



Creating Partnerships Survey for Veterinarians

RESULTS AT A GLANCE



SURVEY GOALS

Explore challenges rural veterinarians face in sustaining their practice.

Understand rural veterinarians' current relationships with producers.

Recognize rural veterinarians' perspectives on creating a partnership with producers.

WHO RESPONDED?

Total Number of Responses

115

52% Female

48% Male

Participants' Average Age

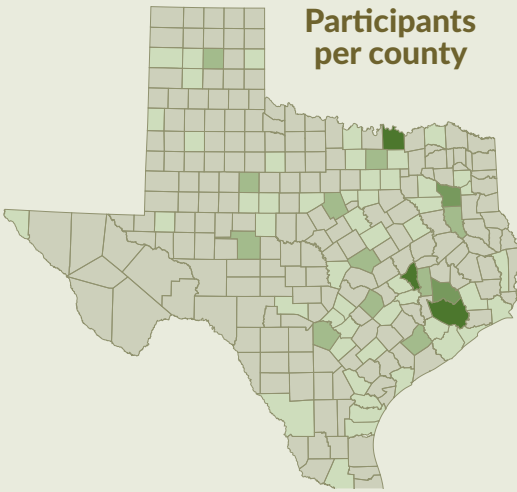
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Ranged 26-84

Average Years of Experience

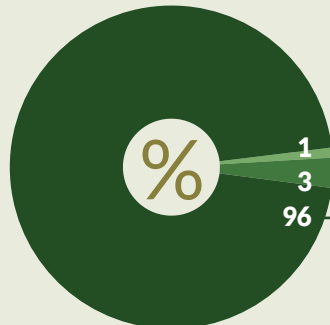
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Ranged 1-58



Participants per county

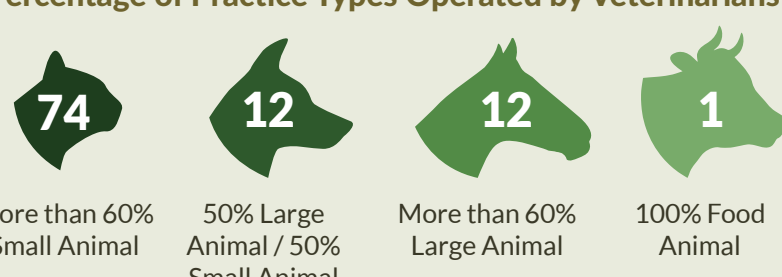
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Bailey	1	Denton	2	Henderson	1	Potter	1
Bastrop	2	Eastland	1	Hidalgo	1	Randall	1
Bee	1	Ector	1	Hood	1	Runnels	1
Bell	2	El Paso	1	Jasper	1	San Patricio	1
Bexar	2	Erath	2	Jefferson	1	Smith	3
Bosque	1	Fayette	1	Johnson	1	Tarrant	1
Brazoria	1	Fisher	2	Kerr	1	Taylor	1
Brazos	4	Fort Bend	1	Kleberg	1	Tom Green	2
Burleson	1	Freestone	1	Lamar	1	Upshur	1
Burnet	1	Galveston	1	Liberty	1	Van Zandt	1
Calhoun	1	Grayson	4	Lubbock	1	Washington	1
Carson	2	Gregg	1	McLennan	1	Webb	1
Cherokee	2	Grimes	2	Montague	1	Wharton	2
Collin	1	Guadalupe	1	Montgomery	3	Wheeler	1
Comal	1	Harris	4	Nolan	1	Wilson	1
Dallas	1	Haskell	1	Nueces	1	Wise	1



Participants' Ethnicity

1 American Indian
3 Hispanic
96 White

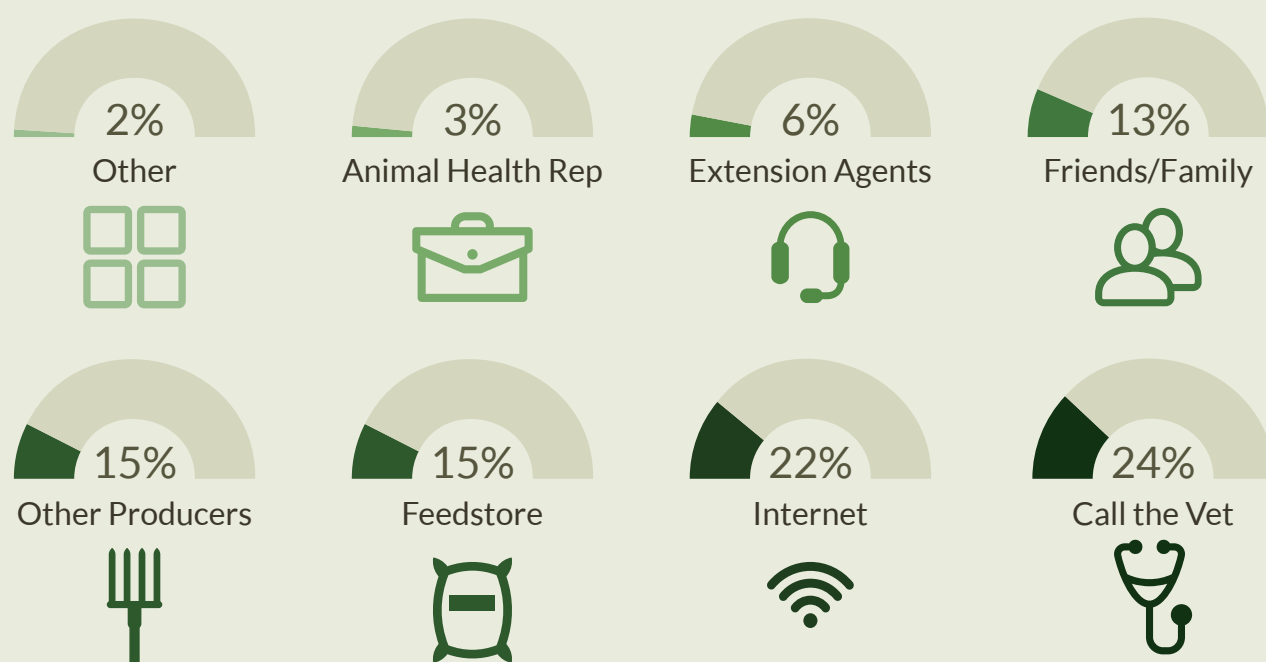
Percentage of Practice Types Operated by Veterinarians



