WESTERN VETERINARY ACUPUNCTURE FOUNDAITON COURSE

The modules will cover the following:

* How chronic pain is a very different phenomenon from acute pain.
* Why the assessment of suffering is essential to our selection of the best therapies for our patients.
* And that chronic pain is a chronic stressor, having all the same implications for the body and brain as does chronic stress.

**By the end of the course:**

* You will be able to appreciate the complex nature of chronic pain physiology, and assess your patients for pain and suffering.
* You should be able to explain to your clients the impact of chronic pain on their pets and, with that explanation, gain their trust and compliance.
* Finally, you will be able to devise a compassionate and pragmatic plan for managing chronic pain in your patients

There are two options for attending this course:

1. In person, 4 day course
2. Online, on-demand course, with 2 day practical sessions

***ONLINE & PRACTICALS***

The videos range from a few minutes in length to up to an hour, but each will be clearly labeled. There is no time limit on how long it takes you to complete the course.  Once the course has been completed you will be able to download a certificate of completion.

Included in this course is a PDF course handbook plus 4 x 15 minute mentoring sessions with the course tutor Chelsea Dawson.  These can be scheduled as video calls, telephone calls or done via email.  Please contact (EMAIL) for more information.

This course originated in the UK and the online content is delivered by the founder Dr. Samantha Lindley.

Practical and mentoring sessions will be run by Dr. Chelsea Dawson.

Practical sessions details:

April 6th & 7th 2024

June 20th & 21st 2024

September 27th & 28th 2024

All practical sessions are 2 full days (9-5)

Where: Aloft Vaughan Mills

151 Bass Pro Mills Dr, Vaughan, ON L4K 0E6

IN PERSON COURSES:

This 4 day course will comprise of lectures, practical sessions, group work and more.

Dates: April 26th – 29th 2024

All in person courses are held at:

Aloft Vaughan Mills

151 Bass Pro Mills Dr, Vaughan, ON L4K 0E6

COST (for both in person or online course)

$2800 + HST