



**Southern Union State Community College Veterinary Technology Program  
Application Worksheet**

**Required Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 on Veterinary Technology Program required prerequisite academic core courses: BIO 103; ENG 101; MTH 100 (or higher); PSY 200; SPH 106 or 107; IDS 102 (preferred) or a humanities or fine arts elective. A minimum of 2.0 GPA at SUSCC or entry to College on clear academic status if never enrolled at SUSCC (GED acceptable).**

- HAVE YOU MET THE MINIMUM GPA REQUIREMENT OF 2.5 ON ACADEMIC PREREQUISITE COURSES?  YES  NO
- HAVE YOU MET THE MINIMUM GPA REQUIREMENT OF 2.0 AT SUSCC, CLEAR STATUS, OR HAVE A GED THAT MEETS MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS?  YES  NO

**SECTION A**

**ACT NATIONAL OR RESIDUAL COMPOSITE SCORE. NOTE:** There is no time limit of when the test was taken. Applicants who do not have their ACT test score submitted to the Admissions Office before the deadline and have a copy attached to their program application will not be ranked for admission purposes. Verify with the Records Office that the ACT score you want on file for use matches that of SUSCC records. You can access your submitted score through your MySUSCC account. **Students must have a composite score of 18 or higher to be eligible to apply for the Veterinary Technology Program.**

**ACT COMPOSITE SCORE (TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION A):** \_\_\_\_\_ **POINTS** (max. 36 points)

**SECTION B**

**POINTS AWARDED FOR SPECIFIC COURSEWORK. NOTE:** You should consult with an academic advisor regarding the transferability of courses taken at another institution. A maximum of three (3) grades you have earned can be used for points as indicated by the following scale: **A= 3 points; B= 2 points; C= 1 points**

BIO 103 General Biology	Grade: _____ = _____ points
ENG 101 English Composition I	Grade: _____ = _____ points
MTH 100 Intermediate Algebra (or higher)	Grade: _____ = _____ points
<u>OPTIONAL:</u>	
CHM 104 Introduction to Chemistry I	Grade: _____ = _____ points
HED 226 Wellness	Grade: _____ = _____ points
HPS 105 or OAD 211 Medical Terminology	Grade: _____ = _____ points

**TOTAL POINTS FROM SECTION B:** \_\_\_\_\_ **POINTS** (max. 18 points)

**SECTION C**

**VETERINARY AND HIGHER EDUCATION. NOTE:** A total of three (3) additional points are earned by applicants who have completed either twelve (12) or more credit hours of academic courses or Health Sciences

courses at Southern Union, or who have completed coursework at an AVMA accredited Veterinary Technology/Veterinary Nursing program (requires proof of completion with transcripts submitted to SUSCC admissions office) with a minimum grade of "C" or higher.

Academic Course points completed at SUSCC: BIO 103; ENG 101; MTH 100 or higher; PSY 200; SPH 106 or 107; IDS 102 or humanities elective; CHM 104; HED 226, HPS 105

Applicants who have completed SUSCC Health Sciences programs in the following areas may be awarded three (3) points ONLY if the student has not earned 12 hours of academic credit with courses listed above: Surgical Technology, Radiologic Technology, Practical Nursing, or Paramedic, or Medical Assisting Technology

- Twelve (12) or more academic course credit hours completed with "C" or higher at SUSCC  YES  NO
  - Veterinary coursework completed at an AVMA accredited Veterinary Technology/Veterinary Nursing Program with "C" or higher and transcripts submitted to SUSCC  YES  NO
    - Completion of another approved SUSCC Health Sciences Program  YES  NO
- Applicants answering "YES" to one of the above receive a total of three (3) points.**

**TOTAL POINTS FROM SECTION C: \_\_\_\_\_ POINTS** (max. 3 points)

**SECTION D**

Three (3) points are awarded if the applicant has an Associate Degree or higher awarded from a regionally accredited institution.

**TOTAL POINTS FROM SECTION D: \_\_\_\_\_ POINTS** (max. 3 points)

**SECTION E (Optional)**

**VETERINARY EXPERIENCE. NOTE:** A total of twelve (12) additional points are earned by applicants who have completed applicable veterinary related observation or working hours AND have completed the "Southern Union Veterinary Technology Program Observation Form". This form must be received along with application materials. Forms must be completed, signed and dated by a currently licensed Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM), or Licensed Veterinary Technician (LVT) employed by the facility at which hours were completed. Points are calculated based on the following scale: **8-16 hours of veterinary observation or work experience = 3 points; 17-20 hours of veterinary observation or work experience = 6 points; 21-39 hours of veterinary observation experience = 9 points; 41 or more hours of veterinary observation or work experience = 12 points**

8-16 hours of veterinary experience	Hours: _____ = 3 points
17-20 hours of veterinary experience	Hours: _____ = 6 points
21-39 hours of veterinary experience	Hours: _____ = 9 points
40+ hours of veterinary experience	Hours: _____ = 12 points

**TOTAL POINTS FROM SECTION E: \_\_\_\_\_ POINTS** (max. 12 points)

**TOTAL APPLICANT SCORE = SECTION A + B + C + D + E = \_\_\_\_\_ POINTS** (max. 72 points)

Applicants are ranked by TOTAL APPLICANT SCORE  
*Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee acceptance into the Veterinary Technology Program.*

*Applicants must attend or complete an information session for the Veterinary Technology Program within six (6) months of the application and attach original verification (no copies) to the program application. See [www.suscc.edu](http://www.suscc.edu) for information session details.*