## Tecniplast IVC Knowledge & Skills Refresher Course

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Tecniplast and Cambium Development are delighted to bring you the 'Tecniplast IVC Knowledge & Skills Refresher Course'. The aim of the course is to ensure attendees obtain a refreshed and up to date working knowledge of the IVC system including the link between components such as the change station and their benefits to animal health and welfare.

Timings and venue: 9:00 - 16:30, Tecniplast UK

**Cost:** Price upon application, to include all course materials, lunch and refreshments \*Includes a £10 donation to the Animals in Science Education Trust

Dates: TBC

## Benefits to your facility

This course focusses on reviewing the principles of IVCs, why we use them and how they optimise the health of each animal. On successful completion of the day, each delegate will have an up to date working knowledge of using Tecniplast IVCs to a professional standard, with knowledge and skills that will support them in their workplace.

## **Topics covered**

- Benefits of IVCs
- The IVC system
- Features & functions
- Maintenance & hygiene
- Working practices
- Risks, solutions, prevention

The course format includes PowerPoint presentations to visualise and present key concepts as well as practical demonstration and hands on use of the equipment. Pair-working and group discussion will be used to encourage participation and active thinking from the delegates to ensure maximum understanding and learning. At the end of the course a resource pack will be provided to support the learning undertaken during the day.

## By the end of the course delegates will have:

- Reviewed the objectives of using IVC caging systems
- An understanding of design features of the IVC cage, rack, Air Handling Unit and Change Station relative to their functions
- An understanding of the working practices essential for optimal performance of Tecniplast IVC systems as a whole and have worked through scenarios of best practice for each element
- An understanding of poor practices and reasons for avoidance of them

If you would like any further information or to book delegates onto this course then please contact Isla on 0345 050 4556 or by email isla@tecniplastuk.com



