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Eric Hoffmann
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Dear Eric:

So very many disadvantaged people living with chronic illness, addictions, and poverty rely on their companion animal as their sole source of social support. Alberta Helping Animals Society (AHAS) is a charity devoted to providing no cost veterinary care, advice and support to disadvantaged pet owners in Edmonton.

UXR and you have been absolutely instrumental in our opening a clinic with in our community veterinary clinic model. A veterinarian offers full service veterinary care to her clients and sees a number of our clients during the week and AHAS provides spay/neuter, dental, other surgeries as well diagnostic and ongoing care on weekends and in home.

The x-ray equipment is absolutely outstanding and the best I have ever worked with. The ease of use and transferability of images allows for timely diagnosis and the clarity provides diagnostic certainty. This is so very important not just for the animal but for our clients who have extreme stress and anxiety.

The surgery is beautifully outfitted and our many volunteer surgeons feel completely comfortable spending a very busy day in surgery. We have completed as many as 21 surgeries in a very long day! Even in the dead of winter, the surgical lamp provides a clean, bright surgical field.

Our wonderful cages allow us to provide a safe, isolated space for recovering and hospitalized patients. Even when we discovered our cat room was not built quite to specification by the contractor, we were easily able to reconfigure the cat cages and come up with a solution that works perfectly for us.

We love all the equipment. Even more important, we unconditionally respect our wonderful relationship with UXR. You have always been so supportive of the community veterinary vision we have developed and you have helped us out in so many ways, from outstanding service to discounts to believing in what we do.

Thank you so much for being an indispensable team member in supporting the human-animal bond between disadvantaged people and their important pets.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Connie K. Varnhagen".

Connie K. Varnhagen, PhD, RVT
President, Alberta Helping Animals Society