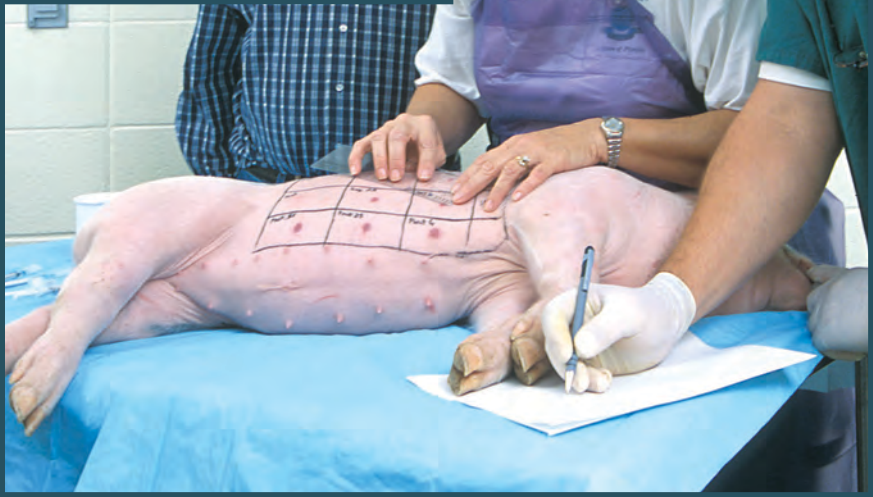


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<http://www.fusiongrant.org/educational.php>

Description:

Veterinarians care for the health of pets, livestock, zoo, sporting, and laboratory animals. They can benefit human medical practices through the development of vaccinations and surgical techniques. Veterinarians inspect livestock and meat processing plants, test against diseases, and follow government regulations for purity and sanitation.

Median Wage (as of 2005):

\$68,910

Level of Education:

A.A.S., B.A. or B.S., D.V.M.

Job Outlook (through 2014):

9-17% increase in number of jobs

Examples of Colleges & Affiliated Programs:

Cornell University – Animal Science; College of Veterinary Medicine

SUNY Cobleskill – Beef & Livestock Studies; Equine Studies; Animal Science (B.T.)

Morrisville State College (SUNY) – Animal Science (Dairy); Equine Science & Management

Alfred State (SUNY) – Veterinary Technology; Animal Science (A.A.S.)

Employers:

Solo or Group Practices – Keseca Veterinary Clinic; Perry Veterinary Clinic; Attica Veterinary Clinic; Small Animal/Exotics Hospital; Animal Kind Veterinary Hospital

Federal and State Governments – United States Department of Agriculture (Agriculture, Food Safety and Inspection Service); Health and Human Services; Department of Homeland Security

Private Associations – American Veterinary Medical Association; New York State Veterinary Medical Society; Wildlife Disease Association; American Association of Veterinary Clinicians; American Society of Animal Science; American Society of Laboratory Animal Practitioners

Colleges & Universities – Cornell University College of Veterinary Medicine; New York University School of Medicine; University of Rochester Medical Center

High School/College Courses to Take:

Organic/Inorganic Chemistry, Biology/Biochemistry

Genetics, Animal Science

Calculus, Statistics

Zoology

Oral and Written Communication



Cornell University