

## **Low 6- point Nerve Block**

**Needle:** 25/22 gauge

**Anaesthetic Volume:** 2-5 cc for each nerve

### **Nerves Blocked:**

1. Lateral Plantar Metatarsal Nerve
  2. Medial Plantar Metatarsal Nerve
  3. Lateral Plantar Nerve
  4. Medial Plantar Nerve
  5. Lateral and Medial Dorsal Metatarsal Nerve Location: Plantar Metatarsal Nerves:
    - Positioned distal or axial to the splint bone, adjacent to the 3rd Metatarsal
    - Close proximity to the fetlock joint pouch Plantar Nerves:
    - Located between the deep digital flexor tendon (DDFT) and suspensory ligament, 3-5 cm proximal to the base of the splint bone
    - Near the flexor tendon sheath Dorsal Metatarsal Nerves:
    - Situated on either side of the extensor tendon
    - Subcutaneous dorsal ring at the level of the plantar metatarsal nerves
- Blocks the Plantar Fetlock area:
- Fetlock Joint
  - Proximal Sesamoid Bones
  - Distal Flexor Tendons
  - Digital Flexor Tendon Sheath
  - Entire distal Limb