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Veterinary immunology 220 (VIM 220)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Veterinary Science
Module credits	6.00
Programmes	BVeterinary Science Veterinary Science
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	6 lectures per day over 7 days, 1 seminar
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Veterinary Tropical Diseases
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

Overview of the immune system, structure of antibodies, biosynthesis of immunoglobulins, antigen-receptor interaction, complement, humoral immune response, cellular immune response, selected immunodiagnostic techniques, vaccinology, basic principles of immunity to infectious and parasitic diseases.

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