

## 2010-2011 Program Director Survey: Traditional Program

What type of calendar system is your program on?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Semester	63.4%	102
Quarter	24.2%	39
Other (please specify)	12.4%	20
<i>answered question</i>		<b>161</b>
Number	Other (please specify)	
1	18 Week Terms	
2	18-19 week Terms	
3	6 week (a.m.) or 7 week (p.m.) Sequences	
4	6 week (days) or 7 week (nights) sequences	
5	8-week terms, 2 terms = 1 semester	
6	Four 18 wk terms, followed by a fifth 16 week term	
7	four unequal terms, alternating 12 weeks and 6 weeks, with equivalent contact hours	
8	Month	
9	monthly	
10	Monthly	
11	Monthly courses	
12	non-standard term	
13	non-traditional year round semester system	
14	Quarter now but will be beginning semester fall 2011	
15	rolling admission sequential	
16	Sequences: 6 weeks long (morning) / 7 weeks (evening)	
17	Six Week Sequence	
18	We have eight-week terms; 2 terms equal one semester.	
19	Wheel with 6-7 week classes	
20	Year round. 10 week phases	

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	46.0%	74
Selective	54.0%	87
<i>answered question</i>		<b>161</b>

What is your institution classified as?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Public University	11.8%	19
Public Community College	47.8%	77
Private Institution - For Profit	32.3%	52
Private Institution - Not for Profit	8.1%	13
<i>answered question</i>		<b>161</b>

Does your Program offer a VA (Veterinary Assistant) certificate?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Yes	16.8%	27
No	83.2%	134
<i>answered question</i>		<b>161</b>

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### ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

Does your Veterinary Technology Program offer an Associate, Diploma or Certificate program?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Yes	95.0%	153
No	5.0%	8
<i>answered question</i>		<b>161</b>

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	74.8%	113
Associate of Specialized Technology	3.3%	5
Associate in/of Science	17.2%	26
Associate in/of Health Science	0.7%	1
Associate in Arts	0.7%	1
Occupational Associates	4.0%	6
Certificate/Diploma	4.0%	6
Other (please specify)		0
<i>answered question</i>		<b>151</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>10</b>

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	60-135	83	147
<i>answered question</i>			<b>150</b>
<i>skipped question</i>			<b>11</b>
<i>*Outliers have been removed for this question.</i>			

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	[80-960]*	330	152
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>			<b>152</b>
<i>skipped question</i>			<b>9</b>
<i>*Outliers have been updated with the correct responses.</i>			
<i>**Due to the number of incorrect responses, these responses will not be reported.</i>			

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### How much does it cost a student to complete the Associate/Diploma/Certificate degree program for the 2010-2011 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*	Range of Responses	Response Average	Response Count
In-State	\$1,240-\$52,080	\$12,653	74
In-District	\$1,240-\$36,318	\$11,033	34
Out-of-State	\$2,996-\$60,940	\$20,761	77
Out-of District	\$1,240-\$41,000	\$12,545	27
All students	\$1,240-\$76,319	\$30,611	72
<i>*Outliers have been removed for this question.</i>			

### 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	4,248	28	151
2008-2009	3,837	26	148
2007-2008	3,405	23	145
<i>answered question</i>			<b>151</b>
<i>skipped question</i>			<b>10</b>

## BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAMS

### Does your Veterinary Technology Program offer a Bachelor program?

Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Yes	12.4%	20
No	87.6%	141
<i>answered question</i>		<b>161</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>0</b>

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

Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Bachelor of/in Science	87.5%	14
Bachelor of/in Animal Science	12.5%	2
Other (please specify)		5
<i>answered question</i>		<b>16</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>145</b>
Number	Other (please specify)	
1	We offer 2 concentrations in VMT - 1 in Biology and 1 in Business	
2	Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.)	
3	in Veterinary Technology	
4	Bachelor of Applied Management	
5	Bachelor of science in Veterinary Technology	

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What are the total number of credit hours for the Bachelor degree curriculum?			
Answer Options	Range of Responses	Response Average	Response Count
Credit Hours	120-193	137	20
<i>answered question</i>			20
<i>skipped question</i>			141

