** WAVMA Aquatic Veterinarian Certification Program**

**Cert AVN Knowledge, Skills & Experience/Education (KSE) Record**

**Applicant:** **Date submitted**:

**Mentor:** **Date approved**: **Comments**:

**Instructions**

The Certified Aquatic Veterinary Nurse/Technician applicant should document the date and source of knowledge, skills and experience for each KSE module. KSE’s must be at least at the level of what is expected in a veterinary nursing/technician curriculum that leads to a veterinary nursing/technician qualification, and should cover information unique to aquatic mammals, reptiles, amphibians, finfish, crustaceans, or molluscs. Credits are roughly equivalent hours spent obtaining a specific KSE (e.g. 1 credit = 1 hour of study or activity). The mentor or adjudicators may require a full description and documented proof of any KSE claimed.

**The following categories are acceptable sources of KSE’s** (these maybe KSE’s that are taken or developed/taught by the applicant)

1. Continuing Education and Professional Development (CEPD) classes/lectures 1 hour = 1 credit
2. Academic Programs or courses (University or College Level) 2 class hours = 1 credit (e.g. 40-hour week = 20 credits)
3. Post- nursing qualification: Training (Degree, Internships, Residencies) Inter/residencies = 50; MSc;75; PhD = 100 credits
4. Journal/Literature self-study and online education Article/webinar = 1; Book = 1/chapter up to 10 credits/book
5. Clinical nursing experience and case logs Case report = 5 credits per case
6. Publications & Presentations in Professional Meeting Published article = 5; Peer reviewed article = 10; Book Chapter =10: Complete book = 40
7. Referenced Essay 1000 word = 5 credits, 2000 word = 10 credits

Please complete this form and submit it, along with a copy of the applicant’s CV via the online system, for review and approval.

Required Core Knowledge, Skills & Experience (KSE) Subject Area Modules (150 total credits required)

[KSE Module 1: Aquatic Environment and Life Support Systems 2](#_Toc152516087)

[KSE Module 2: Taxonomy, Anatomy and Physiology 2](#_Toc152516088)

[KSE Module 3: Husbandry & Industries 2](#_Toc152516089)

[KSE Module 4: Pathobiology & Epidemiology of Aquatic Animal Diseases 2](#_Toc152516090)

[KSE Module 5: Diagnostics and Treatment of Aquatic Animal Diseases 2](#_Toc152516091)

[KSE Module 6: Clinical Nursing Experience and Client Communications 3](#_Toc152516092)

[KSE Module 7: Legislation, Regulations, Public Health, Zoonotics 3](#_Toc152516093)

[List name of CEPD/Class/Article Source, Location and Date 3](#_Toc152516094)

[KSE Module 8: Aquatic Animal Welfare 3](#_Toc152516095)

**PRE-CLINICAL SUBJECTS**

Add rows to table as necessary

| KSE Module 1: Aquatic Environment and Life Support Systems List name of CEPD/Class/Article Source, Location and Date  | **KSE Source Category (A,B,C,D,E,F)** | **Credits (hrs)** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Applicant Claimed** | **Mentor Approved** |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Credits Claimed for Module 1 [minimum 35 credits required]** |  |  |  |

Add rows to table as necessary

| KSE Module 2: Taxonomy, Anatomy and PhysiologyList name of CEPD/Class/Article Source, Location and Date  | **KSE Source Category (A,B,C,D,E,F)** | **Credits (hrs)** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Applicant Claimed** | **Mentor Approved** |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Credits Claimed for Module 2 [minimum 10 credits required]** |  |  |  |

Add rows to table as necessary

| KSE Module 3: Husbandry & IndustriesList name of CEPD/Class/Article Source, Location and Date  | **KSE Source Category (A,B,C,D,E,F)**  | **Credits (hrs)** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Applicant Claimed** | **Mentor Approved** |
|  |  | 1 |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Credits Claimed for Module 3 [minimum 15 credits required]** |  |  |  |

**CLINICAL SUBJECTS**

Add rows to table as necessary

| KSE Module 4: Pathobiology & Epidemiology of Aquatic Animal DiseasesList name of CEPD/Class/Article Source, Location and Date  | **KSE Source Category (A,B,C,D,E,F)**  | **Credits (hrs)** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Applicant Claimed** | **Mentor Approved** |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Credits Claimed for Module 4 [minimum 25 credits required]** |  |  |  |

Add rows to table as necessary

| KSE Module 5: Diagnostics and Treatment of Aquatic Animal DiseasesList name of CEPD/Class/Article Source, Location and Date  | **KSE Source Category (A,B,C,D,E,F)**  | **Credits (hrs)** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Applicant Claimed** | **Mentor Approved** |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Credits Claimed for Module 5 [minimum 25 credits required]** |  |  |  |

Add rows to table as necessary

| KSE Module 6: Clinical Nursing Experience and Client CommunicationsList name of CEPD/Class/Article Source, Location and Date  | **KSE Source Category (A,B,C,D,E,F)**  | **Credits (hrs)** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Applicant Claimed** | **Mentor Approved** |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Credits Claimed for Module 6** [**minimum 25 credits required**] |  |  |  |

Add rows to table as necessary

| KSE Module 7: Legislation, Regulations, Public Health, Zoonotics List name of CEPD/Class/Article Source, Location and Date  | **KSE Source Category (A,B,C,D,E,F)**  | **Credits (hrs)** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Applicant Claimed** | **Mentor Approved** |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Credits Claimed for Module 7** [**minimum 5 credits required**] |  |  |  |

Add rows to table as necessary

| KSE Module 8: Aquatic Animal WelfareList name of CEPD/Class/Article Source, Location and Date  | **KSE Source Category (A,B,C,D,E,F)**  | **Credits (hrs)** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Applicant Claimed** | **Mentor Approved** |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| **Credits Claimed for Module 8** [**minimum 10 credits required**] |  |  |  |