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Questions? Please contact **Lisa Green**, WCVM's development officer (306-966-7450; lisa.green@usask.ca).

COST CATEGORY: \$5,000 TO \$10,000

NAME OF ITEM: IV Fluid Countertop Incubator

ESTIMATED COST: \$5,189.35

SERVICE: ICU/Critical Care

FACULTY MEMBER: Dr. Jennifer Ogeer, Department of Small Animal Clinical Sciences, WCVM

USE OF EQUIPMENT: The incubator will be mainly used to store and keep IV fluids at body temperature. This is essential in treating and maintaining body temperature in critically ill patients or patients recovering from major surgery. Warm IV fluids are also essential in maintaining the body temperature of neonates that come into the ICU since there are often severely hypothermic.

ESTIMATED ONGOING COST FOR UPKEEP: None.

