1. Applies to cohort commencing in:	June 2018		
2. Degree Granting Body	The University of London		
3. Awarding institution	The Royal Veterinary College		
4. Teaching institution	The Royal Veterinary College (University of London)		
5. Programme accredited by	N/A		
6. Name and title	Postgraduate Diploma in Veterinary Clinical Practice. Equine/Exotic Animal/Oncology/Production Animal/Pathology/Small Animalmall Aon		

## 23. Aims of programme

The programme aims to produce graduates:

Eligible to use as a prerequisite for entry into European or American Veterinary Specialty Colleges

Eligible to apply for a residency / senior clinical training scholarship (MVetMed programme)

with critical analysis skills and experience in literature review and interpreting clinical research

with excellent communication and small group teaching skills, who are able to take advantage of current developments in information technology

24. Overall Programme Level Learning Outcomes - the programme offers opportunities for students to achieve and demonstrate the following learning outcomes.

## Knowledge and understanding of:

clinical disciplines to a level higher than an undergraduate

pathophysiological principles related to the species and clinical context

related clinical disciplines

basic analysis of clinical or laboratory data

ethical and welfare issues relating to clinical practice, teaching and research

new developments in the relevant area of clinical expertise

## Cognitive (thinking) skills:

Planning

Logic

Comprehension

Visual and auditory processing

## **Practical skills and Abilities**

Proficiency in dealing with complex clinical or diagnostic cases under supervision

Proficiency in dealing with emergency care

Comprehension of diagnostic and therapeutic procedures

Organisational skills

Interpersonal skills

An ability to communicate clearly to both scientific and non-scientific personnel

Basic Presentation skills, including ad hoc small group teaching

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