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CARES WELCOMES A TALENTED NEW SURGEON TO THE TEAM!

Dr. Brian Bretz starts seeing pet patients July 20th

Langhorne, PA -- The Center for Animal Referral and Emergency Services (CARES), in Langhorne is pleased to announce the arrival of Dr. Brian Bretz. Dr. Bretz will join the surgical team at CARES and will begin seeing referral patients on Monday July 20th.

Dr. Bretz obtained his DVM from the University of California, Davis in 2005. He completed a small animal rotating internship at Garden State Veterinary Specialists in 2006. Dr. Bretz comes to CARES from a small animal surgical residency at Tufts University and The Angell Animal Medical Center in Boston, MA.

“Dr. Bretz coming to CARES will be a great asset in expanding our surgical availability and coverage to increase client convenience and better service our patients,” according to Chief of Surgery, Dr. Dave Puerto. “He comes from Tufts Veterinary School and will bring with him the current state of the art in surgical training for orthopedic and soft tissue surgery. Tufts is strong in orthopedics, joint replacements and oncologic surgery. He is very personable, down to earth, and comes very highly recommended as one of the top residents they have had. He will be a welcome addition to the CARES family.”

Dr. Bretz enjoys all aspects of surgery and will join CARES’ surgical team in offering comprehensive and advanced surgical treatments for referral patients. Those services include:

- *soft tissue surgery of the abdomen and chest
- *oncologic and reconstructive surgery
- *orthopedic surgery including treatment of CCL rupture, patellar luxations, hip disease, fractures and joint dysplasia/OCD
- *minimally invasive surgery including arthroscopic treatment of joint diseases, laparoscopy for biopsies, feeding tubes and elective gastropexy and thoracoscopy for pericardial windows, tumor removal and lung/pleural biopsy
- *neurosurgery for spinal, nerve and disk disease

About CARES:

CARES is a full service specialty referral, emergency and critical care veterinary hospital. Specialty cases are seen by referral from the primary care veterinarian. Specialty services include: Cardiology, Clinical Pathology, Internal Medicine, Oncology, Ophthalmology, Radiology, Surgery and Client Support. The hospital also offers 24 hour emergency care. CARES has been voted 2008 Neighbors' Choice Award Winner for Best Veterinarian/Animal Hospital in Bucks County. CARES is located at 2010 Cabot Blvd. West Suite D, Langhorne, PA 19047. For more information, visit www.vetcares.com

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