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Veterinary core practice 603 (VCP 603)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Veterinary Science
Module credits	54.00
Programmes	BVeterinary Science Veterinary Science
Prerequisites	All modules up to and including the 9th semester of the BVSc curriculum.
Contact time	Yes, 40 hours per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Production Animal Studies
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

Practical application of the theoretical aspects of small animal, production animal, equine and state veterinary practice covered in the core curriculum of the BVSc programme. Topics include medicine, surgery, reproduction, diagnostic imaging, pathology and clinical pathology, ophthalmology, dentistry and anaesthesiology of cats, dogs, cattle, small stock and horses, herd/flock health, epidemiology, economics, drug regulations, certification, animal health- and import/export regulations, veterinary public health, veterinary business management and veterinary professional life skills. The emphasis of practical exposure will be on attaining of the Day One Competencies for graduating veterinary professionals.

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