Veterinary Hospitals & Animal Care Facilities: Capture, Serial & Provenance Logging

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Direct Answer: Veterinary capture requires logging detached serials on anesthesia precision vaporizers, ultrasound probes, and DR flat-panel detectors separately from carts and tables, flagging reagent-rental lab analyzers for third-party ownership, and indexing stainless kennel banks, surgical suites, and clinic inventory without touching DEA narcotics.

Field Benchmark & Decision Matrix

Veterinary Asset Group	Sub-Components Requiring Separate Capture	Primary Serial / Tag Locations	Essential Provenance Records	Most Common Field Capture Omission
Anesthesia Machines & Ventilators	Chassis/frame, precision vaporizer(s), scavenging unit, ventilator bellows	Rear frame plate + front/side vaporizer barrel + calibration sticker	Annual vaporizer calibration certificate & OEM service invoice	Logging only the cart chassis and missing the $1,500+ detachable vaporizer serial
Diagnostic Ultrasound Systems	Main console, linear/microconvex/phased-array probes, thermal printer	Console rear plate + strain-relief collar or connector block on each probe	Probes purchase invoices & extended transducer service plan	Counting '1 ultrasound' without capturing 3–4 individually serialized probes
Digital Radiography (DR/CR) & Dental X-Ray	Wireless/wired DR flat panel, tube head, high-voltage generator, dental sensor	Panel back/edge barcode, generator cabinet, tube housing, state rad decal	State radiation-control registration & acquisition workstation specs	Overlooking fragile intraoral dental X-ray sensors stored in wall cradles
In-House Blood Chemistry & Hematology Analyzers	Chemistry analyzer, hematology unit, sediment analyzer, UPS battery	Rear/underside rating plate + vendor asset/placement barcode sticker	Owned CapEx invoice vs reagent-rental / placement contract	Listing vendor-owned placement analyzers as clinic-owned BPP without lease check
Surgical Suites & Sterilization	Ceiling/wall surgical LED booms, autoclave, electrocautery, fluid pumps	Boom hub (check building tie-in), autoclave door jamb, pump rear	Autoclave spore-test logs & installation invoices (Building vs BPP)	Failing to photograph ceiling mount flanges to separate Building vs BPP
Stainless Kennels, Lift Tables & Grooming	Modular cage banks, latch hardware, hydraulic lift tables, wet/tub stations	Cage bank side frame, table actuator column, tub faucet manifold	Layout blueprint showing anchored runs vs rolling stainless stacks	Lumping custom stainless cage suites into generic 'metal shelving'

Practitioner Operational Takeaways

• Capture separate serial plates and calibration stickers for detachable anesthesia vaporizers, ultrasound transducers, and DR flat panels.

• Identify state radiation-control registration tags and high-voltage generator specs in X-ray, dental X-ray, and CBCT suites.

