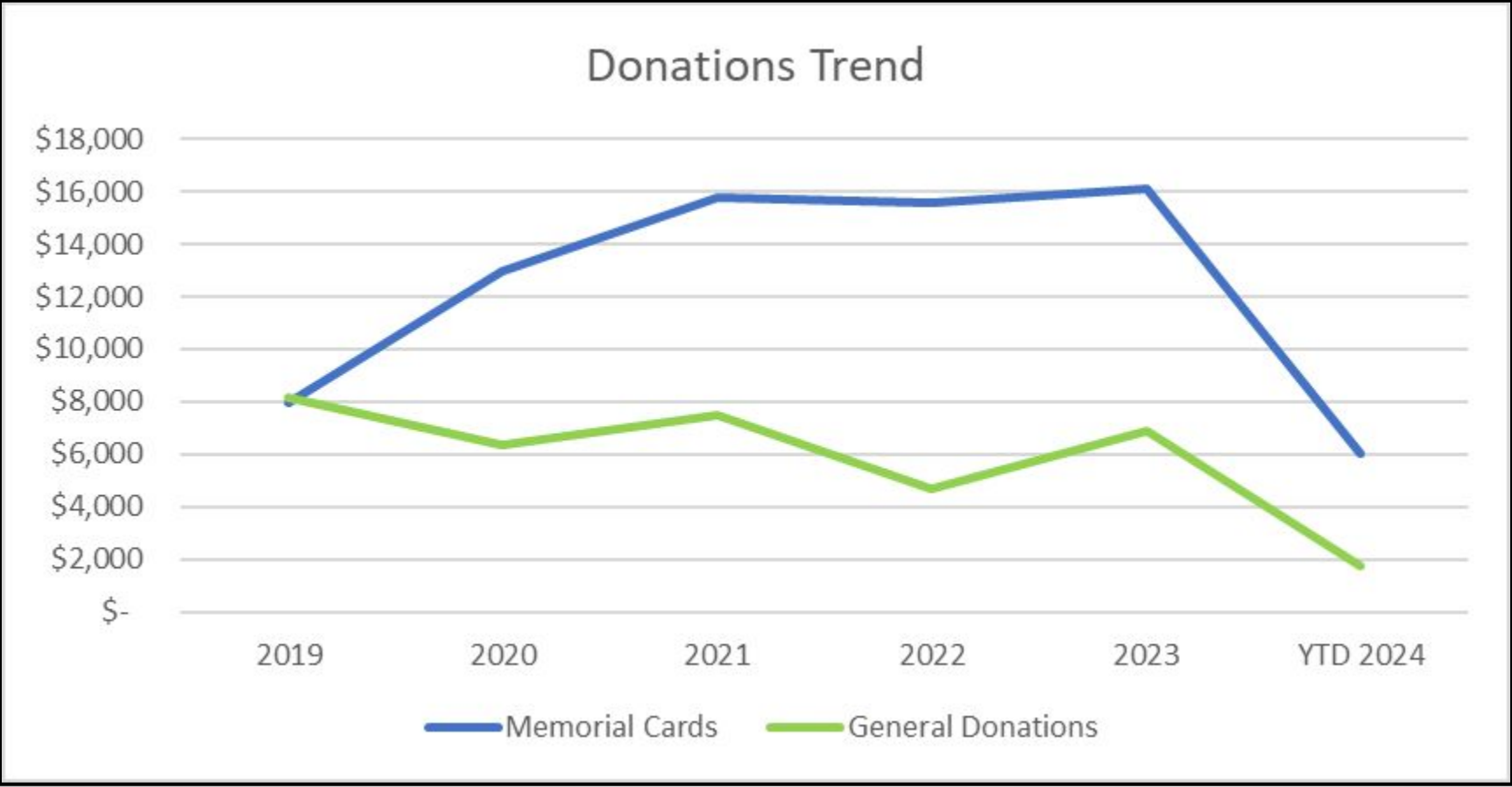
2024 YTD Expenses by Category



2024 YTD Expenses by Function

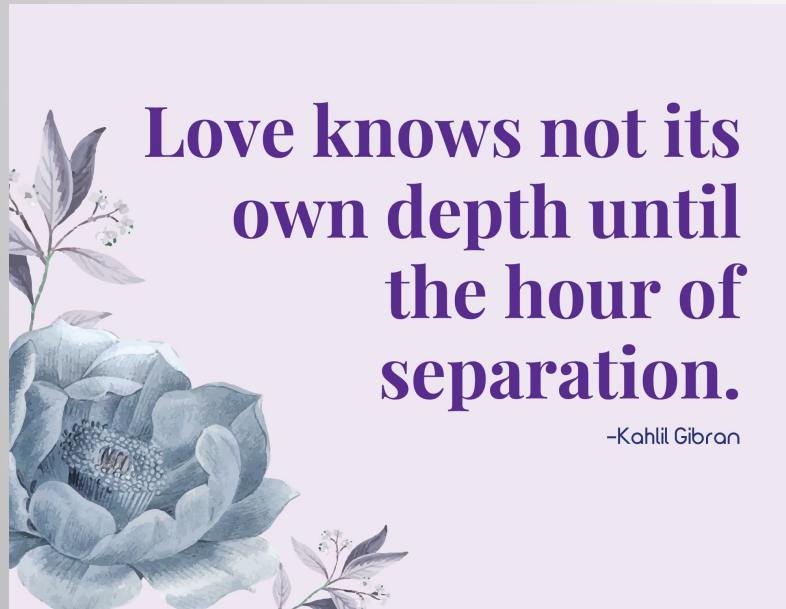


Financial Updates



Honoring YOU...

