

**Sciences** 

### VETERINARY MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY

#### **ABOUT THE PROGRAM**

The VMT program is designed to provide the education necessary for students to gain indepth knowledge of veterinary medicine and clinical skills, anatomy, radiology, parasitology, pharmacology, dentistry, surgical and clinical procedures, anesthesiology, lab techniques, nutrition, diseases, and office practices. Graduates of this program are eligible to take national and state level boards to become credentialed veterinary technicians. Unique in the state of North Carolina, the VMT program houses its own colony of dogs, cats, horses, and ruminants to allow for real-time, hands-on learning.

## Possible Employment In Industry

Scientific Research and Development Services Other Professional, Scientific and Technical Services

Social Advocacy Organizations Other Personal Services, Veterinary Offices Animal HospitalsScientific, and Technical Services

#### Top Employers In Region

VCA Inc. BluePearl Veterinary Partners Southern Veterinary Partners Banfield Pet Hospital American Veterinary Group

#### Occupational Statistics

Median Salary: USA \$38,240

Median Salary: NC \$37,450

Median Salary: Region \$36,410



# CCCC Career

Students interested in Health Sciences like to help people feel better. They can work independently, but prefer to work in groups or teams. They are detail-oriented, compassionate, and think critically to solve problems. They work well in stressful situations and do not get queasy around blood or bodily fluids. Graduates find jobs working in medical or wellness environments.





Associate in Applied Science in Veterinary Medical Technology (A45780; Lee Main Campus - Day) Five Semesters (Summer Included)



None

#### State Licensure/Exams/ Industry Certifications

Graduates are eligible to take the Veterinary Technician National Examination and the North Carolina Veterinary Medical Board Examination

#### Additional Admissions Process

Minimum Admissions Criteria required for admissions to be able to submit an application for consideration.



#### Certificates

Short-term: See CCCC website for numerous Health and Medical training opportunities https://www.cccc.edu/ecd/short-termtraining/health-occupations/

#### Skills In Demand For Program And Industry

Vital Signs Microsoft Office Suite Anesthesia Machines Urinary Catheters Catheter Placement/Insertion



#### **Transfer Options**

Yes, limited. Contact the Department Chair to discuss transfer options.

#### Work-Based Learning Information

Students are required to complete in-person work-based learning hours. Please contact the Department Chair for more information.



Uniform package (each year), Background check, Malpractice Insurance (per semester)



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