



Ethnoveterinary Medicine: An annotated bibliography of community animal healthcare (Paperback)

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ITDG Publishing, United Kingdom, 2001. Paperback. Condition: New. Revised edition. Language: English . Brand New Book. Livestock raisers and healers everywhere have traditional ways of classifying, diagnosing, preventing and treating common animal diseases. Many of these ethnoveterinary practices offer viable alternatives or complements to conventional, Western-style veterinary medicine - especially where the latter is unavailable or inappropriate. This rich bibliography contains annotations of 1240 publications that deal with sociocultural, politico-economic, environmental and biomedical aspects of community animal healthcare. Entries span 118 countries of Europe, Africa, the Americas, Asia and the Pacific. Examples of ordinary people's diverse knowledge, skills, beliefs and practices are recorded for some 200 health problems of 25 livestock species. The species discussed range from exotics like reindeer, camelids, elephant and yak, through more familiar farm and pet animals, to micro-livestock like fish and bees. Reference is made to hundreds of plant species or genera, to inorganic items or compounds, and innumerable foodstuffs and household items employed as materia medica in treatments that run the gamut of medicinal, surgical, physical/mechanical and supernatural. In addition, stockraisers many astute and often environmentally friendly health-related herding, housing, husbandry and breeding practices are documented. The volume prioritizes twentieth century literature, with...



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