What are the total number of clock hours of any externships/preceptorships for a Bachelor degree?			
Answer Options*	Range of Responses	Response Average	Response Count
Clock Hours	12-1200	459	20
<i>answered question</i>			20
<i>skipped question</i>			141
<i>*Outliers have been updated with the correct responses.</i>			

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.)*			
<i>*This question was entirely removed due to the amount of incorrect responses.</i>			

How much does it cost a student to complete the Bachelor degree program for the 2009-2010 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	\$2,800-\$47,580	\$26,102	10
In-District	\$29,096-\$32,000	\$30,548	2
Out-of-State	\$8,600-\$118,380	\$53,449	10
Out-of District	\$56,000-\$56,000	\$56,000	1
All students	\$34,000-\$140,000	\$87,987	11
<i>*Outliers have been removed for this question.</i>			

How many Bachelor 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	335	17	20
2008-2009	303	15	20
2007-2008	287	14	20
<i>answered question</i>			20
<i>skipped question</i>			141

How many students are enrolled in the bachelor degree program for 2010-2011 in total? Total all students regardless of their academic year status.			
	Response Total	Response Average	Response Count
Total Students	2,090	105	20
<i>answered question</i>			20
<i>skipped question</i>			141

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### 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*	Range of Responses	Response Average	Response Count
Credit Hour Cost	\$11-\$830	\$228	153
<i>answered question</i>			<b>156</b>
<i>skipped question</i>			<b>5</b>
<i>*Outliers have been removed for this question.</i>			

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	8,878	55	160
Second Year	5,972	37	160
Third Year	733	12	60
Fourth Year	573	10	56

Are any veterinary technology courses offered online?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Yes	19.4%	31
No	80.6%	129
<i>answered question</i>		<b>160</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>1</b>

What is the average number of students per instructor in the following situations: This includes instructional support personnel.		
Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
Lectures	25	161
Laboratories with large animals	10	159
Laboratories with small animals	9	161
Laboratories without live animals	13	158
<i>answered question</i>		<b>161</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>0</b>
<i>*Outliers have been removed for this question.</i>		

What is your graduate job placement rate?		
Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
Placement rate	89%	160
<i>answered question</i>		<b>160</b>

What is the maximum capacity of students your program can accommodate?		
Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
Number of Students	119	157
<i>answered question</i>		<b>157</b>

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What percentage is the gender of your student body for the current academic year?		
Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
Male	8.4%	155
Female	91.9%	160
<i>answered question</i>		<b>160</b>

What is the ethnic composition percentages of program students enrolled in the current academic year?		
Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
White/Caucasian	84.7%	156
African American	4.1%	123
Hispanic	8.5%	131
Asian	2.2%	101
Native American	1.2%	90
Other/Unknown	5.9%	90
<i>answered question</i>		<b>157</b>

How many veterinarians are employed with the program?		
Answer Options	Number of veterinarians	Response Frequency
Full-time	0	2.5%
	1	59.1%
	2	25.8%
	3	6.3%
	4	3.8%
	5	2.5%
	6	0.0%
	7	0.0%
	8	0.0%
	9	0.0%
	10+	0.0%
Part-time (permanent part-time)	0	74.2%
	1	19.2%
	2	5.0%
	3	0.8%
	4	0.0%
	5	0.8%
	6	0.0%
	7	0.0%
	8	0.0%
	9	0.0%
	10+	0.0%
Adjunct (course-by-course basis)	0	29.7%
	1	35.9%
	2	16.6%
	3	7.6%
	4	3.4%
	5	4.1%
	6	1.4%
	7	0.7%
	8	0.0%
	9	0.0%
	10+	0.7%
<i>answered question</i>		<b>161</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>0</b>

