

## University of Pretoria Yearbook 2018

## Basic veterinary epidemiology 851 (EPL 851)

| Qualification          | Postgraduate  |
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| Faculty                | Faculty of Veterinary Science   |
| Module credits         | 10.00   |
| Programmes             | MSc Veterinary Epidemiology (Coursework)  |
|                        | MSc Veterinary Public Health (Coursework)   |
| Prerequisites          | A BVSc or equivalent qualification. Non-veterinary graduates will be considered under exceptional circumstances. Recommended: Grade 12 Mathematics. |
| Contact time           | 1 other contact session per week, 1 web-based period per week   |
| Language of tuition    | Module is presented in English  |
| Department             | Production Animal Studies   |
| Period of presentation | Semester 1  |

## Module content

An introductory module in veterinary epidemiology designed to provide a sound foundation in epidemiology that can be applied in practice and upon which further studies can be built. The module covers aspects of population medicine, disease outbreak investigation, clinical epidemiology, experimental studies, observational studies, surveys, basic analytical tools and diagnostic tests

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