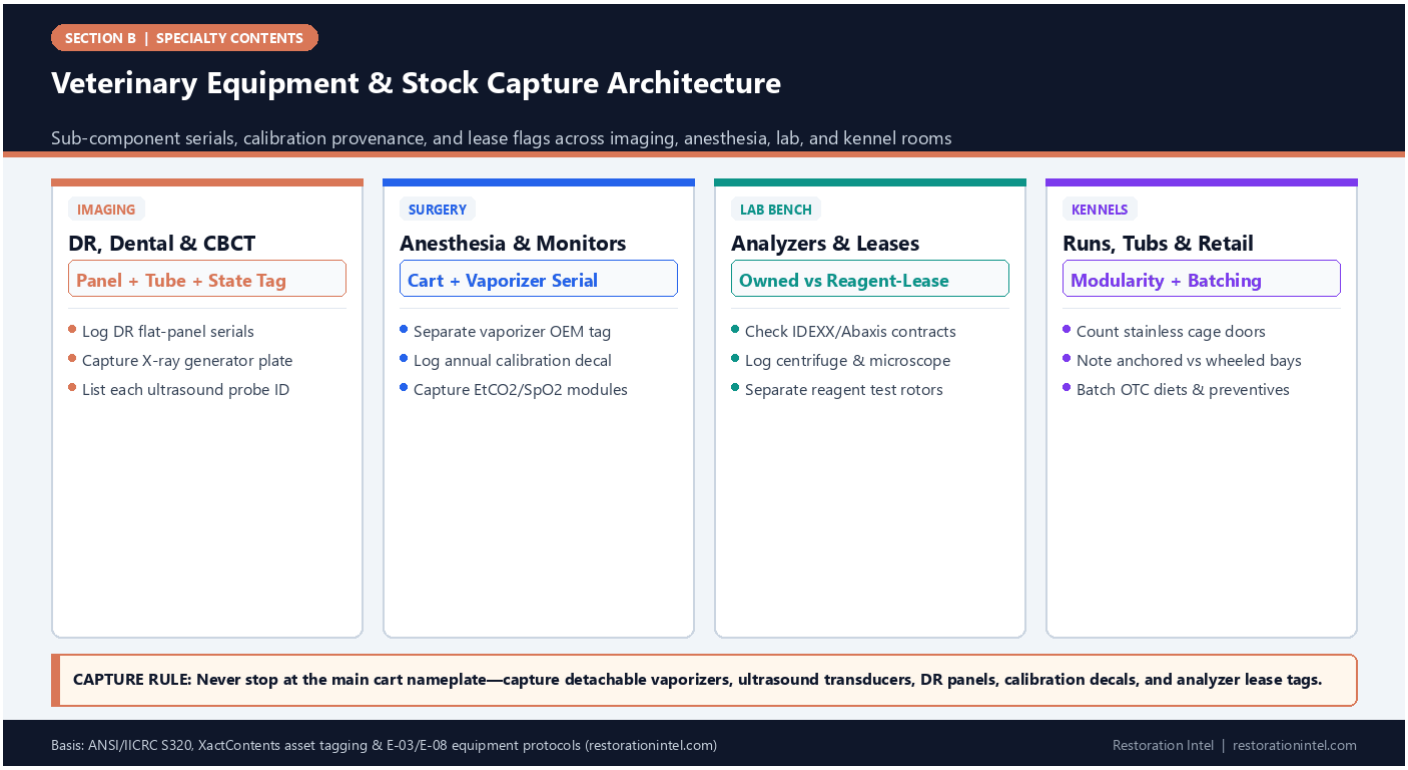
• Check vendor asset tags and placement contracts on benchtop blood chemistry and hematology analyzers to flag reagent-rental ownership.

• Photograph ceiling mounting flanges on surgical lights and plumbing/curb anchors on stainless kennel runs for Building vs BPP sorting.

• Log sterile surgical packs, non-controlled pharmacy vials, diagnostic test kits, and retail therapeutic pet foods by room and lot.

• Leave DEA-controlled veterinary narcotics safes untouched by crew; pair exterior safe photos with DVM/Practice Manager inventory logs.

Visual Workflow & Benchmark Summary



Companion Endpoints & Verified Primary Sources

• **Markdown Twin (plain text):** https://restorationintel.com/veterinary-hospitals-animal-care-facilities-capture-serial.md

• **ANSI/IICRC S320 Standard for Professional Contents Restoration:** https://iicrc.org/s320/

• **Verisk XactContents Platform Overview:** https://www.verisk.com/products/xactcontents/

• **OSHA 1910.132 Personal Protective Equipment Standard:** https://www.osha.gov/laws-regs/regulations/standardnumber/1910/1910.132

• **OSHA 1910.1030 Bloodborne Pathogens Standard:** https://www.osha.gov/laws-regs/regulations/standardnumber/1910/1910.1030

• **Restoration Industry Association (RIA):** https://www.restorationindustry.org/