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<b>How many veterinary technicians are employed with the program?</b>		
<b>Answer Options</b>	<b>Number of vet techs</b>	<b>Response Frequency</b>
Full-time	0	0.0%
	1	31.4%
	2	27.7%
	3	15.7%
	4	10.7%
	5	6.9%
	6	3.8%
	7	0.6%
	8	1.3%
	9	0.0%
	10+	1.9%
Part-time (permanent part-time)	0	54.5%
	1	22.3%
	2	10.7%
	3	9.1%
	4	0.8%
	5	0.8%
	6	0.8%
	7	0.8%
	8	0.0%
	9	0.0%
	10+	0.0%
Adjunct (course-by-course basis)	0	24.6%
	1	26.1%
	2	19.0%
	3	8.5%
	4	5.6%
	5	4.9%
	6	4.2%
	7	1.4%
	8	2.1%
	9	0.0%
	10+	3.5%
<b>answered question</b>		<b>161</b>
<b>skipped question</b>		<b>0</b>

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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	72.3%
	1	16.1%
	2	4.4%
	3	0.7%
	4	2.9%
	5+	3.6%
Part-time (permanent part-time)	0	81.0%
	1	15.9%
	2	0.8%
	3	1.6%
	4	0.0%
	5+	0.8%
Adjunct (course-by-course basis)	0	71.5%
	1	20.0%
	2	5.4%
	3	1.5%
	4	0.0%
	5+	1.5%
<i>answered question</i>		<b>153</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>8</b>

**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	1.3%	2
9-16	28.1%	45
17-24	46.3%	74
25-32	19.4%	31
33-40	3.8%	6
40 or more	1.3%	2
<i>answered question</i>		<b>160</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>1</b>

**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	49.0%	74
9-16	14.6%	22
17-24	21.2%	32
25-32	13.2%	20
33-40	2.0%	3
40 or more	0.0%	0
<i>answered question</i>		<b>151</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>10</b>

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How long are full-time faculty contracted for?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
9-10 months	43.8%	70
11-12 months	56.3%	90
<i>answered question</i>		<b>160</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>1</b>

What are the minimum contact hours that your institution considers to be full-time?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
25 or less	72.8%	115
26-30	14.6%	23
31-35	5.1%	8
36-40	7.0%	11
41 or more	0.6%	1
<i>answered question</i>		<b>158</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>3</b>

What is the average salary on a 12 month basis for full-time faculty?		
Answer Options	Response Average	Response Count
Veterinarians	\$72,301	152
Veterinary Technicians	\$43,883	152
<i>answered question</i>		<b>156</b>

What is the average wage for part-time faculty by student contact hour?		
Answer Options*	Response Average	Response Count
Veterinarians	\$47	44
Veterinary Technicians	\$30	53
<i>*Outliers have been removed for this question.</i>		

What is the average wage for adjunct faculty by student contact hour?		
Answer Options*	Response Average	Response Count
Veterinarians	\$48	80
Veterinary Technicians	\$32	94
<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	35.2%	56
Veterinarian	64.8%	103
<i>answered question</i>		<b>159</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>2</b>

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Your highest degree:		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
AS/AA	12.7%	20
BS/BA	11.5%	18
Master's	9.6%	15
DVM/VMD	59.9%	94
PhD	3.2%	5
Specialty	3.2%	5
Other (please specify)		6
<i>answered question</i>		<b>157</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>4</b>
Number	Other (please specify)	
1	AAS, BAS in progress	
2	Dipl ACVP	
3	Diploma	
4	DVM PhD	
5	DVM, PhD, Diplomate ACT	
6	LAT	

How long have you served as program director?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Less than 6 months	6.3%	10
6 months - 1 Year	13.1%	21
2-4 years	29.4%	47
5-7 years	16.9%	27
8-10 years	10.6%	17
11-13 years	6.3%	10
14-16 years	6.9%	11
17-19 years	3.8%	6
20 years or more	6.9%	11
<i>answered question</i>		<b>160</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>1</b>

What is the term of your contract?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
9-10 months	29.0%	45
11-12 months	71.0%	110
<i>answered question</i>		<b>155</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>6</b>