PRODUCERS' WILLINGNESS TO CREATE PARTNERSHIPS BY SCENARIO

	UNLIKELY	SOMEWHAT UNLIKELY	NEITHER LIKELY NOR UNLIKELY	SOMEWHAT LIKELY	LIKELY
For Healthcare	15%	4%	15%	39%	28%
For Service Expansion	25%	8%	17%	33%	16%
For Goal Achievement	15%	4%	15%	39%	28%

VETERINARIANS' VIEW OF WHERE PRODUCERS SEEK INFORMATION REGARDING ANIMAL HEALTH OR THEIR LIVESTOCK OPERATION



TOP CHALLENGES TO MAINTAIN AND SUSTAIN VETERINARY PRACTICES



VETERINARIANS' SELF-ASSESSMENT OF KNOWLEDGE ACROSS TOPICS AND IMPACT OF CE ON TOPIC TO VETERINARIAN-PRODUCER RELATIONSHIP

	Knowledge of Topic					Impact of CE on Veterinarian-Producer Relationship		
	NONE	VERY LITTLE	SOME	APPROACHING MASTERY	MASTER/TEACHER	NONE	SOME IMPACT	GREAT IMPACT
Development of Animal Health Plan	4%	18%	34%	28%	18%	33%	58%	9%
Recordkeeping/Documentation and Monitoring	2%	9%	47%	26%	17%	43%	52%	5%
Operation Biosecurity	8%	13%	50%	19%	10%	41%	50%	9%
Herd Health Security	8%	8%	45%	27%	12%	33%	49%	18%
Animal Husbandry Practices	4%	6%	35%	31%	24%	24%	58%	18%
Disease Reduction and Control Plans	4%	4%	27%	43%	22%	24%	51%	24%
Transboundary Animal Diseases	7%	26%	43%	13%	11%	56%	35%	9%
Financial Management	8%	23%	46%	13%	10%	53%	40%	7%
Vaccination	2%	0%	29%	31%	39%	21%	42%	37%
Conducting Welfare Assessments	9%	9%	47%	19%	17%	40%	43%	17%

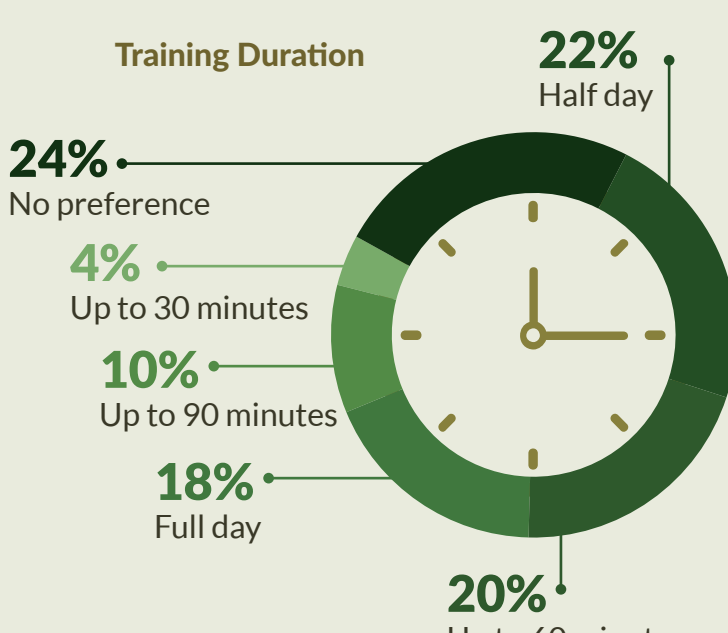
LEARNING PREFERENCES

Training Styles

- Participating in an in-person learning community (e.g., monthly, or quarterly)
- Presentation(s) followed by discussion
- Workshops to address challenges
- Workshops to apply learning/complete an activity at session
- Online self-paced modules
- Informal discussions on designated topics
- Workshops to work on projects (e.g., group or individual)
- Online facilitated modules
- Online sessions using collaborative meeting software
- Participating in an online learning community (e.g., monthly, or quarterly)



Training Duration



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