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Wildlife health introduction 812 (WLS 812)

Qualification Postgraduate

Faculty [Faculty of Veterinary Science](#)

Module credits 15.00

Programmes [MSc Wildlife Health, Ecology and Management \(Coursework\)](#)

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Production Animal Studies

Period of presentation Semester 1 or Semester 2

Module content

This elective module is an introduction to wildlife diseases for students that have not done a veterinary degree. It provides students with an understanding of different disease groups, their life cycles, their pathogenesis, how they are identified and legislation relevant to disease control. It also covers Primary animal health care and veterinary public health relevant to wildlife management.

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