

**Application for Doctor of Veterinary Medicine
Supplementary application form**

Please read the Doctor of Veterinary Medicine Admission Guide before completing your application.

A. Personal Details

Please provide your personal details as shown on your passport.

Applicant Details			
Title	Mr <input type="checkbox"/> Miss <input type="checkbox"/> Mrs <input type="checkbox"/> Ms <input type="checkbox"/> Dr <input type="checkbox"/> Other:		
First Name/s			
Last name			
Applicant Number*		Telephone	
Email address			

*you will be assigned an applicant number when you commence your online application in the Sydney Student portal

B. Pre-requisites

Please indicate which pre-requisite requirements you believe that you have met (after reviewing the course equivalents <http://sydney.edu.au/vetscience/dvm/prerequisites.shtml>). Pre-requisite studies must have been completed in the last 10 years.*

Pre-requisite subject	Code and name of unit(s) completed	University	Credit points*	# Credit points in a full time load (1 year)*	Grade/ Mark	Year Completed	Office use only
<i>Example: Biology</i>	<i>BIOL111 introduction to biology</i>	<i>Henderson University</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>69 CR</i>	<i>2011</i>	
Biology							
General chemistry (physical and inorganic)							
Organic Chemistry							
Biochemistry							
Required Attachments						Completed	
**Attachment of original certified copy of your official academic transcript showing details of the units/subjects and a detailed outline for each of the unit/subjects listed above.						<input type="checkbox"/>	

*Credit point values vary between different universities; therefore information about credit point values at the university at which you completed your pre-requisites is required to assess the relative volume of study.

*Pre-requisite studies completed more than 10 years before the time of application may be considered at the Dean's discretion

** The unit of study outlines should come from an official publication of the Provider University, such as the School handbook. Your application for admission to the Doctor of Veterinary Medicine will not be considered without this information.

C. Admission Statement

This statement will be used as part of the selection process for all graduate entry applicants to the Doctor of Veterinary Medicine. A digital copy of your signed admission statement and supporting documents must be uploaded and attached to your online application for the Doctor of Veterinary Medicine.

The purpose of the admission statement is to determine your interest in, and commitment to animal health and welfare and a career in veterinary practice, industry or research. You should provide evidence of this through relevant experience in some or all of the following areas:

- Animal production industries such as sheep, cattle, pigs, goats, horses and poultry
- Veterinary clinical practices
- Other relevant animal industry experience including government bodies, charities and research organisations

You must attach supporting documents as evidence for each experience listed (reference, certificate, statement from employer, etc).

To be considered for admission, you must have completed a **minimum of 4 weeks of experience, a substantial portion of which must have been completed within the 2 years prior to application** (the equivalent of 28 working days). The experience must involve direct contact and hands-on experience with animals. Ideally, some of this experience would be completed in a veterinary practice. This is to enable our students to make a smooth transition into the Veterinary Teaching Hospital environment.

i. Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Experience

Please outline your relevant experience by completing the table provided at the end of the form. **Insert additional copies of the table as required to outline all of your experiences.** Please complete one table for each work experience location. Your supporting document/s should be attached as a single digital file with your online application.

Example

TOTAL HOURS of <u>all</u> Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Experience:		
Organisation details		
Name of organisation:		
Type of organisation:	<i>Eg. Private Practice, Research, Commercial, Rural, Farm etc</i>	
List of Species worked with:	<i>Eg. Small, Large, Exotic/Avian, Porcine, Zoo Animal/Wildlife, Equine, Marine, Food Animal, other</i>	
Location:		
Title of position:	<i>Eg. Nurse. Kennel-hand, unpaid help, observer</i>	
Recognition Type:	<i>Eg. Paid/Volunteer</i>	
Period of appointment:	<i>Insert the dates worked here</i>	
Hours worked per week:	<i>Eg.15 hours per week</i>	
Total Weeks:		
Total Hours:		
Please describe the workplace setting:	<i>Eg. Livestock nutrition consultancy, small animal hospital, vet pathology lab, zoo, animal shelter</i>	

Please describe the workplace operation:	<i>What is the purpose of this operation?</i>
Please describe your responsibilities and daily duties in this role:	<i>E.g. observed, cleaned, fed animals, administration, assisted with procedures</i>
For a suitable contact person who can validate the information above, please provide:	
Full Name and title:	
Relationship to the applicant:	<i>Eg. Supervisor, Colleague</i>
Email Address:	
Contact Number:	
Experience Timeframe:	<i>Eg. During my undergraduate education</i>

- ii. **There are many career choices within the veterinary profession. What are your future career goals and why?** *(Maximum of 170 words or less)*

- iii. **In what ways do veterinarians contribute to society and what do you hope to contribute?** *(Maximum of 170 words or less)*

- iv. **Consider the breadth of society which veterinarians serve. What attributes do you believe are essential to be successful within the veterinary profession? Of these attributes, which do you possess and how have you demonstrated these in the past?**
(Maximum of 170 words or less)

I certify that all details I have provided are complete and correct. I am aware that University Admissions staff may contact the organisations listed to verify my experiences. I authorise the University of Sydney to obtain any document or information from any institution or business I have attended and to take other steps as necessary to verify the accuracy of information provided. I understand that my application for admission and any offer of admission or enrolment may be varied or cancelled if any information supplied by me is incorrect or incomplete.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Templates

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Type of organisation:		
List of Species worked with:		
Location:		
Title of position:		
Recognition Type:		
Period of appointment:		
Hours worked per week:		
Total Weeks:		
Total Hours:		
Please describe the workplace setting:		
Please describe the workplace operation:		
Please describe your responsibilities and daily duties in this role:		
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Full Name and title:		
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Experience Timeframe:		

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