



DESTINATION VETERINARY TECHNOLOGY

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DID YOU KNOW?

Veterinary technicians are credentialed professionals similar to human nurses. Veterinary technicians are also anesthetists, surgery technicians, radiology technicians, medical laboratory technicians, and dental hygienists.

Purdue's veterinary technology program has been AVMA accredited since 1976 and is one of only three AVMA accredited veterinary technology programs in the country affiliated with a College of Veterinary Medicine.

Purdue's veterinary technology students have a **95-100% first-time pass rate** on the Veterinary Technician National Examination (VTNE).

Veterinary technology students work with a variety of animals including small animals, large animals, laboratory animals, and exotics.

Veterinary technology students gain clinical experience in the Purdue Veterinary Teaching Hospital beginning in year two.

97-100% of veterinary technology graduates are employed six months after graduation.

TRAITS OF A SUCCESSFUL APPLICANT

- * Strong academic background
- * Knowledge of the veterinary technology profession
- * Veterinary health care or animal experience
- * Leadership experience

APPLY TODAY!

APPLICATION TIMELINE FOR COMPETITIVE SELECTION:

	FIRST-TIME COLLEGE STUDENTS	CURRENT OR FORMER PURDUE STUDENTS & TRANSFERS
APPLICATION OPEN:	August 1	January 1
APPLICATION CLOSE:	November 1	February 1
INTERVIEWS:	Late-January	Early-March
ADMISSIONS DECISIONS:	Mid-February	Late-March

For questions on admissions requirements and procedures, contact the Purdue University Office of Admissions:

Phone: (765) 494-1776 • Email: admissions@purdue.edu
www.purdue.edu/admissions

THE PURDUE ADVANTAGE

- 1 Educating the entire veterinary team
- 2 Small class size (Program class size is limited to 30 students.)
- 3 One-on-one interaction with faculty
- 4 Hands-on animal learning sessions
- 5 National award-winning educators
- 6 Emphasis on international learning experiences
- 7 Diverse and inclusive environment
- 8 Access to faculty-led research experiences
- 9 Focus on developing student leadership skills
- 10 Opportunities for community engagement



QUESTIONS? CONTACT US!

For additional program information, please contact:

VETERINARY TECHNOLOGY OFFICE

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The Veterinary Technology curriculum is not pre-vet preparation. The Center for Pre-Professional Advising in the Center for Career Opportunities provides students with information to help prepare for a career as a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine.



An equal access/equal opportunity/affirmative action university

CAREERS

THE EMPLOYMENT OF VETERINARY TECHNOLOGISTS AND TECHNICIANS IS EXPECTED TO GROW 30% FROM 2012 TO 2022. (BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS)

- * VETERINARY CLINICS
- * VETERINARY TEACHING HOSPITALS
- * ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS
- * RESEARCH LABORATORIES
- * ANIMAL SHELTERS
- * VETERINARY SALES & MARKETING
- * PHARMACEUTICALS
- * PUBLIC HEALTH
- * GOVERNMENT
- * ZOOS
- * WILDLIFE REHABILITATION CENTERS
- * PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

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