

SurgiVet® – Capnography Self-Study Program

Overview

The measurement of end-tidal CO₂ (EtCO₂) is currently the optimal method of non-invasively and continuously monitoring the adequacy of ventilation and circulation in veterinary patients. The EtCO₂ monitor measures expired carbon dioxide and can be of value in the assessment of ventilation, metabolism and circulatory status.

Objectives

After completing this activity, the participant will be able to:

1. Define EtCO₂
2. Describe various applications of EtCO₂
3. Illustrate the relationship between PaCO₂ and EtCO₂
4. Identify common waveforms

Intended Audience

This self-study program is designed for veterinary professionals interested in enhancing their personal and professional development by participating in a self-paced CE program based on current research and clinical practice

Course Length: One Hour

PROCESS FOR RECEIVING CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT

1. Print these instructions
2. Go to Smiths Medical Online Training Portal www.smiths-medical-education.com and register for access.
3. If you have previously registered on the Smiths Medical Online Portal for product training, enter your log-in details in the “**Returning User**” section. Once logged in, click on the “**Add new course**” button on the right side of the screen.
4. Enter the following registration code: **2012-SV-CE-CAP**
5. First time users will be prompted to register and create a user name and password.
6. Once logged into the system, select “**Continuing Education Course on SurgiVet® Capnography.**” Read the course materials and instructions overview located at the top of the screen. The self-study and course overview are provided under the “documents” section.
7. Click on “**Test**”, left hand side of screen, then select “**Take test**” when completed click “**Submit**”. A score of 80% or greater is needed to pass. You may retake the test as many times as necessary to pass.
8. Select “**Evaluation**” left hand side of screen, then select “**Take evaluation**” and when completed click “**Submit**”. All users must successfully complete the activity including the post test and evaluation to view and print their Certificate of Completion.
9. Print or save your certificate for your records.
10. Records for educational activities will be maintained for five years.
11. For questions please email: continuing.education@smiths-medical.com
12. This course may only be completed once for contact hour credit.
13. Please refer to the online portal for course expiration date.

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