

Manitoba Veterinary Medical Association

Peer Review Complaint Committee

Formal Caution against Dr. Wenchao Zheng

MB2022-06

On December 14, 2022, Dr. Wenchao Zheng agreed in writing to accept a formal caution.

The Complaints Committee therefore resolves that;

1. It issues a formal caution to Dr. Wenchao Zheng, censuring the member's conduct pursuant to s.23(1)(c) of The Veterinary Medical Act, and the caution shall state that:

Within the period of 2019 to 2022, Dr. Wenchao Zheng did not provide proper veterinary care for a client and breached compliance with the MVMA Code of Ethics, MVMA General By-Law No. 1, and MVMA Practice Inspection and Practice Standards By-Laws in the following ways:

- a) Dr. Wenchao Zheng failed to provide competent veterinary services.
- b) Dr. Wenchao Zheng failed to maintain proper medical records.
- c) Dr. Wenchao Zheng failed to give professional advice regarding the patient and an indication of when and to whom the advice was given.
- d) Dr. Wenchao failed to complete discharge notes and final assessment of patients.
- e) Dr. Wenchao Zheng failed to present history and clinical examination finding of the patient.
- f) Dr. Wenchao Zheng failed to provide follow up assessments including phone conversation summaries.
- g) Dr. Wenchao Zheng failed to communicate to the client the potential risks and benefits of treatment and obtain the client's informed consent to treatment.
- h) Dr. Wenchao Zheng failed to properly label and dispense a drug pursuant to a prescription.
- i) Dr. Wenchao Zheng failed to properly label a radiograph.
- j) Dr. Wenchao Zheng failed to include the anaesthesia monitoring sheet as part of the medical record.
- k) Dr. Wenchao Zheng failed to record medications administered.
- l) Dr. Wenchao Zheng failed to record procedures performed and results.
- m) Dr. Wenchao Zheng improperly notified a client that failure to pay for services could result in the relinquishment of ownership of their animal.
- n) Dr. Wenchao Zheng made an improper diagnosis without proper testing.