SURGICAL EXCELLENCE DEDICATED CARE

orthovet offers first class communication with both owners and referring veterinary surgeons alike. If you want to discuss a patient, an unusual finding, or if you simply wish to find out, whether a patient would be a good candidate for referral, please contact Christoph by phone or by e-mail. Please leave a message, as it may not be possible to answer your call directly during an operation. You will be contacted as soon as possible.

If it is decided to seek a referral, a mutually convenient time for consultation is arranged. The consultation, all treatment including surgical interventions and follow-up examinations are carried out at the premises of the referring veterinary surgeon.











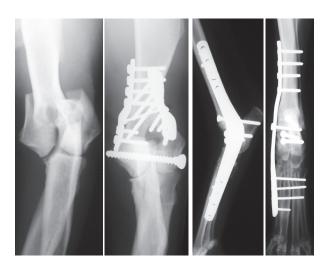
During every consultation the patient is thoroughly assessed. Thereafter, all treatment options are laid out in detail and discussed with the patient's owners and the referring practice. This always allows ample opportunity to raise and answer questions the pet's owner may have.

On the day of surgery, **orthovet** will provide and bring along all specialist equipment required for the intervention. This includes amongst others a full AO/ASIF-kit for plate and screw fixation, a variety of air power tools, any implants required, a latest technology 3-chip CCD arthroscopy camera and light source, a continuous wave pressure regulated arthroscopy infusion pump, etc.

For every patient a detailed discharge note is prepared for the owner together with a letter for the referring veterinarian.

Depending on the problem of the patient, the follow-up examinations may be carried out by the referring veterinary surgeon or by the orthopaedic surgeon.

In case there are any questions in the follow-up of the patients including reviewing of follow-up radiographs, **orthovet** is more than happy to assist and take care of that in any possible way. **orthovet** applies a high priority to excellent client communication and always replies to requests promptly. Advice is never further away than the other end of the phone!



PET OWNERS

Please contact your own primary veterinary surgeon to discuss the possibility of referral, if you feel that your pet might benefit from a specialist opinion. He will be happy to clarify that guestion with you.







orthovet welcomes the referral of all types of orthopaedic patients including, but not limited to:

- investigation of occult lameness
- stabilisation of cruciate ligament failure (TPLO or lateral suture)
- correction of patella luxation
- arthroscopic inspection and treatment of the elbow, shoulder and stifle
- arthrodesis
- multi-modal fracture repair
- treatment of ligament, tendon or muscle injuries
- correction of angular limb deformity
- advice on non-surgical orthopaedic disease management
- advice on orthopaedic radiographs







"Having spent seven years as a senior clinician in orthopaedic and spinal surgery in one of the largest and busiest referral centres for small animals in the UK. I felt that time for a new challenge had come. Offering orthopaedic my skills to referring

veterinarians at their premises enables me to deliver the highest level of surgical excellence locally whilst providing personalised and dedicated care to our patients."

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orthovet is a mobile veterinary orthopaedic specialist referral service for small animals. Christoph Störk provides orthopaedic consultancy services on a peripatetic basis to veterinary practices in the south of offering England, complete service for the diagnosis, treatment and management of all types of trauma andorthopaedic conditions in dogs and

cats.