CE-VPAT
Problem Oriented Method (POM)
in Small Animal Internal Medicine
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Why is this method an important tool in solving clinical problems?
Because the traditional method of remembering all diseases and their
pattern of clinical signs does not solve most of the "problem cases" that
almost all of us have encountered in daily practice. This, of course, leads to
surmounting frustration for both the practitioner and owner (not to mention
the animal itself!!)
POM is a logical and pathophysiological approach to the diagnosis and
management of internal medicine problems. This provides the veterinarian
with the foundation for diagnosis of ANY clinical problem regardless of
whether they have seen the disorder before or not.

What do these courses offer?
The aim of these courses are not to bombard you with details of different
diseases but to provide a framework by which you can solve clinical problems.
In each of the modules presented there will be guidelines on the approach to
various common problems as they are encountered in real life (as
problems...not as diseases) and case studies which will be worked out in each
session to familiarize you with the method.

Why sign up for these courses?
Firstly, POM is the most globally accepted method in veterinary institutions
today. By using this method you will come back to enjoy your practice instead
of dreading any difficult or complicated case.
Secondly, no where will you find 2 of the best tutors in the field presenting
this material and method which they had developed and pioneered in
Australia and now in Thailand.
Thirdly, where else could you combine a seminar like this with a family
vacation in exotic Thailand?
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**April 8-10 Problem Oriented Approach to Abdominal and Neurological diseases**

By Drs. Jill Maddison and David Church

**June 24 – 26 Problem Oriented Approach to Thoracic medicine**

By Dr. David Church

**December 2 – 4 Problem Oriented Approach to Endocrinology**

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☐ Registration fee for seminar. Includes all course material, all meals and coffee breaks. US $ 250
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