



A Complete Intro to TPLO:
**Principles, Case Selection, Preoperative Planning, Surgical
Execution, Postoperative Care and Prevention / Management of Complications**
March 10-11

Day 1

- 7:30 am* *Breakfast and Welcome*
- 8:00 am Introductions, Review of Pre-Course modules, Course Overview & Learning Objectives
- 8:30 am Preoperative Computer Planning for TPLO
- 9:00 am Desktop Exercise (with Demo): Plan a TPLO on “Sawbones Model A” using vPOP-Pro
- 9:30 am Surgical Technique for TPLO w/ medial arthrotomy: The devil is in the Details
- 10:15 am* *Break*
- 10:30 am **Lab 1:** DEMO – TPLO on Plastic Bone model
- 11:00 am **Lab 2:** TPLO on Plastic Bone model
- 12:00 pm* *Lunch*
- 12:45 pm **Lab 2** (Continued)
- 1:30 pm **Lab 3:** vPOP-Pro planning for YOUR cadaver stifles
- 2:15 pm **Lab 4:** DEMO - Sx Approach / Arthrotomy / TPLO
- 2:45 pm **Lab 4:** Sx Approach / Arthrotomy / TPLO
- 4:15 pm* *Break*
- 4:30 pm Lab 5: Sx Approach / Arthrotomy / TPLO
- 6:00 pm* *End of Day 1*



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Day 2

7:30 am Breakfast

8:00 am Radiographic Review Session of Day 1 TPLO's

9:00 am **Lab 6:** Exploratory Arthrotomy + TPLO

10:30 am **Lab 7:** Exploratory Arthrotomy + TPLO

12:00 pm Lunch

12:45 am Short- & Long-Term Postoperative Patient Care, Convalescence & Surveillance

1:15 pm TPLO Outcomes: stabilization efficacy, patient function, rates of success, complication rates.

1:45 pm Complications & their treatment

2:15 pm Break

2:30 pm Small Breed TPLO nuances

3:00 pm Excessive TPA, MPL and other cases to avoid

3:30 pm Radiographic Review Session of Day 2 TPLO's

5:00 pm Clinical Case Discussion to Emphasize Take-Home Points and Key Concepts; Q & A

6:00 pm End of Day 2



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