

## **Sabados Vet joins the LuxVet Group, opening new opportunities for growth in Romania**



**LuxVet Group continues to grow its presence in Romania. Sabados Vet, a leading clinic in Satu Mare, headed by veterinarian Florin Sabados, has joined the network. It is the first facility in this region that becomes part of the LuxVet Group. Importantly, the partnership also includes support in building a modern veterinary**

**hospital, which is being established in this city.**

The Sabados Vet Clinic, located on Arinului Street in Satu Mare, has been operating continuously since 2005 and enjoys the trust of local animal owners. The facility offers, among other services, soft tissue surgery, diagnostic imaging (including X-rays and endoscopy), dental care, and specialist consultations. In recent years, it has undergone modernization, allowing it to better meet the needs of patients and their owners by expanding its range of services.

The founder and owner of the clinic is Florin Sabados, a veterinarian with nearly 20 years of experience and a strong reputation in the local market. In addition to the clinic, he also runs a second facility and is currently developing a project to build a modern veterinary hospital, which should serve as a reference hospital for the entire region, staffed by top specialists, including board-certified diplomates.

*“We’ve spent years earning the trust of our patients. Now we want to take the next step and create a hospital that meets the growing needs of pet owners and raises the standard of care across the region. In the LuxVet Group, we have found a partner who shares our vision and supports us in both organizational and professional development,”* says veterinarian Florin Sabados, founder of Sabados Vet.



*"Florin Sabados is a highly experienced doctor who isn't afraid to think big. We are excited to be working together on such an ambitious project as the construction of a modern hospital. It is a perfect example of a partnership that truly enhances the quality of animal care,"* says Piotr Zajączkowski, President of the LuxVet Group.

**LuxVet Group** is one of the largest platforms integrating veterinary facilities in Central and Eastern Europe. It brings together the existing veterinary facilities, from smaller practices to specialized clinics, providing their founders with capital support and access to cutting-edge solutions and best practices. The collaboration follows a flexible partnership business model based on respect for the past achievements of the integrated entities. The facilities that join the Group retain their brand and local identity, and their founders remain actively involved in their further growth. Additionally, the LuxVet Group's mission is to increase employee satisfaction by raising working standards in the industry.

Over the 3 years of its existence, the LuxVet Group has grown to be a leading veterinary platform in Poland, bringing together more than 50 practices and facilities. In September, the Group opened Veterio in Warsaw, the largest referral veterinary clinic in the region, with 2,200 square meters of space, including a 24-hour emergency room with an intensive care unit, 13 consulting rooms and 5 operating rooms.

While continuing to grow in Poland, the Group also began to expand into other markets in Central and Eastern Europe. In Romania, the Group was joined by facilities ran by the best doctors in the country, including PetStuff, the largest veterinary hospital in the country.

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### **About the LuxVet Group**

The Group has been consolidating and developing the veterinary sector in Central and Eastern Europe through a flexible partnership business model based on respect for the past achievements of the entities being integrated. By working with doctors and owners of leading animal health institutions and building its first clinic for small animals in Poland, the LuxVet Group develops top quality veterinarian services and raises the standards of work in the veterinary sector.



The Group has secured capital support from investment funds: Cheyne Strategic Value Credit ("Cheyne SVC"), part of Cheyne Capital, a global leader in alternative investments; Petcare Growth Fund, managed by 1 Asset Management, an investor in the largest network of veterinary clinics in the Baltic countries, funds managed by Oaktree Capital Management L.P. as (the majority shareholder, which is also a shareholder in UNAVETS Group, a veterinary platform similar to LuxVet and a market leader in the Iberian Peninsula), Cornerstone Investment Management and INVL Baltic Sea Growth Fund.

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