

<u>NORTHWESTERN CONNECTICUT COMMUNITY COLLEGE</u> <u>COURSE SYLLABUS</u>

Course Title: Large Animal Veterinary Technology

Course #: VET *152 & 152L

Course Description: 3 semester hours. (3 lecture hours, 2 laboratory hours) This course will be an overview of the technical aspects of large animal veterinary care. Emphasis will be on large animal handling, restraint and medication. In addition, common medical conditions, routine large animal care, basic nutrition and preventive health care will be discussed. Field trips will be required with students providing their own transportation.

Pre-requisites: VET*100 Introduction to Animal Care, and VET*101 Introduction to Veterinary Technology, BIO* 115 or 121, CHE* 111, MAT* 137, CSA* 105

Goals: The student should develop an understanding of and be able to perform basic nursing procedures used in large animal veterinary medicine. The basic theory will be presented in lecture followed by its application in the laboratory/field trips.

Outcomes: Upon completion of this course the student should be able to:

- Demonstrate proper methods of large animal restraint on live animals
- Discuss the basics of large animal behavior, and include species-specific differences
- Maintain medical records, and forms on farm field trips
- Discuss vaccination protocols used in horses and small ruminants and demonstrate competence in vaccinating livestock on farm field trips
- Discuss basic concepts of large animal reproduction
- Demonstrate a familiarity with large animal breeds, colors and clinically-relevant anatomy
- Identify livestock feeds on farm field trips

College Policies

Plagiarism: Plagiarism and Academic Dishonesty are not tolerated at Northwestern Connecticut Community College. Violators of this policy will be subject to sanctions ranging from failure of the assignment (receiving a zero), failing the course, being removed/expelled from the program and/or the College. Please refer to your "Student Handbook" under "Policy on Student Rights," the Section entitled "Student Discipline," or the College catalog for additional information.

Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA): The College will make reasonable accommodations for persons with documented learning, physical, or psychiatric disabilities. Students should notify Dr. Christine Woodcock, the Counselor for Students with Disabilities. She is located at Green Woods Hall, in the Center for Student Development. Her phone number is 860-738-6318 and her email is cwoodcock@nwcc.edu.

School Cancellations: If snowy or icy driving conditions cause the postponement or cancellation of classes, announcements will be made on local radio and television stations and posted on the College's website at www.nwcc.edu. Students may also call the College directly at **(860) 738-6464** to hear a recorded message concerning any inclement weather closings. Students are urged to exercise their own judgment if road conditions in their localities are hazardous.

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Sexual Assault and Intimate Partner Violence Resource Team: NCCC is committed to creating a community that is safe and supportive of people of all gender and sexual identities. This pertains to the entire campus community, whether on ground or virtual, students, faculty, or staff.

Sexual assault and intimate partner violence is an affront to our national conscience, and one we cannot ignore. It is our hope that no one within our campus community will become a victim of these crimes. However, if it occurs, NCCC has created the SART Team - Sexual Assault and Intimate Partner Violence Resource Team - to meet the victim's needs.

SART is a campus and community based team that is fully trained to provide trauma-informed compassionate service and referrals for comprehensive care. The team works in partnership with The Susan B. Anthony Project to extend services 24 hours a day, 7 days a week throughout the year.

The NCCC team members are:

Ruth Gonzalez, PHD	860-738-6315	Greenwoods Hall Room 220
Susan Berg	860-738-6342	Greenwoods Hall Room 223
Kathleen Chapman	860-738-6344	Greenwoods Hall Room 110
Michael Emanuel	860-738-6389	Founders Annex Room 308
Gary Greco	860-738-6397 (V) 860-469-3138 (VP)	Founders Hall Room 101
Robin Orloski	860-738-6416	Business Office Room 201
Patricia Bouffard, Ex-Officio	860-738-6319	Founders Hall Room 103

At NCCC we care about our students, staff and faculty and their well-being. It is our intention to facilitate the resources needed to help achieve both physical and emotional health.