- ❖ Memorial Card donations totaling almost \$75,000 overall to date (including support from the community after receiving a card)
- ❖ Almost \$35,000 donated to general fund
- ❖ Thank-you card sent to *every* donor



This thoughtful donation supports the IAAHPC's mission in promoting comfort care--addressing the physical, psychological and social needs of animals with chronic and/or life-limiting diseases. Even more, this donation will also enhance the work done to physically, emotionally and spiritually support caregivers like yourself, and continue the work in educating professionals and advanced research in the field of animal hospice and palliative care.

The love you shared with your beloved pet was obvious, and this gift allows the work for the IAAHPC to continue in honor of your journey together. We would love to pay tribute to the life you shared.

Please share a photo, video or memory with us at [IAAHPC.org/pet-memorials](https://iaahpc.org/pet-memorials) or scan the QR code. We will include your pet's tribute on our website, social media channels and in our annual Honoring Ceremony Tribute Video so that our community of pet lovers can join in supporting you through this time.



Submit Memorial



2023-2026 Strategic Initiatives

2023-2026 IAAHPC Initiatives



Research



Education



Member Benefits



Operational Development



International



Conference



Partnership Development



LOVE RESEARCH?



Exciting New IAAHPC Research Updates:

- ✓ New Research Library (IAAHPC Member Exclusive!)
- ✓ New Journal Special Issue
- ✓ Published Peer-Reviewed Articles!
- ✓ New Grant Program

Learn More:
IAAHPC.org/RESEARCH



Research Celebrations

- ❖ Human-Animal Actions Special Issue SUCCESS!
- ❖ Grant proposals will be accepted for original, evidence-based research in Hospice & Palliative Care. More details to come!



Scientific Poster Session Awards

❖ Congrats to:

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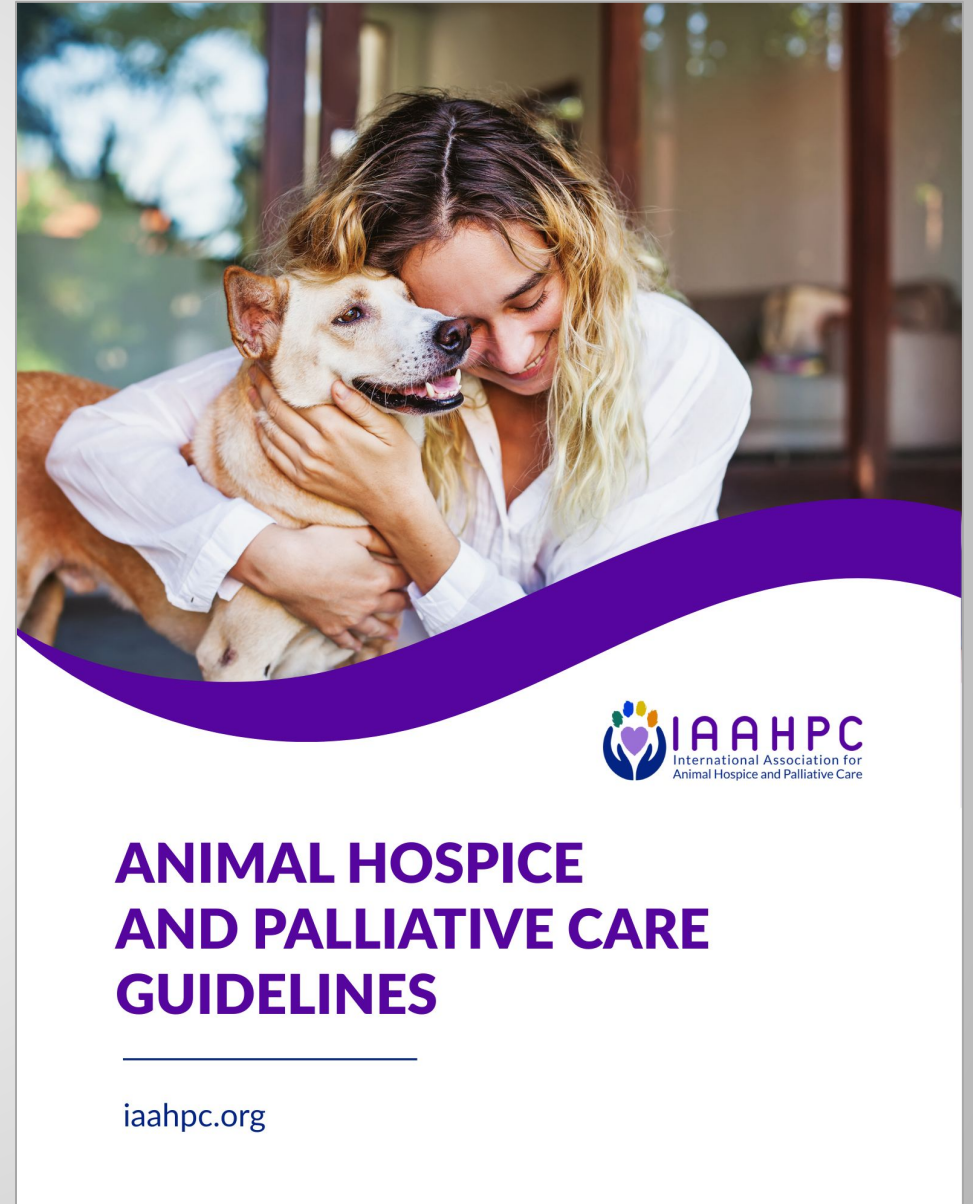
Certification

