

CVE Credits Allocation Table (Not Exhaustive)
CVE Events
Courses/seminars <i>1 Credit per contact hour of CVE</i>
Wetlabs/practicals/interactive events <i>2 Credits per contact hour of CVE</i>
Veterinary Clinical Society Meetings
Clinical Society Meetings – <i>1 Credit per hr of attendance at presentation/lectures</i>
Assessed self education courses
On-line/Distance Learning – <i>1 Credit per hour of work</i>
Presentation of a veterinary nursing lecture/poster to a professional audience
1) First time lecture only – 7 Credits 2) First time poster only – 3 Credits 3) One day presentation – <i>Maximum of 15 Credits could be awarded in any one day</i>
Presentation to Lay Audience
<i>2 Credits per presentation up to a maximum of 6 Credits per annum</i>
Publication of papers
Peer Reviewed Paper 1) As a first author – 15 Credits 2) Second & subsequent authors – 8 Credits <i>Non-Peer Reviewed Paper/Articles for Press – 2 Credits per paper up to a maximum of 6 credits per annum.</i>
Projects, clinical case reports
Veterinary nursing project which is the subject of a substantive report as determined by the committee – 10 Credits



Supervision of undergraduates “Seeing Practice”
Supervision of undergraduates “Seeing Practice” as part of an Extra Mural Studies Programme of a veterinary course for either practitioners or nurses enrolled in approved courses – <i>1 Credit per week- restricted to a maximum of 4 Credits per annum – for the veterinary nurse who certifies the student</i>
Professional discussion Groups
1) Attendance in discussion – <i>1 Credit per contact hour of discussion</i> 2) Leader of Discussion – <i>1 Credit - Leader is awarded an additional credit restricted to a maximum of 6 Credits per annum.</i>
Veterinary Organisations
<i>Members of committees of veterinary nursing organisations- Maximum of 3 Credits per annum</i> <i>1-5 meetings – 1 Credit</i> <i>5-10 meetings – 2 Credits</i> <i>10 + meetings – 3 Credits</i>
Home Study
The study of professional veterinary literature – <i>1 Credit per hour – restricted to a maximum of 4 Credits per annum.</i>
Other
1. Post – graduate studies * – <i>Credits allocated on application</i>

*Registered formally in post graduate studies in a recognised third level institution

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