



CERTIFICATE SUPPLEMENT (*)



SWEDEN

1. CERTIFICATE TITLE

Kvalificerad Yrkehögskoleexamen
Djurvårdare på utökad nivå

2. TRANSLATION OF CERTIFICATE TITLE

Advanced Higher Vocational Education Diploma in
Veterinary Nurse

This translation has no legal status

3. SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE PROFILE

The holder of this document has

- Knowledge of anatomy and physiology.
- Knowledge of pathology.
- Knowledge of normal care needs.
- Knowledge of nutrition.
- Knowledge of the legislation that regulates activities in the field of animal health care.
- Knowledge of animal behaviour.
- Knowledge of hygiene and infectious disease control.
- Knowledge of communication.
- Skills in tests and medication.
- Skills in safe medication management.
- Skills to work with patients in a safe and professional manner.
- Skills to conduct normal care.
- Skills in the care of instruments and basal hygiene routines.
- Skills to perform everyday administrative and finance-related tasks.
- Skills in professional conduct towards animal owners.
- Competence to work in accordance with statutes relevant to the profession.
- Competence to analyse one's own work as an advanced veterinary nurse based on distinctions from other active professional roles in animal health care.
- Competence to apply a safe and professional approach to animal handling.
- Competence to demonstrate professionalism and good social competence in contact with customers.
- Competence to apply safe work methods in relation to patients, colleagues, animal owners and oneself.
- Competence to adopt an approach that is sensitive to the work environment.
- Competence to adopt a conscious ethical approach to work.

4. PROFESSIONS AVAILABLE FOR THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE

Veterinary Nurse

5. OFFICIAL STATUS OF THE CERTIFICATE

Name and address of the awarding institution	Name and address of the public authority issuing awarding entitlement to education providers
	The Swedish National Agency for Higher Vocational Education Box 145, 721 05 Västerås Sweden www.myh.se
Diploma level (national or international designation)	Grading scale
SEQF/EQF:	Fail (Icke godkänt - IG) Pass (Godkänt - G) Pass with Distinction (Väl godkänt - VG)

6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED MANNER OF OBTAINING THE DIPLOMA

Description of vocational education and training received	Per cent of whole programme (%)	Length (weeks)
• College/education centre		weeks
• Placement – Learning in a work environment		weeks
Total teaching/study duration resulting in diploma		weeks
Further information		
The Higher Vocational Education Diploma requires a minimum of a Pass (Godkänt) in all courses. Five HVE credits correspond to one week of full-time studies.		
A Higher Vocational Education Diploma is awarded if the study programme comprises a minimum of 200 Higher Vocational Education credits (HVE credits).		
An Advanced Higher Vocational Education Diploma is awarded if the study programme comprises a minimum of 400 HVE credits, at least one quarter of programme time is spent on student placement, and the student has completed an independent project.		
Entry requirement is successful completion of upper secondary education.		
For more information on higher vocational education, please visit the website of the Swedish National Agency for Higher Vocational Education: www.myh.se		

(*) Explanatory notes

This document is intended to provide additional information about the specified diploma and has no legal status in itself. It is based on Council Resolution 93/C No. 49/01 of 3 December 1992 on the transparency and clarity of qualifications, Council Resolution 96/C 224/04 of 15 July 1996 on the transparency and clarity of vocational education certificates, and the European Parliament and Council Recommendation 2001/613/EC of 10 July 2001 on mobility within the Union of students, persons undergoing vocational training, volunteers, teachers and educators.

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