

The Education Committee

The Education Committee is responsible for setting criteria for the residency programme and for monitoring resident's progress through evaluation of regular reports.

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ECPVS Residency Programmes

ECPVS Residency Programmes are training programmes that have been approved by the Educational Committee. These programs allow a graduate veterinarian (namely "Resident") to acquire an in-depth knowledge of poultry medicine and related disciplines, under the supervision of one (or more) Diplomate of the ECPVS ("Diplomate") or equivalent, as defined by the ECPVS Credentials Committee.

The residency programme will aim at three major objectives:

- To promote aptitude and proficiency in all aspects of the practice in poultry medicine, at the flock level.
- To instruct the Resident in the science and practice of poultry veterinary medicine, including related disciplines (i.e. microbiology, immunology, epidemiology, nutrition, pharmacology, etc...).
- To provide the Resident with the opportunity to pursue career goals in teaching, research, clinical service, and/or specialist practice.

An approved ECPVS Residency Programme can be offered by Institutions (such as Universities and Research Centres) and private companies or practices, provided it is designed according the guidelines of the ECPVS Training Brochure: http://www.ecpvs.com/docs/ECPVS_Training_brochure.pdf

Alternative residency programmes

On the other hand, alternative residency programmes can be designed, in a more individual format. Professionals from Universities and poultry veterinarians are relevant candidates for alternative residency programmes. In order to achieve approval, a submitted alternative training programme must fulfil the requirements outlined in the ECPVS training brochure

Opening a residency program

The template of ECPVS residency programme (see link below) summarises the requirements on duration, contents, documentation and verification and, lastly, facilities, services and equipment required for an alternative Residency Programme.

Link to the template of ECPVS residency programme: <http://www.ecpvs.com/training.php>

For any question regarding residency academic or alternative residency program, please get in touch with the chairman of the Education committee: clara.marin@uchceu.es

Internship

An internship of 12 months is required before entering a residency program, as scheduled in the training brochure of ECPVS.

Alternatively, a candidate may be directly admitted in the residency program, on the basis of his/her education and practical experience in poultry and after approval by the Credential Committee of ECPVS.

Requirements of an internship program are summarized here:

http://www.ecpvs.com/docs/ECPVS_Internship_requirements.pdf