Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research Scientific Supervision and Scientific Evaluation Apparatus Directorate of Quality Assurance and Academic Accreditation Accreditation Department





# Academic Program and Course Description Guide

# Introduction:

The educational program is a well-planned set of courses that include procedures and experiences arranged in the form of an academic syllabus. Its main goal is to improve and build graduates' skills so they are ready for the job market. The program is reviewed and evaluated every year through internal or external audit procedures and programs like the External Examiner Program.

The academic program description is a short summary of the main features of the program and its courses. It shows what skills students are working to develop based on the program's goals. This description is very important because it is the main part of getting the program accredited, and it is written by the teaching staff together under the supervision of scientific committees in the scientific departments.

This guide, in its second version, includes a description of the academic program after updating the subjects and paragraphs of the previous guide in light of the updates and developments of the educational system in Iraq, which included the description of the academic program in its traditional form (annual, quarterly), as well as the adoption of the academic program description circulated according to the letter of the Department of Studies T 3/2906 on 3/5/2023 regarding the programs that adopt the Bologna Process as the basis for their work.

In this regard, we can only emphasize the importance of writing an academic programs and course description to ensure the proper functioning of the educational process.

# Concepts and terminology:

**Academic Program Description:** The academic program description provides a brief summary of its vision, mission and objectives, including an accurate description of the targeted learning outcomes according to specific learning strategies.

<u>Course Description:</u> Provides a brief summary of the most important characteristics of the course and the learning outcomes expected of the students to achieve, proving whether they have made the most of the available learning opportunities. It is derived from the program description.

**Program Vision:** An ambitious picture for the future of the academic program to be sophisticated, inspiring, stimulating, realistic and applicable.

**Program Mission:** Briefly outlines the objectives and activities necessary to achieve them and defines the program's development paths and directions.

Program Objectives: They are statements that describe what the academic program intends to achieve within a specific period of time and are measurable and observable.

<u>Curriculum Structure:</u> All courses / subjects included in the academic program according to the approved learning system (quarterly, annual, Bologna Process) whether it is a requirement (ministry, university, college and scientific department) with the number of credit hours.

Learning Outcomes: A compatible set of knowledge, skills and values acquired by students after the successful completion of the academic program and must determine the learning outcomes of each course in a way that achieves the objectives of the program.

Teaching and learning strategies: They are the strategies used by the faculty members to develop students' teaching and learning, and they are plans that are followed to reach the learning goals. They describe all classroom and extracurricular activities to achieve the learning outcomes of the program.

# Academic Program Description Form

University Name: Tikrit

Faculty/Institute: Veterinary Medicine

Scientific Department: Pathology & Poultry Diseases

Academic or Professional Program Name: Pathological anatomy and forensic medicine

Final Certificate Name: Bachelor of Veterinary Medicine and Surgery

Academic System: Semester

Description Preparation Date: 5/10/2023

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## 1. Program Vision

Providing students with the basics and additional topics related to the previous learning outcomes of skills, to solve practical problems.

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- Asking students during clinical lessons to perform some surgical operations under the supervision of their professors.
- Visiting practical laboratories by academic staff

## 2. Program Mission

## A- Cognitive objectives

- A/1- Enabling students to obtain knowledge and understanding of the intellectual and skills framework of veterinary science
- A/2 Enabling students to obtain knowledge and understanding of the ethics of the veterinary profession
- A/3- Enabling students to obtain knowledge and understanding of veterinary anatomy, histology and embryos
- A/4: Enabling students to obtain knowledge and understanding of diseases common to humans and animals
- A/5: Enabling students to obtain knowledge and understanding of veterinary obstetrics and fertility

A/6: Enabling students to obtain knowledge and understanding of basic veterinary sciences

A/7: Enabling students to obtain knowledge and understanding of internal medicine

A/8: Enabling students to obtain knowledge and understanding of microorganisms

## 3. Program Objectives

- A1- By linking changes at the cell level to clinical signs.
- C2- The student will be able to find relationships between pathogens.
- C3- Practical skills that enable the student to reach treatment through what he has drawn in his mind about the mechanism of the disease

## 4. Program Accreditation

NO

## 5. Other external influences

Iraqi universities, Ministry of Agriculture, General Veterinary Authority

## 6. Program Structure **Program Structure** Number of Courses Credit hours | Percentage Reviews\* Institution 45 45 Basic Requirements course College YES Requirements Department YES Requirements

Summer Training	NOT FOUND		
Other			

<sup>\*</sup> This can include notes whether the course is basic or optional.

Year/Level	Course Code	Course Name	Cre	dit Hours
$2024 \mid 4^{\text{th}} \text{ and } 5^{\text{th}}$	VED4111	Pathological anatomy and forensic medicine	theoretical	practical

nowledge			
Learning Outcomes 1	A- Cognitive objectives		
	A1- Identify the concept of pathology		
	A2 - The condition of the animal after signs of the disease appear		
	A3 Disease developments and course of the disease		
	A4- Changes that occur in the animal after the disease appears		
	A5- Students achieved knowledge of histological events and clinical		
	signs and linked them to the general changes of the disease state.		
	A6- Identify the most important diseases that affect animals,		
	poultry, and fish, and what happens after death.		
Skills			
Learning Outcomes 2	- Providing the student with practical and theoretical information		
	about pathology		
Learning Outcomes 3	Increasing capabilities in the field of diseases in the practical and		
	theoretical aspects.		
Ethics			
Learning Outcomes 4	Explaining the most important diseases that affect poultry and fish		
	and identifying the most important successful treatments for them.		
Learning Outcomes 5			

## 9. Teaching and Learning Strategies

- Theoretical / through scientific lectures and new explanatory methods
- Practical / through practical lectures in the laboratory and in clarifying
   pathological slides, pictures of organs, and dissection of pathological cases.

