

Kate has been an RVT for the last 19 years.. For over ten years, She is a technical supervisor at Guardian Veterinary Center where she manages over 30 RVT's. She has been an important part to the development of Guardian being one of the most successful emergency Facilities in Western Canada. Since 2017, Kate is our ABVTA rep to RVTTC where she actively and enthusiastically represents our association. She is active on social media sites displaying professionalism for the veterinary industry. She is constantly championing the veterinary technology profession by being involved in numerous leadership groups including, the ABVTA, RVTTC and the ABVMA, and when she's not doing that, she's actively mentoring AHT and veterinary students from all over the world. Kate is a strong voice for RVT's. Her firm stance of "being rewarded what you are worth" is huge in promoting personal growth amongst RVT's. She proves this with her ambitious goals of obtaining her Veterinary Technician Specialty in Emergency and Critical Care. She is also an active member in the Academy of Veterinary Emergency and Critical Care Technicians (AVECCT) and is a certified recover instructor. Kate is passionate about tech utilization and loves to mentor her "baby " techs and instilling confidence in them. She

is a driving force in pursuing strong relationships between veterinarians and Technologists. Kate is an amazing person and is more than deserving of this award. Please help me in congratulating Kate on her outstanding achievements.