PROGRAMME SPECIFICATION

1. Applies to cohort commencing in:	2019

21. Relevant QAA subject benchmark	QAA subject benchmark for Veterinary Nursing (https://www.qaa.ac.uk/docs/qaa/subject-benchmark-statements/sbs-vet-nursing-15.pdf?sfvrsn=7396f781_10)
22. Other External Reference Points	

24. Overall Programme Level Learning Outcomes - the programme offers opportunities for students to achieve and demonstrate the following learning outcomes.	
Students who are unable to complete the full course may be awarded the Certificate in HE Animal Welfare and Care providing they meet the requirements in the Assessment and Award Regulations. The broad outcomes of this exit award are:	
At the end of the Certificate in HE Animal Welfare and Care, the student is able to:	**Modules in which each learning outcome will be developed and assessed:**
Demonstrate knowledge of the basic care and animal husbandry of a range of small animal, exotic and equine species as required for veterina9.92 Tm E0.24 m rerina97T -0.001 T	

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Plan and manage their own work.	Professional Development & Clinical Skills I, II an Professional Practice
At the end of the BScVN Degree programme, the student is able to:	Modules in which each learning outcome will be developed and assessed:
Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the professional, ethical and moral responsibilities of Veterinary Nurses;	Clinical Nursing Practice II Professional Practice Advanced Practice Toolkit
Demonstrate an extensive and integrated knowledge and understanding of veterinary nursing;	Clinical Nursing Practice I Clinical Nursing Practice II Veterinary Nursing Applied Science I & II Applied Nursing Care Diagnostic Techniques ECC and Anaesthesia Professional Practice Advanced Practice Toolkit
Demonstrate critical understanding of veterinary nursing practice through applying a wide range of nursing skills;	Clinical Nursing Practice I Clinical Nursing Practice II Applied Nursing Care Diagnostic Techniques ECC and Anaesthesia Professional Development & Clinical Skills I, II an

26. Assessment methods					
Modules	Credit value	Assessment	Assessment size	Weighting	
				FdSc	BSc
Year 1					
Professional Development & Clinical Skills 1	20	Ongoing completion of the day one skills and competencies (Nursing Progress Log NPL)	(NPL) – 34%		

Techniques		Written assignment (BSc only)	2000 words	N/A	40%
Year 3					
AppliedNursing Care	25	Written examination			

Surgical Nursing		Written examination	1.5 hours	50%
Elective (GDip): Medical Nursing	15	Written assignment	2000 words	50%
		Written examination	1.5 hours	50%

Elective (GDip): Diagnostic Imaging   15

	Advanced Practice Toolkit	6	15	Compulsory
	Elective: ECC (GDip)	6	15	Choice of ONE elective
Year4, Term 2	Elective:Pathology	6	15	Choice of ONE elective