Curriculum Details

Course Record ID

671

1. Entry Type
Active

Notes and Special Changes

Change course # to ANSC 140 to avoid conflict with ANSC 141 offered at UH Hilo: ANSC 141- Intro to Animal Science

2. Justification

3. Course Alpha
ANSC

4. Course Number
141

5. Course Title (long)
Introduction to Veterinary Technology

6. Course Title Short

7. Course Credits
3

8. Course Credit Upper Range
0

Repeatable

Will default to 98
9. Course Description
This course introduces students to the field of veterinary technology and describes the responsibilities and expectations for students enrolled in the program. Topics include: roles of the veterinary team members, legal and ethical aspects of veterinary practice, breeds of companion animals, safety, sanitation and waste-disposal protocols, and career fields in veterinary medicine.

10. Course Pre-Requisites

11. Course Co-Requisites

12. Course Recommended Preparation

13. Contact Hours (lecture, lab, lecture/lab)
3 hours lecture

14. Maximum Credits Towards an AA Degree
3

15. Department
Natural Sciences

16. Cross-Listing

17. Course Content

18. Course Competencies

19. Assessments, Tasks, and Grading
20. Auxiliary Materials and Content

21. Additional Activities outside of class and class time

22. Special Costs connected to the course

23. What are the Student Learning Outcomes?

- Describe the roles and legal boundaries of veterinary health care team members and discuss the legality of the veterinary-client-patient relationship.
- Create and maintain facility records and maintain compliance with appropriate regulatory agencies.
- Identify and describe common workplace hazards, including zoonotic diseases.
- Establish and maintain appropriate sanitation, nosocomial, and waste-disposal protocols.
- Identify common breeds of companion animals.

24. How does the proposal connect to the college's strategic plan?

This course is an integral part of the proposed A.S. in veterinary technology. This program will increase the number of STEM degrees offered by the college and also train students for employment in veterinary medicine.

25. Describe the staff that will be needed

This course can be taught by a veterinarian or veterinary technician (lecturer or full time faculty member). No other resources or materials are needed.

26. Describe the facilities that will be needed, including special rooms

27. Describe any other resources that will be needed

28. How will the staff, facilities, and other resources for the course be secured?

29. Certificates

CertVetAssist
30. Connection to the AA degree

31. Connection between the Course SLOs and the College's General Education Outcomes

32. List any similar classes taught at outside of the UH system

33. List any similar classes taught at campuses in the UH System.

34. How, if at all, is the course intended to count in lieu of a course taught at a four-year campus.

35. How, if at all, is the course similar to upper-division courses in the UH System.

36. How does the course articulate with four-year programs (Gen Ed)?

37. List any articulations between this course and any four-year program.

End of Proposal