STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY CANTON, NEW YORK



MASTER SYLLABUS

COURSE NUMBER – COURSE NAME VSCT 210 - VETERINARY MICROBIOLOGY

CIP Code: 01.8301 For assistance determining CIP Code, please refer to this webpage <u>https://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/cipcode/browse.aspx?y=55</u> or reach out to Sarah Todd at todds@canton.edu

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School of Science, Health, and Criminal Justice

Department: VETERINARY SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY

Semester/Year: Spring 2025

- A. TITLE: Veterinary Microbiology
- B. COURSE NUMBER: VSCT 210
- C. CREDIT HOURS: (Hours of Lecture, Laboratory, Recitation, Tutorial, Activity)

Credit Hours: 1
Lecture Hours: 1 per week
Lab Hours: 0 per week
Other: per week

Course Length: 15 Weeks

D. WRITING INTENSIVE COURSE: Yes \Box No \boxtimes

E. GER CATEGORY: None: Yes: GER *If course satisfies more than one*: GER

F. SEMESTER(S) OFFERED: Fall Spring Fall & Spring

G. COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course consists of the study of pathogenic organisms encountered in animals and the diseases that they cause. Enrollment is limited to students in the veterinary technology programs

H. PRE-REQUISITES: None \Box Yes \boxtimes If yes, list below:

BIOL 209, VSCT 112, VSCT 202, VSCT 203

CO-REQUISITES: None \boxtimes Yes \square If yes, list below:

I. STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: (see key below)

By the end of this course, the student will be able to:

| Course Student Learning Outcome [SLO] | Program Student Learning Outcome [PSL0] | <u>GER</u> [If Applicable] | <u>ISLO & SUBSETS</u> | |
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| a. Examine pathogenic traits of bacteria and host defenses as both relate to the etiology of disease. | | | 2-Crit Think 5-Ind, Prof, Disc, Know Skills ISLO | Subsets Subsets Subsets Subsets |

| Discuss bacterial pathogens of domestic | 5-Ind, Prof, Disc, K | |
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| animals and the diseases they cause. | ISLO | Subsets |
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| Discuss viruses, systemic mycosis, and | 5-Ind, Prof, Disc, K | |
| prions and the veterinary diseases they | ISLO | Subsets |
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| KEY | Institutional Student Learning Outcomes [ISLO 1 – 5] | | |
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| 1 | Communication Skills | | |
| | Oral [O], Written [W] | | |
| 2 | Critical Thinking | | |
| | Critical Analysis [CA] , Inquiry & Analysis [IA] , Problem | | |
| | Solving [PS] | | |
| 3 | Foundational Skills | | |
| | Information Management [IM], Quantitative Lit,/Reasoning | | |
| | [QTR] | | |
| 4 | Social Responsibility | | |
| | Ethical Reasoning [ER], Global Learning [GL], | | |
| | Intercultural Knowledge [IK], Teamwork [T] | | |

Industry, Professional, Discipline Specific Knowledge and Skills

*Include program objectives if applicable. Please consult with Program Coordinator

J. APPLIED LEARNING COMPONENT:

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Yes 🗌 No 🖂

If YES, select one or more of the following categories:

Classroom/LabCivic EngagementInternshipCreative Works/Senior ProjectClinical PlacementResearchPracticumEntrepreneurshipService Learning(program, class, project)Community ServiceCommunity Service

K. <u>TEXTS</u>:

Veterinary Microbiology laboratory manual

L. REFERENCES:

Laboratory Procedures for Veterinary Technicians, Hendrix & Sirois, Sixth Edition, Mosby, St. Louis, MO

- M. EQUIPMENT: None Needed: Equipment and supplies provided by the program.
- N. GRADING METHOD: A-F
- 0. SUGGESTED MEASUREMENT CRITERIA/METHODS:

P. DETAILED COURSE OUTLINE:

Review of Microbiology and essential AVMA skills

Pathogens of the skin and wounds Pathogens of the eye and ear Pathogens of the gastrointestinal tract Pathogens of the urinary tract Pathogens of the reproductive tract Pathogens of the CNS Pathogens causing systemic disease