

NCVHP Speaks on Recognizing the Abuse of Controlled Substances in Veterinary Medicine

Dr. Joseph Jordan, CEO of the North Carolina Veterinary Health Program (NCVHP), presented to over 200 veterinary medicine professionals at a continuing education event hosted by Carolina Veterinary Hospitals on June 2, 2019. Dr. Jordan gave two presentations - one on recognizing symptoms of a substance use disorder in a colleague followed by a presentation on how to intervene when a colleague is suspected of having a substance use disorder. These two presentations were offered to help veterinary medical professionals meet the requirement for 2 hours of continuing education on the topic of Abuse of Controlled Substances. Dr. Jordan stated, "This was an exceptional group of professionals that made for an engaged audience. NCVHP is grateful for the opportunity to provide education on this critically important topic."

Dr. Jordan regularly presents at association meetings and conferences to provide education on NCVHP services for veterinary professionals across North Carolina. He also speaks on a wide range of topics related to substance use disorders and other issues that can negatively impact the safety, care and services delivered by medical professionals.

