

DeLand Animal Hospital

Special Services Offered: Reproduction

We are delighted to announce that Dr. Sandra Murton, DVM, DACT, a board certified veterinary specialist, has joined DeLand Animal Hospital! Dr Murton received her Doctorate in Veterinary Medicine from Colorado State University in 1993. She completed her Residency program in Reproduction at Louisiana State University, and became Board Certified in Reproduction in 2002.

Please note the brief outline of our reproductive services:

For Males:

- Breeding soundness evaluation (this includes semen collection and semen evaluation for motility, concentration and morphology)
- Semen collection for shipment (cooled-semen)
- Semen longevity testing (testing prior to shipping cooled semen)
- Import and export of frozen and chilled canine semen
- Prostate disease evaluation and treatment
- Brucella canis testing
- Testicular and prostatic ultrasound

For Females:

- Breeding soundness evaluation
- Breeding management (this includes ovulation timing, fresh semen insemination, cooled semen insemination, frozen semen insemination, and transcervical and surgical insemination)
 - Pregnancy diagnosis - an ultrasound is performed at 25 - 28 days following breeding. Ultrasound is a safe and very accurate way to diagnose pregnancy and evaluating the health of the pregnancy. Radiographs are also taken the week before the female is due to accurately determine fetal numbers
 - High-risk pregnancy management - evaluation and monitoring of females that have lost previous pregnancies
 - Scheduled and emergency C-sections
 - Elective, medical pregnancy termination



Heritable Disease Testing for Males and Females

- OFA hips, elbow, patella and shoulder evaluation
- DNA test submission for breed specific disease screening