Clinical Communication – An Essential Skill

A roundtable discussion for AVTE Conference 2024 By Sue Wedam DVM, suewedam@gmail.com

- 1. Interactive activity and debrief lead by Dr. Wedam
- 2. Discussion Point: What is a benefit to communication training for vet techs/nurses?
- 3. What is having a positive impact to improve communication skills?
- 4. What are some of the challenges to developing communication training?
- 5. Introduce the use of Calgary-Cambridge Guide to identify common communication skills and improve the outcomes for students.
- 6. What are methods you are using for coaching/instructing experiential communication training?
- 7. What benefits are seen with embedding the communication training throughout the curriculum?
- 8. Resources for assistance to improve the clinical communication training.