

# Veterinary Medical Resources



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What is Veterinary Technology? A veterinary technician (also called a vet tech), is a person trained and licensed to assist veterinarians. A vet tech's job is similar to that of a nurse. They do scans, X-Rays, and blood tests. They can also give anesthesia, and help the veterinarian in other tasks. Vet techs are different from veterinary assistants, which have no specific training or license.

## Reference Resources

<i>Bailliere's Comprehensive Veterinary Dictionary</i>	SF609 .B56 1997 Ref
<i>Black's Veterinary Dictionary</i>	SF609 .B53 2001 Ref
<i>Boothe's Small Animal Formulary</i>	SF916.5 .B668 2000 Ref
<i>Kirk and Bistner's Handbook of Veterinary Procedures &amp; Emergency Treatment</i>	SF748 .B57 Ref
<i>Spurgeon's Color Atlas of Large Animal Anatomy</i>	SF761 .M35 1999 Ref
<i>Textbook of Small Animal Surgery</i>	SF911 .T49 1993 Ref
<i>Veterinary Drug Handbook</i>	SF917 .P58 1999 Ref

## Practice

<i>Building the Successful Veterinary Practice</i>	SF760 .L43 C37 1997 V.2
<i>Clinical Pharmacology Update</i>	SF601 .V525 V.19 NO.3
<i>Practice Management</i>	SF601 .V523 V.36 NO.2
<i>Veterinary Management in transition</i>	SF756.4 .C38 2000

## Veterinary Technology/Nursing

<i>Clinical Anatomy and Physiology for Vet Techs</i>	SF761 .C65 2002
<i>Clinical Textbook for Veterinary Technicians</i>	SF745 .C625 2006
<i>Exotic Animal Medicine for the Vet Tech</i>	SF997.5 .E95 C44 2003
<i>Hematology Techniques and Concepts for Vet Techs</i>	SF769.5 .V65 2000
<i>Small Animal Surgical Nursing</i>	SF911 .S53 2000
<i>Small Animal Surgical Nursing: Concepts and Skills</i>	SF991 .B92 2006
<i>Textbook of Veterinary Medical Nursing</i>	SF774.5 .T48 2003

**Journals** (Shelved alphabetically by title in the Serials/Media collection on the third floor of Watson Library)

*Journal of the American Veterinary Medical Association*  
*Kirk's Current Veterinary Therapy: Small Animal Practice*  
*Review of Applied Entomology Series B, Medical and Veterinary*  
*Veterinary Medicine*  
*Veterinary Medicine/Small Animal Clinician*  
*Veterinary Technician*

## Indexes and Databases

Agricola (Agriculture)  
Biological Abstracts  
Medline

Online databases  
Online databases  
Online databases

## Internet Resources

American Veterinary Medical Association  
Center for Veterinary Medicine  
LSU School of Veterinary Medicine  
NetVet  
Veterinary Medicine @ about.com

<http://www.avma.org/>  
<http://www.fda.gov/cvm/>  
<http://www.vetmed.lsu.edu/>  
<http://netvet.wustl.edu/vet.htm>  
<http://vetmedicine.about.com/>

**Finding Veterinary Medicine books in the library** – Use this abbreviated subject breakdown to find where books on various veterinary medical topics are located in the library. Use the library catalog to search for specific items or topics.

## Subclass SF

SF600-1100	Veterinary medicine
SF756.5-769.5	Special preclinical sciences Including veterinary genetics, ethology, anatomy, physiology, embryology, pathology
SF780.2-780.7	Veterinary microbiology, bacteriology, virology, mycology
SF780.9	Veterinary epidemiology. Epizootiology
SF781-809	Communicable diseases of animals (General)
SF810	Veterinary parasitology
SF810.5-810.7	Predatory animals and their control
SF811-909	Veterinary medicine of special organs, regions, and systems
SF910	Other diseases and conditions
SF910.5	Veterinary orthopedics
SF911-914.4	Veterinary surgery
SF914.3-914.4	Veterinary traumatology. Veterinary emergencies
SF914.5	Veterinary acupuncture
SF915-919.5	Veterinary pharmacology
SF925	Veterinary physical medicine
SF951-997.5	Diseases of special classes of animals