- ❖ Class of 2025 graduating:
 - Veterinarians: 15
 - Veterinary technicians: 4
 - Advocate: 14
- ❖ NEW exotics and equine CE series
- ❖ NEW business module
- ❖ Module 1: Introduction to AHPC in both UPENN and MWU veterinary curriculum, working with newly formed schools to include in curriculum



Operational Development

- ❖ Preparing to petition ABVS to form The American College of Veterinary Hospice and Palliative Care as a Recognized Veterinary Specialty Organization
- ❖ Updating Animal Hospice & Palliative Care Guidelines (2013)



International

- ❖ Survey on commonly used protocols
 - Sedation/Anesthesia
 - Euthanasia
 - Emergency Kits
- ❖ Continued growth of our international membership with 110 NEW members in 2025 in 20 countries!



Austrian Veterinary Chamber publication

“US Small Animal Hospice and Palliative Care: Insights into the Work of the IAAHPC.”

COVERSTORY

■ DR. JANINA RAUCH

US-amerikanische Hospiz- und Palliativversorgung für Kleintiere: Einblicke in die Arbeit des IAAHPC

Aufgrund der wachsenden Bindung zwischen Haustieren und ihren Familien nimmt die Bedeutung von Hospiz- und Palliativversorgung für diese Kategorie von Tieren stetig zu. Die in den USA basierte International Association for Animal Hospice and Palliative Care (IAAHPC) spielt eine führende Rolle bei der Entwicklung von Bildungsangeboten, Standards und Unterstützungsprogrammen für Tierärzt*innen und Tier-

besitzer*innen weltweit – in diesem Interview gibt Tyler Carmack, DVM, CVA, CVFT, CHPV, CTPEP, CPEV, CVPP, aktuelle Präsidentin der IAAHPC, detaillierte Einblicke in Motivation, Praxis, Ausbildung sowie branchenübergreifende Möglichkeiten bei der Versorgung von Haustieren an deren Lebensende. (Anm. d. Red.: Das Interview wurde nachträglich aus dem Englischen übersetzt.)



Jahresmeeting 2025 des Board of Directors der IAAHPC.

Partnership Development



Presents



BEHAVIORAL MEDICINE, HOSPICE & PALLIATIVE CARE



Dr. Tyler Carmack
DVM, CVA, CVFT, CHPV, CTPEP



Coleen Ellis
CT, CPLP



Dr. Meghan Herron
DVM, DACVB

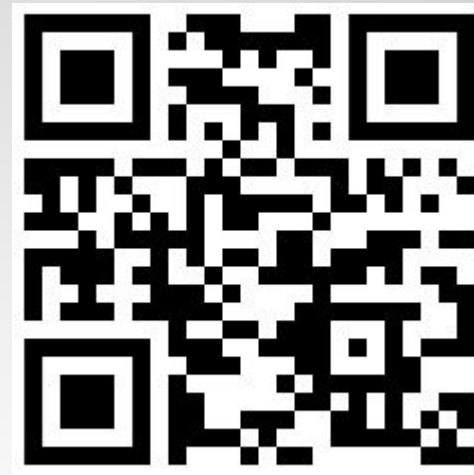
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Scan the QR code to Take advantage of the Pet Memorial Program to help fundraise for the IAAHPC, build organization awareness all while showing your families love and support as well



Show your support for the IAAHPC by wearing it! Visit our Swag Store!



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Volunteer on an
initiative committee!



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Consider joining our Board of Directors!
Applications open each spring and are open to
any member! Come join us!





Good Times!

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And NOW!
A VERY Important
Announcement!



We'll see you ONLINE
September 25 - 27, 2026
Save The Date!



Thank you for
RACING TO
EXCELLENCE
WITH US!

