

Download Perioperative Pain Management

What Is Perioperative Pain Management? A multi-professional group including physicians, nurse practitioners, and registered nurses, will help manage pain after some surgical procedures. While the anesthesia and the surgical teams manage pain for procedures that are less painful, some surgeries that are more painful need the expertise of the perioperative pain management team.

- Pain management in animals at perioperative and postoperative periods presents a significant challenge not only to veterinarians but also to the owners of the animals.
- Humans can express and describe the sensations they experience, and these descriptors are well accepted.

Pain, as defined by the International Association for the Study of Pain (IASP), is an unpleasant sensory and emotional experience associated with actual or potential tissue damage, or described in terms of such damage.

6 Perioperative pain management refers to actions before, during, and after a surgical procedure that are intended to reduce or ...

Patient satisfaction and outcomes are increasingly influencing reimbursement, and multiple studies have shown a direct correlation between increased pain and decreased patient satisfaction. The current focus on opioid overuse has made perioperative pain management a challenge. This issue of Orthopedic Clinics of North America highlights some of those difficulties and provides discussions of ...