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Veterinary immunology 220 (VIM 220)

Qualification Undergraduate

Faculty [Faculty of Veterinary Science](#)

Module credits 6.00

Programmes [BVSc](#)

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 6 lectures per day over 7 days, 1 seminar

Language of tuition Module is presented in 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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