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What type of calendar system is your program on?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Semester	87.5%	7
Quarter	0.0%	0
Other (please specify)	12.5%	1
<i>answered question</i>		8
Number	Other (please specify)	
1	self-paced semester	

Is admission to the veterinary technology program open or selective? (This is admission to veterinary technology core courses only and not general education courses.)		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Open	50.0%	4
Selective	50.0%	4
<i>answered question</i>		8

What is your institution classified as?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Public University	25.0%	2
Public Community College	62.5%	5
Private Institution - For Profit	12.5%	1
Private Institution - Not for Profit	0.0%	0
<i>answered question</i>		8

Does your Program offer a VA (Veterinary Assistant) certificate?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Yes	50.0%	4
No	50.0%	4
<i>answered question</i>		8

ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

Does your Veterinary Technology Program offer an Associate, Diploma or Certificate program?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Yes	100.0%	8
No	0.0%	0
<i>answered question</i>		8

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What type of Associate/Diploma/Certificate program(s) are granted to Veterinary Technology Program graduates? (Check as many as apply.)		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Associate of Applied Science	62.5%	5
Associate of Specialized Technology	0.0%	0
Associate in/of Science	25.0%	2
Associate in/of Health Science	12.5%	1
Associate in Arts	0.0%	0
Occupational Associates	0.0%	0
Certificate/Diploma	0.0%	0
Other (please specify)		0
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

What are the total number of credit hours of the Associate/Certificate/Diploma degree?			
Answer Options	Range of Responses	Response Average	Response Count
Credit Hours	57-77	69	7
<i>answered question</i>			7
<i>skipped question</i>			1

What are the total number of clock hours for: (An example of a student clock hour: If each credit hour equals 3 hours of lecture/lab time then a 3 credit hour course would equal 9 contact hours. Add the total student contact hours for each course to reach the grand total.)			
Answer Options	[Range of Responses]	Response Average	Response Count
Externships/preceptorships for Associate/Certificate/Diploma	[80-820]*	359	5
Veterinary Technician prefix courses		<i>Responses Removed**</i>	
General education courses (including prerequisites)		<i>Responses Removed**</i>	
Total clock hours		<i>Responses Removed**</i>	
<i>answered question</i>			6
<i>skipped question</i>			2
<i>*Outliers have been removed for this question.</i>			
<i>**Due to the number of incorrect responses, these responses will not be reported.</i>			

How much does it cost a student to complete the Associate/Diploma/Certificate degree program for the 2010-2011 academic year?			
<i>This is total cost to student from admission to graduation. Include program related fees, uniforms, field trips, and textbooks. DO NOT include room and board costs. Fill in all fields that apply. If fees are not determined by state or district, then fill in the "all students" field.</i>			
Answer Options	Range of Responses	Response Average	Response Count
In-State	\$4,650-20,500	\$10,360	5
In-District			0
Out-of-State	\$2,820-\$23,549	\$13,911	4
Out-of District			0
All students	\$7,040-\$12,500	\$10,153	3

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How many Associate/Certificate/Diploma degree graduates did you have for the following academic years? Provide a headcount for all rows.

Answer Options		Total for all schools	School Average	Response Count
2009-2010		200	25	8
2008-2009		203	25	8
2007-2008		155	19	8
<i>answered question</i>				8
<i>skipped question</i>				0

BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAMS

Does your Veterinary Technology Program offer a Bachelor program?

Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Yes	12.5%	1
No	87.5%	7
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

What type of Bachelor program(s) are granted? Check as many as apply.

Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Bachelor of/in Science	0.0%	0
Bachelor of/in Animal Science	0.0%	0
Other (please specify)		1
<i>answered question</i>		1
<i>skipped question</i>		8
Number	Other (please specify)	
1	Bachelor of Applied Science	

What are the total number of credit hours for the Bachelor degree curriculum?

Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
Credit Hours	120	1
<i>answered question</i>		1

What are the total number of clock hours of any externships/preceptorships for a Bachelor degree?

Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
Clock Hours	0	1
<i>answered question</i>		1

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What are the total number of student clock hours to complete the Bachelor degree? (Include only veterinary technician prefix courses, not gen ed) (An example of a student clock hour: If each credit hour equals 3 hours of lecture/lab time then a 3 credit hour course would equal 9 contact hours. Add the total student contact hours for each course to reach the grand total.)*

Answer Options*		Response Average	Response Count
Total Hours		630	1
<i>answered question</i>			1

How much does it cost a student to complete the Bachelor degree program for the 2009-2010 academic year?

This is total cost to student from admission to graduation. Include program related fees, uniforms, field trips, and textbooks. DO NOT include room and board costs. Fill in all fields that apply. If fees are not determined by state or district, then fill in the "all students" field.

