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Overview of the VEE Approval System in ASEAN Member States

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Sources of data

- Responses to the questionnaire used in the 2nd Regional Workshop for Veterinary Education Establishments (VEEs) and Veterinary Statutory Bodies (VSBs), Tokyo, Japan, November 2018
- Personal communication

Number of VEEs and veterinary graduates

Country	Number of VEEs	Average number of graduates/year	Female:Male ratio
Cambodia	1	75	25:75
Lao PDR	1	50	40:60
Myanmar	1	100	50:50
Malaysia	2	135	70:30
Indonesia	11 (2 private VEEs)	1,300	60:40
Thailand	14 (2 private VEEs)	660	70:30
Vietnam	18 (6 main VEEs)	2,500	50:50
Philippines	22 (3 private VEEs)	550	No info
Total	70	5,370	

Brunei and Singapore have no VEE.

Duration of veterinary curriculum and degree offered

Country	Duration of curriculum (years)	Degree offered	VEEs offering postgrad programmes
Cambodia	6	DVM	Nil
Lao PDR	6	DVM	Nil
Myanmar	6	DVM	Nil
Philippines	6	DVM	2 VEEs
Thailand	6	DVM	7 VEEs
Indonesia	5.5	DVM	4 VEEs
Malaysia	5	DVM	2 VEEs
Vietnam	5 or 5.5 4 or 4.5	DVM Bachelor of Veterinary medicine	10 VEEs

Authorities to approve VEEs/curriculum

Country	Higher education authority	VSB	Ministry of Agriculture
Cambodia	✓		✓
Indonesia	✓		
Lao PDR	✓		
Malaysia	✓	✓	
Myanmar	✓		✓
Philippines	✓	✓	
Thailand	✓	✓	
Vietnam	✓		✓



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License to perform activities of veterinary science

Country	VSB	Veterinary Authority	Validity of license	Licensing exam for all veterinary graduates	Require CPE for renewal of license
Brunei	-	✓	lifetime	-	-
Cambodia	-	✓	lifetime	-	-
Indonesia	-	✓	4 years	✓	✓
Lao PDR	-	✓	lifetime	-	-
Malaysia	✓	-	1 year	-	✓
Myanmar	✓	-	3 years	-	-
Philippines	✓	-	3 years	✓	✓
Singapore	-	✓	2 years	-	✓
Thailand	✓	-	5 years	✓	✓
Vietnam	-	✓	5 years	-	-



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