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	5.0%	8
\$40,000 to \$49,999 per year	10.1%	16
\$50,000 to \$59,999 per year	19.5%	31
\$60,000 to \$69,999 per year	18.9%	30
\$70,000 to \$79,999 per year	11.3%	18
\$80,000 to \$89,999 per year	16.4%	26
\$90,000 to \$99,999 per year	10.7%	17
\$100,000 or more	8.2%	13
<i>answered question</i>		<b>159</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>2</b>

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<b>Do you have an administrative assistant or clerical support assigned to you?</b>		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Yes	51.3%	82
No	48.8%	78
<i>answered question</i>		<b>160</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>1</b>

<b>How many hours per week do you have clerical support for?</b>		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Less than 10 hours	22.2%	18
11-15 hours	17.3%	14
16-20 hours	12.3%	10
21-25 hours	7.4%	6
26-30 hours	8.6%	7
31-35 hours	8.6%	7
36-40 hours	23.5%	19
<i>answered question</i>		<b>81</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>80</b>

### GENERAL QUESTIONS

<b>Describe the teaching contact hours per week that you are required to do.</b>		
Answer Options	Teaching Contact Hours	Response Frequency
Fall	1-10	36.5%
	11-20	52.2%
	21-30	10.7%
	31-40	0.6%
	41-50	0.0%
	50+	0.0%
Spring	1-10	33.8%
	11-20	51.9%
	21-30	13.6%
	31-40	0.6%
	41-50	0.0%
	50+	0.0%
Summer	1-10	65.6%
	11-20	27.9%
	21-30	6.6%
	31-40	0.0%
	41-50	0.0%
	50+	0.0%
Winter	1-10	51.1%
	11-20	40.9%
	21-30	8.0%
	31-40	0.0%
	41-50	0.0%
	50+	0.0%
<i>answered question</i>		<b>159</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>2</b>

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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	29.0%
	11-20	24.5%
	21-30	22.6%
	31-40	21.9%
	41-50	1.3%
	50+	0.6%
Spring	1-10	28.9%
	11-20	25.0%
	21-30	22.4%
	31-40	22.4%
	41-50	0.7%
	50+	0.7%
Summer	1-10	37.0%
	11-20	18.8%
	21-30	15.9%
	31-40	27.5%
	41-50	0.0%
	50+	0.7%
Winter	1-10	31.2%
	11-20	23.7%
	21-30	18.3%
	31-40	25.8%
	41-50	0.0%
	50+	1.1%
<i>answered question</i>		<b>156</b>

What is the approximate total square footage of the veterinary technology teaching facilities?		
<i>Total space either owned or shared that is primarily dedicated to teaching veterinary technology students. Include labs, surgical suites, radiology rms, kennels, &amp; animal holding areas. DO NOT include outside exercise areas, external barns, or office space.</i>		
Answer Options*	Response Average	Response Count
Approximate Total Square Footage:	7,333	148
<i>answered question</i>		<b>149</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>12</b>
<i>*Outliers have been removed for this question.</i>		

How many people serve on your advisory committee?		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Less than 3	0.0%	0
3-5	4.4%	7
6-8	18.9%	30
9-11	36.5%	58
12-14	19.5%	31
15-17	10.1%	16
18-20	5.7%	9
21 or more	5.0%	8
<i>answered question</i>		<b>159</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>2</b>

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<b>Is your program registered with the United State Department of Agriculture (USDA)?</b>		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Yes	80.3%	126
No	19.7%	31
<i>answered question</i>		<b>157</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>4</b>

<b>How many people serve on your Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC)?</b>		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Less than 3	1.3%	2
3-5	43.8%	70
6-8	41.9%	67
9-11	6.3%	10
12-14	1.9%	3
15-17	0.6%	1
18-20	1.9%	3
21 or more	1.9%	3
Not applicable	0.6%	1
<i>answered question</i>		<b>160</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>1</b>

<b>Are animals housed on campus?</b>		
Answer Options	Response Frequency	Response Count
Yes	74.4%	119
No	18.1%	29
Yes, but less than 24 hours	7.5%	12
<i>answered question</i>		<b>160</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>1</b>