



**DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SCIENCE**

**COURSE OUTLINE – FALL 2015**

**AH172 VETERINARY TERMINOLOGY – 1(1-0-0)**

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<b>OFFICE HOURS:</b>	9-4 or as posted		

**PREREQUISITE(S)/COREQUISITE:**

- Must be registered in the GPRC Animal Health Technology Program

**REQUIRED TEXT/RESOURCE MATERIALS:**

An Illustrated Guide to Veterinary Medical Terminology, Romich, 4<sup>th</sup> edition

**CALENDAR DESCRIPTION:**

Proper use of medical nouns, verbs and adjectives, includes background in root words and development of prefix, suffix and plural variations. Students will learn to provide definitions of medical terms and use correct abbreviations and symbols.

**CREDIT/CONTACT HOURS:**

**1 (1-0-0) 16 weeks, 16 Hours**

**DELIVERY MODE(S):**

guided self-study/lecture

**OBJECTIVES (OPTIONAL):**

**TRANSFERABILITY: (if applicable)**

\*\* Grade of D or D+ may not be acceptable for transfer to other post-secondary institutions. Students are cautioned that it is their responsibility to contact the receiving institutions to ensure transferability

**GRADING CRITERIA:**

<b>GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL COLLEGE</b>			
<b>GRADING CONVERSION CHART for ANIMAL HEALTH PROGRAM</b>			
<b>Alpha Grade</b>	<b>4-point Equivalent</b>	<b>Percentage Guidelines</b>	<b>Designation</b>
<b>A<sup>+</sup></b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>90 – 100</b>	<b>EXCELLENT</b>
<b>A</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>85 – 89</b>	
<b>A<sup>-</sup></b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>80 – 84</b>	<b>FIRST CLASS STANDING</b>
<b>B<sup>+</sup></b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>77 – 79</b>	
<b>B</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>73 – 76</b>	<b>GOOD</b>
<b>B<sup>-</sup></b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>70 – 72</b>	
<b>C<sup>+</sup></b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>67 – 69</b>	<b>SATISFACTORY</b>
<b>C</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>63 – 66</b>	
<b>C<sup>-</sup></b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>60 – 62</b>	<b>MINIMAL PASS*</b>
<b>F</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>55 – 59</b>	<b>FAIL</b>
	<b>1.0</b>	<b>50 – 54</b>	
	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0 – 49</b>	
<b>WF</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>FAIL, withdrawal after the deadline</b>
			*overall grade point average has to be 2.0 or higher to be successful in the AHT program.

## **EVALUATIONS:**

### **EXAMINATIONS**

### **Mark Distribution**

<b>A. Quizzes</b>	50%
<b>B. Assignments</b>	11%
<b>C. Final Exam</b>	39%

**100%**

A minimum of 60% must be obtained in order to successfully pass AH172. If a student misses a quiz without prior notification and without a valid reason, a mark of zero will be assigned for that quiz. Late assignments not accepted. Any material handed in to an instructor must be in blue or black pen, no white out, medical corrections only.

## **STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES:**

Enrolment at GPRC assumes that the student will become a responsible citizen of the College. As such, each student will display a positive work ethic, take pride in and assist in the maintenance and preservation of Institute property, and assume responsibility for his/her education by researching academic requirements and policies; demonstrating courtesy and respect toward others; and respecting instructor expectations concerning attendance, assignments, deadlines, and appointments.

## **STATEMENT ON PLAGIARISM AND CHEATING:**

Refer to the College Policy on Student Misconduct: Plagiarism and Cheating at

[https://www.gprc.ab.ca/files/forms\\_documents/Student\\_Misconduct.pdf](https://www.gprc.ab.ca/files/forms_documents/Student_Misconduct.pdf)

\*\*Note: all Academic and Administrative policies are available at <https://www.gprc.ab.ca/about/administration/policies/>

## **COURSE SCHEDULE/TENTATIVE TIMELINE:**

- Week 1 – Introduction
- Week 2 – Quiz on Chapter 1
- Week 3 – Quiz on Chapter 2
- Week 4 – Quiz on Chapter 3
- Week 5 – Quizzes on Chapters 4-6

- Week 6 – Quiz on Chapter 7
- Week 7 – Quiz on Chapter 8
- Week 8 – Quiz on Chapter 9
- Week 9 – Quiz on Chapter 10
- Week 10 – Quizzes on Chapters 11 & 12
- Week 11 – Quiz on Chapter 13
- Week 12 – Quiz on Chapter 14
- Week 13 – Quiz on Chapter 15 & 16
- Week 14 – Quiz on Chapter 17
- Week 15 – Review quiz
- Week 16 – FINAL exam

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** (optional)

YEAR: 2015/2016

