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Anaesthesia and Pain Management in Large Animals

Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue aims to highlight the recent advances in large animal pain management around the world. Large animals include those that are used for food production such as cattle, sheep and pigs. While there has been much progress in this area of veterinary medicine there are significant barriers to pain management of these species, especially on a large scale. Production practices may preclude regular interaction with these species, which makes pain assessment, and therefore, appropriate pain relief, difficult. Furthermore, pharmacopolitical considerations may preclude the use of appropriate analgesia.

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