

## PVPMP MENTOR VETERINARY EXPERIENCE FORM

1. **Experience:** Wildlife Veterinarian
2. **Animal Type** (i.e. Exotic/Avian/Mixed Animal/Large Animal/Small Animal/Shelter Medicine/Research, etc):  
  
Mixed Animal and African Wildlife
3. **Location and Facility Type (i.e. hospital/private practice/research facility, etc):**
  - a. *If in Ithaca, is self-transport necessary?*  
Clinic in South Africa, Limpopo. However, you can only volunteer with this veterinarian through a summer program with African Conservation Experience
4. **Prior Experience Needed for Position:** yes/no
  - a. *If yes, please describe:*  
None with animals, but it helps. But you must be mature enough to live on your own, be able to socialize with different people from different walks of life, and be willing to live in a community.
5. **Time Commitment Needed for Position:**  
1+ weeks.
6. **Experience/Facility Contact Info: please list contact person name, number and/or email address**

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7. **Would you recommend this experience?**

I highly recommend the experience. It is expensive to travel to Africa, roughly \$1000.00 per week, but you will have the time of your life. I guarantee you will be busy, especially if you work with Dr. Kriel. The staff that work with ACE are very friendly and helpful.

8. **Further Comments**

I recommend volunteering for 3 weeks to start out with and return at a later time if you absolutely love it there. There are many projects, so if you find you are bored with the veterinarian you are shadowing, you can go volunteer at a rehabilitation clinic in Moholoholo instead.

