

ASSIGNMENT 216 TASK 4 ASSIGNMENT BRIEF

Task 4

Choose **one** situation below that can cause an emergency.

- Fire
- Escaped animal
- Injured or sick animal

For the chosen emergency, produce a notice for display at the surgery identifying the procedures which must be followed to ensure the safety of people and animals. You must also include what visual signs of stress or injury to look for in the animals after the emergency.

Include the following:

The procedure for the following situations:

- Fire
- Escaped animal
- Injured or sick animal

Definition of the term 'first aid'.

The the importance of following set first aid emergency procedures:

- Getting help
- Ensuring own safety

The location of emergency equipment:

- Fire extinguishers
- Accident book
- Animal first aid box
- Human first aid box
- Restraining equipment

The visual signs of potential animal emergencies (as applicable to species):

- Bleeding
- Not breathing or difficulty breathing
- Choking
- Fitting
- Unconscious
- Change in behaviour or temperament
- Severe lameness