

## **NEW DIAGNOSTIC VETERINARY X-RAY SYSTEM INTRODUCED BY 3M ANIMAL CARE PRODUCTS**

ST. PAUL, MINN. – (September 28, 2004) – The 3M X-ray family is expanding! 3M Animal Care Products is proud to introduce the new 3M™ Green Standard Veterinary X-ray System - consisting of both screens/cassettes and x-ray film. This new 3M Green Standard X-ray system offers veterinarians the opportunity to cost-effectively upgrade from generic film or outmoded calcium tungstate blue systems to improve their diagnostic image quality.

### Benefits:

- Excellent detail and clarity
- High quality diagnostics
- Consistent performance
- Synchronized screens to maximize speed and reduce exposure
- Screens/cassettes and matching x-ray film
- 600 speed

3M is also well known for their premium veterinary x-ray film and cassette system. The 3M™ Asymetrix™ Veterinary X-ray System, along with the premium films, offers the most advanced radiographic technology available for superior diagnostic quality. With the addition of the new Green Standard X-ray System, 3M provides veterinarians a choice in products to meet a variety of clinic radiographic needs.

For more information on the new 3M Green Standard Veterinary X-ray System or to have a sales representative contact you on other 3M Animal Care Products, contact our Customer Service Helpline at 1-800-848-0829 or visit our website at

[www.3M.com/animalcare](http://www.3M.com/animalcare).

About 3M Animal Care Products

3M Animal Care Products has over 35 years experience in the animal health industry and is known for high quality, innovative products and services in the diagnostic imaging, wound management, auscultation and surgical supplies categories. Products include 3M Vetrap Bandaging Tape, 3M Littmann Stethoscopes and 3M Vetcast Plus Veterinary Casting Tape.

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