

## **For Immediate Release**

### **American Heartworm Society Announces Program Details for Triennial Heartworm Symposium**

*Early registration for September conference in Fort Worth ends July 15th*

**Apex, North Carolina (April 14, 2025)** —The American Heartworm Society (AHS) recently announced program details about their upcoming Triennial Heartworm Symposium, a professional conference that brings together veterinary and heartworm experts from around the world with academicians, industry leaders and veterinarians from clinical practice. During the 3 ½-day symposium, which will be held September 4-7, 2025, at the Worthington Renaissance Hotel in Fort Worth, Texas, participants will learn firsthand about the latest research and insights on heartworm management from leading veterinary and heartworm experts from around the world.

The title of the 2025 symposium is “Advancing Science, Exploring Applications.” This year’s conference will focus on the following themes:

- **Optimizing doxycycline use in heartworm treatment protocols**
- **Minimizing complications while maximizing efficacy with heartworm treatment in shelter settings**
- **Latest learnings about heartworm resistance**
- **What’s new in heartworm testing techniques**
- **Handling real-world challenges of heartworm prevention and management of heartworm-positive patients**

“The American Heartworm Society hosts a symposium every three years in order to give the veterinary industry and profession a comprehensive look at the state of heartworm research and clinical knowledge,” says Andy Moorhead, DVM, PhD, DACVM (Parasitology), who serves as chairperson for the 2025 conference. “Our program agenda includes presentations suited to both specialists who want the latest scientific information and clinicians who are seeking practical insights about heartworm diagnosis, prevention and treatment.”

Attendees of the AHS Triennial Symposium will earn a minimum of 22 continuing education credits for attending the conference. In addition, small group “noontime knowledge” sessions on clinical topics designed specifically for veterinary and shelter practitioners, as well as veterinary technicians, will be held on September 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> during the conference and will offer additional C.E. hours.

Veterinarians, veterinary nurses/technicians and students can register for the 18<sup>th</sup> Triennial Symposium at [heartwormsociety.org/2025-triennial-symposium](https://heartwormsociety.org/2025-triennial-symposium). Early bird registration, which offers practitioners the best value, is open until July 15<sup>th</sup>.

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