Answer Options		Response Average	Response Count
In-State		\$16,350	1
In-District			0
Out-of-State		\$52,000	1
Out-of District			0
All students			0
<i>answered question</i>			1

How many Bachelor degree graduates did you have for the following academic years? Provide a headcount for all rows.

Answer Options		School Average	Response Count
2009-2010		29	1
2008-2009		21	1
2007-2008		19	1
<i>answered question</i>			1

How many students are enrolled in the bachelor degree program for 2010-2011 in total? Total all students regardless of their academic year status.

Answer Options		Response Average	Response Count
Total Students		124	1
<i>answered question</i>			1

START OF GENERAL QUESTIONS FOR ALL PROGRAMS

What was the average tuition cost per credit hour for the previous 2009-2010 academic year for your institution?

Answer Options		Response Average	Response Count
Credit Hour Cost	Range of Responses \$70-\$315	\$131	8
<i>answered question</i>			8
<i>skipped question</i>			0

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How many Veterinary Technology Program students are enrolled for the 2010-2011 academic year? Please total full- and part-time, day, evening, associate, and bachelor degree students.

Answer Options	Total for all schools	School Average	Response Count
First Year	11,054	1382	8
Second Year	798	100	8
Third Year	72	18	4
Fourth Year	32	16	2
<i>answered question</i>			8

Are students required to come to campus at some point during the program?

Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Yes	25.0%	2
No	37.5%	3
No, but voluntary opportunities exist	37.5%	3
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

What is the average number of students per instructor for online courses? (This includes instructors or support personnel who are also in the lab.)

Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
Total Students	44	8
<i>answered question</i>		8

What is your graduate job placement rate?

Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
Placement rate	100%	8
<i>answered question</i>		8

What is the maximum capacity of students each online course can accommodate?

Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
Number of Students	61	8
<i>answered question</i>		8

What percentage is the gender of your student body for the current academic year?

Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
Male	6.2%	6
Female	94.7%	7
<i>answered question</i>		7
<i>skipped question</i>		1

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What is the ethnic composition percentages of program students enrolled in the current academic year?

Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
White/Caucasian	86.7%	7
African American	5.5%	6
Hispanic	6.3%	6
Asian	1.4%	5
Native American	2.4%	5
Other/Unknown	0.6%	5
<i>answered question</i>		7
<i>skipped question</i>		1

How many veterinarians are employed with the program?

Answer Options	Number of veterinarians	Response Frequency
Full-time	0	0.0%
	1	50.0%
	2	12.5%
	3	0.0%
	4	0.0%
	5	37.5%
	6	0.0%
	7	0.0%
	8	0.0%
	9	0.0%
Part-time (permanent part-time)	10+	0.0%
	0	71.4%
	1	14.3%
	2	0.0%
	3	14.3%
	4	0.0%
	5	0.0%
	6	0.0%
	7	0.0%
	8	0.0%
Adjunct (course-by-course basis)	9	0.0%
	10+	0.0%
	0	66.7%
	1	16.7%
	2	0.0%
	3	0.0%
	4	16.7%
	5	0.0%
	6	0.0%
	7	0.0%
8	0.0%	
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

How many veterinary technicians are employed with the program?

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Answer Options	Number of vet techs	Response Frequency
Full-time	0	0.0%
	1	12.5%
	2	12.5%
	3	37.5%
	4	37.5%
	5	0.0%
	6	0.0%
	7	0.0%
	8	0.0%
	9	0.0%
	10+	0.0%
Part-time (permanent part-time)	0	42.9%
	1	14.3%
	2	0.0%
	3	28.6%
	4	14.3%
	5	0.0%
	6	0.0%
	7	0.0%
	8	0.0%
	9	0.0%
	10+	0.0%
Adjunct (course-by-course basis)	0	42.9%
	1	14.3%
	2	0.0%
	3	0.0%
	4	0.0%
	5	0.0%
	6	14.3%
	7	0.0%
	8	14.3%
	9	14.3%
	10+	0.0%
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

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How many other faculty/instructors/staff are employed by the program? Only include those directly involved with program administration or instruction. Do not include general education faculty.

Answer Options	Number of other staff	Response Frequency
Full-time	0	62.5%
	1	25.0%
	2	0.0%
	3	0.0%
	4	0.0%
	5+	12.5%
Part-time (permanent part-time)	0	71.4%
	1	14.3%
	2	14.3%
	3	0.0%
	4	0.0%
	5+	0.0%
Adjunct (course-by-course basis)	0	100.0%
	1	0.0%
	2	0.0%
	3	0.0%
	4	0.0%
	5+	0.0%
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

What is the average teaching load for full-time faculty by student contact hours per week? ONLY for the academic year starting in Fall 2010 through Spring 2011.

Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
0-8	12.5%	1
9-16	37.5%	3
17-24	12.5%	1
25-32	37.5%	3
33-40	0.0%	0
40 or more	0.0%	0
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

What is the average teaching load for full-time faculty by student contact hours per week? ONLY for summer sessions.

Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
0-8	75.0%	6
9-16	0.0%	0
17-24	12.5%	1
25-32	12.5%	1
33-40	0.0%	0
40 or more	0.0%	0
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

How long are full-time faculty contracted for?

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Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
9-10 months	50.0%	4
11-12 months	50.0%	4
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

What are the minimum contact hours that your institution considers to be full-time?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
25 or less	62.5%	5
26-30	25.0%	2
31-35	12.5%	1
36-40	0.0%	0
41 or more	0.0%	0
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

What is the average salary on a 12 month basis for full-time faculty?		
Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
Veterinarians	\$72,818	8
Veterinary Technicians	\$42,648	8
<i>answered question</i>		8

What is the average wage for part-time faculty by student contact hour?		
Answer Options*	Response Average	Response Count
Veterinarians	\$20	2
Veterinary Technicians	\$16	2
<i>answered question</i>		2

What is the average wage for adjunct faculty by student contact hour?		
Answer Options*	Response Average	Response Count
Veterinarians	\$50	6
Veterinary Technicians	\$48	6
<i>*Outliers have been removed for this question.</i>		

PROGRAM DIRECTOR QUESTIONS

As program director, you are a:		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Veterinary Technician	25.0%	2
Veterinarian	75.0%	6
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

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Your highest degree:		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
AS/AA	0.0%	0
BS/BA	14.3%	1
Master's	0.0%	0
DVM/VMD	57.1%	4
PhD	14.3%	1
Specialty	14.3%	1
Other (please specify)		1
<i>answered question</i>		7
<i>skipped question</i>		1
Number	Other (please specify)	
1	EdD	

How long have you served as program director?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Less than 6 months	0.0%	0
6 months - 1 Year	0.0%	0
2-4 years	37.5%	3
5-7 years	25.0%	2
8-10 years	12.5%	1
11-13 years	12.5%	1
14-16 years	0.0%	0
17-19 years	0.0%	0
20 years or more	12.5%	1
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

What is the term of your contract?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
9-10 months	50.0%	4
11-12 months	50.0%	4
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

What is your salary range?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Less than \$30,000 per year	0.0%	0
\$30,000 to \$39,999 per year	0.0%	0
\$40,000 to \$49,999 per year	0.0%	0
\$50,000 to \$59,999 per year	0.0%	0
\$60,000 to \$69,999 per year	37.5%	3
\$70,000 to \$79,999 per year	0.0%	0
\$80,000 to \$89,999 per year	25.0%	2
\$90,000 to \$99,999 per year	12.5%	1
\$100,000 or more	25.0%	2
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

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Do you have an administrative assistant or clerical support assigned to you?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Yes	100.0%	8
No	0.0%	0
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

How many hours per week do you have clerical support for?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Less than 10 hours	12.5%	1
11-15 hours	0.0%	0
16-20 hours	0.0%	0
21-25 hours	0.0%	0
26-30 hours	12.5%	1
31-35 hours	0.0%	0
36-40 hours	75.0%	6
<i>answered question</i>		8
<i>skipped question</i>		0

GENERAL QUESTIONS

Describe the teaching contact hours per week that you are required to do.		
Answer Options	Teaching Contact Hours	Response Frequency
Fall	1-10	14.3%
	11-20	57.1%
	21-30	14.3%
	31-40	14.3%
	41-50	0.0%
	50+	0.0%
Spring	1-10	14.3%
	11-20	57.1%
	21-30	14.3%
	31-40	14.3%
	41-50	0.0%
	50+	0.0%
Summer	1-10	80.0%
	11-20	0.0%
	21-30	0.0%
	31-40	20.0%
	41-50	0.0%
	50+	0.0%
Winter	1-10	100.0%
	11-20	0.0%
	21-30	0.0%
	31-40	0.0%
	41-50	0.0%
	50+	0.0%
<i>answered question</i>		7
<i>skipped question</i>		1

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Describe the non-teaching contact hours per week that you are required to do.		
Answer Options	Non-Teaching Contact Hours	Response Frequency
Fall	1-10	12.5%
	11-20	37.5%
	21-30	12.5%
	31-40	25.0%
	41-50	12.5%
	50+	0.0%
Spring	1-10	12.5%
	11-20	37.5%
	21-30	12.5%
	31-40	25.0%
	41-50	12.5%
	50+	0.0%
Summer	1-10	16.7%
	11-20	33.3%
	21-30	0.0%
	31-40	33.3%
	41-50	16.7%
	50+	0.0%
Winter	1-10	0.0%
	11-20	0.0%
	21-30	33.3%
	31-40	33.3%
	41-50	33.3%
	50+	0.0%
<i>answered question</i>		8