

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2021

Veterinary professional life 301 (VPL 301)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Veterinary Science
Module credits	6.00
NQF Level	07
Programmes	BVSc
Prerequisites	VPL 201. Third year academic level and admission to relevant programme
Contact time	1 discussion class per week, 1 lecture per week, 1 other contact session per week over 14 weeks
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Veterinary Tropical Diseases
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

This module focuses on community engagement, gender-based issues and teamwork. The One Health, One Welfare concept is applied in the community engagement context. The principles of dog population management are introduced. Veterinary communication skills and marketing are further developed within the context of the veterinary practice and the community setting, in particular engaging with learners and teachers in schools. The skills learnt in this and previous modules are applied practically in a group assignment involving a community-based activity.

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