

## Go Vet

Do you have a passion for animals and conservation and you enjoy a good challenge? Are you between 18 and 45 years of age? Do you want to experience a different kind of practice within the field of vet medicine and embark on an adventure? Then you are the specialized volunteer that we are looking for to join our brand new Go Veterinary project.

### Role of the volunteer:

The Harnas Wildlife Veterinary Experience offers you the opportunity to run the day-to-day activities with our veterinarian on Harnas. The vet is not always on the farm so during that time you will be joining the Go Wildlife Project. You will be working in the field, treating and handling wildlife as well as hand raised orphans. Much of the work can be related to wildlife industries such as game capture and relocation, thereby maximizing your exposure to surrounding human wildlife conflict, sanctuary care and the wildlife's natural habitat.

You will experience a different kind of practice, and retrieve knowledge about animals and diseases only common in Namibia or Africa. You might get the chance to actively take part in:

- \*Wildlife research work where you will be a part of the darting of a wild animal that is about to be released or that needs an annual check-up
- \*Working on sick, injured or orphaned wildlife
- \*Retrieving blood from wild dogs for DNA testing
- \*Deworming and de-ticking

By joining us as a wildlife vet you will not only contribute to the saving of animal lives, but you will get the insight to conserve wildlife on a larger scale.

**We would also like to sponsor rural communities with medication and vaccinations for their animals and with your expertise and aid we can also help giving the vaccinations.**

Accommodation will be in the staff quarters or at the Volunteer village.

Do I need experience? Not necessarily.

Although a diploma and/or certificates relevant to the project or work experience as a vet or assistant vet are an added advantage, anyone considering studying towards a veterinary degree or a deep interest in vet science will be considered.

Required minimum stay is 4 weeks and maximum 3 months. Take a break from your European practice and join us in the land of the wild. We need you to make a difference today. The program allows for 2 volunteers at a time.

**Please note that whilst there are no Go Vet activities, you will partake in the Go Wildlife activities!**