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After graduating from Oklahoma State University with a DVM in 1986, Dr. Furr practiced veterinary medicine at a clinic in Oklahoma and then completed a Residency in Internal Medicine at the Marion duPont Scott Equine Medical Center in 1989.

For the following two years, he was an Assistant Professor of Large Animal Clinical Sciences at the Virginia-Maryland Regional College of Veterinary Medicine at Virginia Tech in Blacksburg. In 1991 Dr. Furr returned to the College's Equine Medical Center serving as an Assistant Professor of Equine Internal Medicine. He also attained Diplomat status that year, receiving Board Certification from the American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine. In 1996, Dr. Furr was promoted to Associate Professor of Equine Internal Medicine, and in 2000, completed his PhD in Neuroimmunology at the University of Maryland. In 2004 he was appointed to the Adelaide C Riggs Chair of Medicine, and in 2006 he was promoted to full professor. In 2015 Dr. Furr obtained a MA degree in medical education from Michigan State University.

Currently, Dr. Furr is Professor and Head of the Department of Physiological Sciences, and the Senior Assistant Dean of Professional Programs at Oklahoma State University College of Veterinary Medicine. He speaks regularly at national (approx. 120 presentations) and international (approximately 75 presentations) meetings on topics of equine internal medicine, neonatology and neurology. He has published 90 peer reviewed primary research papers, and is the primary author and editor of a major textbook of equine neurology, now in its second edition, with his colleague, Dr. Steve Reed. His research interests include equine neonatal medicine and critical care, equine neurology (particularly equine protozoal myeloencephalitis), equine immunology, and faculty development and medical education.