They have advanced training in:
• Endoscopy: Upper and lower GI Tract, Nasal Cavity, Respiratory Tract and Urinary Tract
• Testing and Therapy for Infectious Diseases, Gastrointestinal, Respiratory, Urinary (kidney, bladder), Liver, Endocrine (diabetes, thyroid, pancreas, hormone), Immune-mediated and blood disorders
• Transfusion Medicine
• Bone Marrow Biopsies
• I-131 Radiolodine Therapy Used to treat hyperthyroidism in cats, this program is only one of two offered in the state of Wisconsin. The treatment is a simple and effective way to treat hyperthyroidism in cats and is 94% curative, with no long-term medication, special diets, or surgery.

NEUROLOGY
Ashley Bensfield, DVM, Diplomate, American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine (Neurology)

Neurology is the study of the nervous system. Pets with seizure disorders, tumors of the spine and brain, intervertebral disc disease, inflammatory brain diseases, Wobbler’s syndrome, neuromuscular diseases and other conditions involving the nervous system can be diagnosed and treated by a veterinary neurologist.

Our highly trained neurology specialist, Dr. Ashley Bensfield, DACVIM (Neurology) can provide unparalleled care for your pet by offering medical and surgical neurology services.

WVRC is the only private veterinary specialty practice in Wisconsin with both high field MRI and CT capabilities onsite, providing rapid, accurate diagnoses for thorough, definitive treatment of nervous system disorders.

PAYMENT
Whenever you visit WVRC, be assured that we will prepare a detailed estimate of your pet’s care for your review. We accept cash, personal checks, VISA, MasterCard, and Discover. Our standard policy requires full payment at the time services are rendered.

However, we understand that unexpected pet care expenses can be a burden on a household budget and in such cases offer delayed payment through Credit Plans. (Details on these nation-wide programs offering interest-free and low-interest financing options are available at our Front Desk.)
SURGERY

Jeffrey Meiney, DVM, Diplomate, American College of Veterinary Surgeons

Connie Hurley, DVM, Diplomate, American College of Veterinary Surgeons

Wanda Gordon-Evans, DVM, PhD, Diplomate, American College of Veterinary Surgeons

When a pet has need for specialized surgical care, your veterinarian may refer you to WVRC, where our surgeons have specialized training and state-of-the-art surgical equipment. Examples of diagnostic and surgical procedures performed at WVRC are:

- **Radiography**
  - Myelograms
  - PennHIP Evaluations
  - OFA X-rays

- **Orthopedic Evaluations & Procedures**
  - Arthrocentesis
  - TPLO, Tightrope and Extracapsular Stabilization
  - TPO and FH0 for Hip Dysplasia
  - Arthroscopy
  - Fracture Repair
  - Angular Limb Deformity Correction

- **Neurological Evaluations & Procedures**
  - Cerebrospinal Fluid Collection
  - Spinal Surgery for Disc Disease and Spinal Injuries

- **Soft Tissue**
  - Abdominal, Urinary
  - Cardiovascular, Thoracic
  - Ear Disease
  - Upper Respiratory
  - Skin Grafting
  - Laporoscopy
  - Thoracoscopy

DENTISTRY

Gwenn Schranberger, DVM, Diplomate, American Veterinary Dental College

Similar to human dentists, our board-certified veterinary dentist treats conditions in your pet such as periodontal disease, malocclusions, jaw fractures, oral cancer, stomatitis and other conditions unique to veterinary medicine (feline tooth resorption). Our dental suite is equipped similarly to a human dental office using advanced techniques, materials and digital dental radiography. Since most animal dental patients are treated under general anesthesia, we pay special attention to our anesthetic protocols, utilizing our anesthesiologist to customize anesthesia to the needs of your pet. We work closely with you, your pet, and your primary care veterinarian for the best outcome.

Services Include:

- Repair of Maxillofacial Fractures
- Tumors of the Maxilla, Mandible and Face
- Feline Tooth Resorption
- Congenital Palate Defects
- Vittal Pulp Therapy
- Root Canal Therapy
- Surgical Extraction of Diseased Teeth
- Crowns

OPHTHALMOLOGY

Peter Accola, DVM, MS, Diplomate, American College of Veterinary Ophthalmology

Dr. Laura Goodman can help you and your pet deal with eye emergencies. WVRC offers expert diagnosis and treatment of eye problems that are unusual, or for those that have not responded to initial therapy. Their services include:

- **Cataracts**
- **Glaucoma**
- **Dry eye**

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**ANESTHESIA / PAIN MANAGEMENT**

Jonathan Congdon, DVM, MS, Diplomate, American College of Veterinary Anesthesia and Analgesia

Our anesthesiologist provides comprehensive care that is essential to ensuring a successful outcome for your pet. They work closely with you, your pets, and our other medical professionals to customize anesthesia to the needs of your pet. We ensure that your pet is adequately sedated and monitored during anesthesia.

SERVICES INCLUDE:

- **Anesthesia**
  - Pre-anesthetic assessment
  - Anesthetic monitoring
  - Post-operative care
- **Pain Management**
  - Behavioral modification
  - Medication therapy
  - Complementary therapies

**CARDIOLOGY**

Shianne Koplitz, DVM, PhD, Diplomate, American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine (Cardiology)

There are a wide variety of heart diseases in animals. These heart diseases can usually be grouped into two main categories:

1. **Congenital** heart disease: conditions that are present at birth.
2. **Acquired** heart disease: conditions that develop later in life.

Some common acquired heart disease include:

- Heart valve defects
- Heart muscle disease
- Heart rhythm disorders
- Heart arrhythmias

Due to rapid advances in technology, our specialists can offer expert diagnosis and treatment of cardiac conditions, including murmurs, arrhythmias, congestive heart failure, fainting spells, and pulmonary hypertension.

SERVICES INCLUDE:

- **ECG**
- **Echocardiogram**
- **Electrocardiogram**
- **Blood Pressure Monitoring**
- **Management of critical situations in the ICU**