

AABP POSITION STATEMENT

ESTABLISHMENT OF A VETERINARIAN-CLIENT-PATIENT RELATIONSHIP



The American Association of Bovine Practitioners (AABP) Board of Directors supports the requirement of a Veterinarian-Client-Patient relationship (VCPR) established through an in-person visit. Veterinary oversight and regular site visits are essential components of establishing and maintaining a VCPR. This relationship can be supplemented through laboratory data evaluation, records evaluation and telephonic or electronic communication. The AABP Board of Directors does not support establishment of the VCPR solely through virtual or electronic methods.

Reference: Establishing and Maintaining the Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship in Bovine Practice https://aabp.org/resources/aabp_guidelines/VCPRGuideline_032020.pdf