



General Meeting and Congress:

EAVLD holds a scientific congress every two years at which the latest developments and standards in veterinary diagnostics will be disseminated. The general meeting of the association is also held every two years in combination with the congress.

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Sister organizations:

World Association of Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosticians (WAVLD); www.wavld.org
American Association of Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosticians (AAVLD); www.aavld.org

EAVLD is a non-profit, independent association with the mission of improving veterinary and public health by providing a platform for communication among veterinary laboratory diagnosticians and to promote the highest standards in European veterinary laboratories.



**European Association of Veterinary
Laboratory Diagnosticians (EAVLD)**



History

In 2008, CoVetLab (www.covetlab.org) started an initiative to broaden collaboration on a European level. Modelling itself on the World Association of Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosticians (WAVLD) and the American Association of Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosticians (AAVLD), in April 2009 the European Association of Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosticians (EAVLD) was officially formed. The aim was to create an inclusive forum for veterinary laboratory scientists working in all disciplines across the full range of species.

Board

The EAVLD board is responsible for managing and controlling the affairs of the EAVLD. The board consists of a minimum of six members, including a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer. Board members are elected by the members of the association, and may serve two consecutive terms of two years, subject to re-election. An exception is the vice-president, who is always elected for three consecutive terms and shall automatically become President and Past-President after each period of two years. Current board members can be found on the EAVLD website (www.eavld.org).

Membership

Open to any individual with an interest in veterinary laboratory diagnostics. Membership fees are € 20 per year. Application for membership is possible through the website (www.eavld.org). Membership fees can be paid conveniently on-line through PayPal (either by credit-card, or from a PayPal account), although payments by bank transfers are also possible.

Privileges and benefits:

- Member of an association that provides a platform for increasing the standards of the members and their laboratories in performing veterinary diagnostics.
- Possibility to contribute to improvement and standardization of veterinary diagnostic techniques.
- Discounted registration fees for attending the biennial EAVLD congress.
- At least 2 newsletters per year by e-mail.
- Discounted subscription on Journal of Veterinary Diagnostic Investigation (hardcopy and/or digital edition).

LinkedIn:

EAVLD also has a LinkedIn group (www.linkedin.com/groups/EAVLD-4010747). Both members and non-members of EAVLD can become a member of this LinkedIn group and remain in contact with each other. However, members of the LinkedIn group do not have any of the other EAVLD membership privileges.