## 10. Evaluation methods

- -Theoretical exams (daily, monthly, yearly)
- Practical exams (daily, monthly, yearly)

### 11. Faculty **Faculty Members** Number of the teaching staff Specialization Special Academic Rank Requirements/Skills (if applicable) Lecturer Staff General Special Assistant Professor2 Veterinary Pathology An employee

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	surgery		
Professional Dev	elopment		
Mentoring new facu	Ity members		
Orienting new faculty	members		

## Professional development of faculty members

medicine and

Professional development for faculty members

## 12. Acceptance Criterion

(Setting regulations related to enrollment in the college or institute, whether central admission or others)

# The most important sources of information about the program

. General pathology

-علم امراض الحيوان

Diseases of Animal 2011, 11 edition

-Edition Author(s): Edward J. Noga M.S., D.V.M.,2010 .

-PATHOLOGIC BASIS of VETERINARY

DISEASE, 6 edition, James F. Zachary, DVM, PhD, DACVP, 2017.

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# 14. Program Development Plan

- 1 Increasing field visits to government and private projects
- 2- Encouragement to visit the college library and the central library at the university
- 3- Urging students to benefit from summer training in veterinary centers and the teaching hospital
- 4- Improving research projects and graduation projects.

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							Requ	ired p	rogra	m Lea	arning	Required program Learning outcomes	nes		
Year/Level	Course	Course Name	Basic or		Knowledge			Skills				Ethics			
	Code		optional	A1	A1 A2 A3 A4 B1 B2 B3 B4	A3	A4	B1	B2	B3	B4	C1	C2 C3	C3	C4
4th and 5th stage	VED4111	Pathological anatomy and Forensic medicine	basic	>	>	>	>	>	>	>	>	>	>	>	>

Please tick the boxes corresponding to the individual program learning outcomes under evaluation.

Course Descrip	otion Form	
1. Course Name:		
Pathological anatomy and Forensic medicine		-
Course Code:		
VED4111		
1. Semester / Year:		
semester		
2. Description Preparation Date: 20/02/2024		
3. Available Attendance Forms:		
Attendance only		
4. Number of Credit Hours (Total) / Num	ber of Units (To	otal)
45 ,45		
<ol><li>Course administrator's name (ment Name: A.P.Dr. Hassan Hadi Khorshe</li></ol>		than one name)
Email: dr_patho80@tu.edu.iq		
Ahmed Abdulla Sultan		
alsultan5877@tu.edu.iq		
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Coures level:Four year Course Name: Theoretical Pathological anatomy and Forensic medicine / 2 hours

Second Semester:

Evaluation method	Teaching method	Name of the unit/course or subject	Required learning outcomes	hours	Week
Daily exam questions and discussion	data show	Death, cause of general death, suncop, asphyxia		1	1
Daily exam questions and discussion	data show	Drowning, sudden death, death from starvation, death from cold, death from effect of heat, death from electric current		1	2
Daily exam questions and discussion	data show	Burns and it's types		1	3
Daily exam questions and discussion	data show	Wounds and it's types		1	4
Daily exam questions and discussion	data show	Toxin and it's types		1	5
Daily exam questions and discussion	data show	Bovine diseases: Tuberculosis, Leptospirosis, Contagious bovine pleuro pneumonia, Colibacillosis, Shipping fever, Cattle plague, Bovine malignant catarrhal, Foot and mouth disease, Bovine viral diarrhea, Actinobacillosis, Actinomycosis, Theileriosis, Anaplasmosis, Babesiosis, Lumpy skin disease		3	8-6
Daily exam questions and discussion	data show	Ovine disease: contagious ecthyma, Sheep pox, Foot root, Black leg, Lamb dysentery, Anthrax, Listeriosis, Enterotoxaemia, Black disease		2	10-9
Daily exam questions and discussion	data show	Equine disease: Strangles, Glanders, Shigellosis, Epizooyic lymphangitis, Ulcerative lymphangitis, Equine infectious anemia, Equine influenza		3	13-11
Daily exam questions and discussion	data show	Canine and Feline disease: Rabies, Canine distemper, Canine viral hepatitis, Feline parvo virus, Panleukopenia		1	14
Daily exam questions and discussion	data show	Lab animal disease: Tyzzer's disease, Coccidiosis in rabbit, External parasite		1	15

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# Strategy - Educational strategy, collaborative concept planning. 2- Brainstorming education strategy. 3- Education Strategy Notes Series 8. Course Structure Week Hours Evaluation Required Learning Unit Learning method Outcomes method or subje ct name 9. Course Evaluation Distributing the score out of 100 according to the tasks assigned to the student such as daily preparation, daily oral, monthly, or written exams, reports .... etc 10. Learning and Teaching Resources Required textbooks (curricular books, if any) Basic pathology PATHOLOGIC BASIS Main references (sources) of VETERINARY DISEASE Recommended books and references (scientific General pathology journals, reports...) - A Text-Book of Pathology and Pathological Anatomy - Primary Source Edition, 2013 by Hans Schmaus (Author) - Robbins Basic Pathology 10th Edition, 2017 Electronic References, Websites https://lccn.loc.gov/2016021411