



Update on VPP regulation in Malaysia

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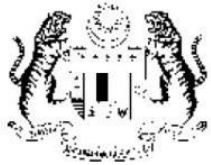


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VPP : Regulatory
& training needs
in Malaysia

VPPs should be able to function in a supporting role,
as **CLOSE** as **POSSIBLE** to a veterinarian,
while remaining **FAR ENOUGH** to be **differentiated** from the roles and
responsibilities of a veterinarian in veterinary services,
for legal reasons.



LAWS OF MALAYSIA

REPRINT

Veterinary Practice
Bill 20XX

STILL in 3rd draft, 2nd edition

Proposed to have 10 Parts, 125 Sections
and 3 Schedules

Dedicated VSB for Vets & VPP

Proposed expansion of “practice of veterinary medicine”
& “practitioner”

Tighter regulation of Veterinary Healthcare Facilities &
Services (VHFS)

Greater autonomy in accreditation & qualification

Recognition of specialization & regulatory control of CPD

Reciprocal recognition of qualification

Dedicated enforcement team by state

Enhanced/updated penalty and deterrent

- ❖ Proposed to establish 2 Veterinary Statutory Bodies (VSB) :
 - One for Veterinary Surgeons
 - ❖ One for Veterinary Paraprofessionals (VPP)



Presented during
the National
Workshop Aug
2022

1 • Getting the Veterinary Practice Bill (VPB) **passed as a law** – definition, spheres of activity, legal inclusion of VPP-related qualifications to be finalised.

2 • **Consolidation of all Veterinary & VPP curriculum development**, training programmes, Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) review and, Continuous Professional Development under the VPB → facilitates recognition

3 • Awareness of the relevance of VPP's in food/national security, public health, livelihoods and existence of the nation to secure priority & **continuous funding**.

4 • **Future-proofing Veterinary workforce**, moving higher in the value chain with more **emphasis of expertise & professionalism**.

WORK IN PROGRESS

VPB in 3rd draft 2nd ++
edition

*(Resolution on the number
of VSB's, their powers, and
what qualifications to be
included)*

Consolidation of VPP
curriculum development
can only be done once
powers are given.

*Engagement with
Malaysian Qualifications
Agency (MQA) is ongoing*



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