



**FRAMEWORK RULES  
OF THE STUDENT'S PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE  
of the Veterinary Medicine Programme Council**

Framework regulation of professional practice for students at the Veterinary Medicine is a Faculty's legal act prepared on the basis of the Regulation of the Ministry of Science and Higher Education on education standards for veterinary medicine, Study Regulations of the University of Environmental and Life Sciences and Ordinance No. 45/2017 of the Rector of April 4, 2017 on determining the principles of organization of the education process in UPWr.

§ 1

Student professional practice aimed at:

- 1) broaden the knowledge acquired during study and develop the practical skills
- 2) gaining knowledge of the practical aspects of veterinary medicine such as animal production on farms, animal treatment in veterinary clinics, veterinary inspection in slaughterhouses and meat processing plants and in the production of animal feedstuffs as well as in animal insemination process.

§ 2

1. Organizational forms of the practices:
  - 1) Student professional practices are executed in accordance with the standards of education required for each year of studies in veterinary medicine.
  - 2) the Veterinary Medicine Programme Council determinates the form of the practice basing on the request of the Dean.
  - 3) Dean may agree to hold a practice in the establishment chosen by the student, if the nature of the work will be in line with the program of practice.
  - 4) Dean may give a credit to a student for a practice performed by him as a paid work if the character of this work meets the requirements of the program of the practice. It is also regarded to work abroad, however, it must be implemented on the basis of an agreement between the university and the host institution.



2. There are following practices at the veterinary medicine:

Type of practice	Implementation period	Duration		ECTS in the curriculum before academic year 2019/2020	ECTS in the curriculum from academic year 2019/2020
		Weeks	Hours		
Summer practical training: Animal breeding	after 4 <sup>th</sup> semesters	2	80	1	4
Summer practical training: Animal clinic I	after 8 <sup>th</sup> semesters	4	160	5	8
Veterinary inspection practice I/ Summer practical training: Abattoir	after 8 <sup>th</sup> semesters	2	80	2	4
Summer practical training: Animal clinic II	after 10 <sup>th</sup> semesters	4	160	5	8
Veterinary inspection practice II/ Summer practical training: Food processing plant	after 10 <sup>th</sup> semesters	2	80	2	4
<b>Summary</b>		<b>14</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>28</b>

§ 3

1. Managing of the internship.

- 1) Dean entrusts the managing of the practices to Dean's proxies for animal breeding practice, clinical practice and in Veterinary Inspection practice.
- 2) The practice supervisor leads supervision on organization and course of the practice and is responsible for:
  - a) contacts with establishments and for concluding agreements for conducting practices,
  - b) organization of the educational and teaching supervision including visitations, controls, seminars, exams,



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- c) supervision on complement of all formalities related to the sending students to the practice (giving referrals, organisation of health insurance, sanitary and epidemiological health certificates, etc),
2. Attention on practice:
  - 1) Essential supervision on professional aspect of the practice takes the practice supervisor - academic teacher appointed by Dean or Dean's proxies.
  - 2) The practice supervisor is responsible for practice realization according to the aim and established program. The practice supervisor is entitled to decide, together with Dean's proxy, about all issues related to the practice course.
  - 3) The practice supervisor performs visitations, controls, seminars and practice final exam.
  - 4) The practice supervisor assessment (giving the credits) of each practice by suitable note in student's documents and electronic system USOS.

§ 4

1. Costs of practice organising and its supervision are covered by the didactic fund of the Faculty.
2. Costs of student practice carried out abroad are not covered by the University.
3. Students receiving maintenance grant/support are allowed to apply for partial reimbursement of living costs incurred during the practice. This will be covered by the didactic fund of the Faculty.

§ 5

1. Students are obliged to carry out the practice in accordance with the practice program.
2. Moreover, students are obliged to:
  - 1) Follow the rules and principles of practice as determined by the University,
  - 2) Follow the rules and discipline in the work place set by the person responsible for the organisation of the practice in establishment,
  - 3) Follow the rules of occupational health and safety (OHS) as well as fire precautions.
  - 4) Maintain state and professional secrecy as well as protect confidential data according to guidelines set by the person responsible for the organisation of the practice in establishment.

§ 6

Program and principles of practice and requirements for gaining practice credit:



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1. Program and principles of practice in animal husbandry and requirements for gaining credit are described in the attachment No 1.
2. Program and principles of clinical practice and requirements for gaining credit are described in the attachment No 2.
3. Programme and principles of practice in veterinary inspection and requirements for gaining credit are described in attachment No 3.

