



## AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Course Title		Euthanasia and Rodenticides							
Course Code		VFT541		Course Level		Second Cycle (Master's Degree)			
ECTS Credit	2	Workload	52 (Hours)	Theory	2	Practice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course		To teach euthanasia and the drugs used for euthanasia, rodenticides and use of these drugs.							
Course Content		Definition of euthanasia, the specification of euthanatizing agents, agents that can be used in euthanasia, application of euthanatizing agents and rat poisons subjects are examined.							
Work Placement		N/A							
Planned Learning Activities and Teaching Methods				Explanation (Presentation), Discussion, Case Study, Individual Study, Problem Solving					
Name of Lecturer(s)									

### Assessment Methods and Criteria

Method	Quantity	Percentage (%)
Midterm Examination	1	40
Final Examination	1	60

### Recommended or Required Reading

1	Veterinary Pharmacology and Therapeutics, 8th Edition, Jim E. Riviere (Editor), Mark G. Papich (Editor), 2009.
2	Modern Pharmacology, 6th Edition, Lippincott Williams and Wilkins, 2004 (Ed. C.R. Craig and R.E. Stitzel)
3	Lippincott's Illustrated Reviews: Pharmacology, 3rd Edition, Lippincott Williams and Wilkins, 2005 (Eds. Howard, Mycek, Harvey & Champe)

Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents	
2	Theoretical	Euthanasia
3	Theoretical	Euthanatizing agents-I
4	Theoretical	Euthanatizing agents-II
5	Theoretical	The properties of euthanatizing agents
6	Theoretical	The mechanism of euthanatizing agents
7	Intermediate Exam	Midterm exam
8	Theoretical	Rat poisons and their effects
9	Theoretical	The mechanism of rat poisons
10	Theoretical	Clinical practice of rat poisons
11	Theoretical	Rodenticides (alpha-chloralose)
12	Theoretical	Rodenticides (zinc phosphide)
13	Theoretical	Rodenticides (anticoagulants, norbormit, talium)
14	Theoretical	The other rat poisons
15	Theoretical	Discussion
16	Final Exam	Final

### Workload Calculation

Activity	Quantity	Preparation	Duration	Total Workload
Lecture - Theory	14	1	2	42
Midterm Examination	1	2	2	4
Final Examination	1	4	2	6
Total Workload (Hours)				52
[Total Workload (Hours) / 25*] = ECTS				2
*25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS				

### Learning Outcomes

1	To learn agent used for euthanasia
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2	To learn euthanasia
3	To learn the effect, the mechanism and clinical practice of rat poisons
4	To find out and use resources about the profession in the area.
5	To give lectures and/or presentations and discuss with professionals in the area.

**Programme Outcomes (Veterinary Pharmacology and Toxicology Master)**

1	to be able to comprehend expert knowledge on field of pharmacology and toxicology in veterinary medicine
2	to be able to define expert knowledge on interdisciplinary interaction in pharmacology and toxicology
3	to be able to formulate ideas to solve complex problems using theoretical and practical information gained throughout the pharmacology and toxicology education
4	to be able to integrate and interpret information in the area of pharmacology and toxicology with information in different fields and, if the need arises, provides scientific information and solutions to solve problems.
5	to be able to develop and use strategies in his/her field of expertise in Master's Program of Pharmacology and Toxicology
6	to be able to comprehend methods of obtained and submitted scientific knowledge
7	to be able to analyse current information related to his/her field of expertise (scientific information, procedures etc.) and use them when necessary.
8	to be able to apply technological tools in social relationships of vocational and professional environment.
9	to be able to review, evaluate and interpret any data (field observations, available scientific information etc.) towards a specific purpose.
10	to be able to comprehend expert knowledge on the function and basic pharmacological features of pharmacology and sub-branches of science, relationship between the drug and poison, pharmacokinetic, effects of the drugs, the dose-intensity and dose-effect relationship.
11	to be able to identify expert knowledge on the function and basic toxicological features of poison, classifications and types of poisoning, toxicokinetic, general principles of treatment of poisoning.
12	to be able to define and use laboratory equipment in a pharmacology and toxicology laboratory.

**Contribution of Learning Outcomes to Programme Outcomes 1:Very Low, 2:Low, 3:Medium, 4:High, 5:Very High**

	L1	L2	L3	L4	L5
P1	5	5	5		
P3		4	4		5
P4					4
P5	3	4	5		5
P6				5	5
P7				4	
P8					4
P9				5	5
P10	5	5	4		
P11	4	4	5		

