

RESIDENCY PROGRAM  
Veterinary Clinical Sciences (259014)  
2025-2028

**APPLICATION MUST BE SUBMITTED VIA THE VETERINARY INTERNSHIP AND RESIDENCY MATCHING PROGRAM  
BEFORE JANUARY 6, 2025 9:00 P.M EST**

**POSITION: VETERINARY EMERGENCY AND CRITICAL CARE**

**NUMBER OF POSITIONS AVAILABLE: 1**

**DESCRIPTION:**

This residency is a 3-year (36 months), full time, graduate program comprised of 108 credits earned primarily in clinical training. A diploma of advanced graduate studies (D.E.S.) is awarded upon completion of the program, and candidates are prepared for board certification by the American College of Veterinary Emergency and Critical Care (ACVECC). Clinical training focused on the field of veterinary emergency and critical care. The ECC service at the University of Montreal does perform mechanical ventilation (average 4-6 cases a year). However there is no advance renal replacement program at this time. The service consists of 3 ACVECC individuals, an Emergency Clinician and a specialized intern in ECC. There is a Small Animal Blood Bank on the premises and it provides canine blood products throughout Canada. Furthermore, there is an in-house blood donor cat colony. There is a mature and active Interventional Radiology Service, in addition to all the other Specialty services with the exception of Oncology. The resident participates in the clinical examination of patients (outpatients, emergency and hospitalized patients) and is responsible for the care of these cases outside of regular working hours. Residents participate in after hours on call on a regular basis (one week out of two or three). The resident is required to complete a clinical research project and to publish a first author paper. Furthermore, they are responsible for supervision of undergraduate students and interns on the small animal ECC rotation and will be asked to participate in undergraduate teaching laboratories. Residents are eligible for 3 weeks of holidays per year, scheduled with the program director. If the resident is not on emergency duty, they are eligible for the standard civic holidays. Any veterinary medical activities performed outside the residency program must be declared and approved by the program director and the Vice dean for clinical training and continuing education. A master's program may be offered after satisfactory completion of the first year.

**REQUIREMENTS:**

- Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) or equivalent
- Completion of an internship or equivalent experience
- Practising license from the Ordre des Médecins Vétérinaires du Québec
- Working knowledge of French

**TUITION FEES (Amounts shown are in Canadian currency):**

- Quebec, Canadian outside Quebec: On average \$16,293 for the duration of training
- French/French-speaking Belgian students: On average \$18,872 for the duration of training
- International students: On average \$60,728 for the duration of training, including the UdeM exemption scholarship

For further information regarding special funding, foreign applicants, with the exception of French and Belgian francophone applicants, please contact Mrs. Marie-Ève Bouchard at [marie-eve.bouchard.1@umontreal.ca](mailto:marie-eve.bouchard.1@umontreal.ca)

**SALARY:**

- \$27,000 /1<sup>st</sup> year
- \$29,000 /2<sup>nd</sup> year\*
- \$31,000 /3<sup>rd</sup> year\*

To these amounts are added \$1 782 for the 1<sup>st</sup> year, \$1 914 for the 2<sup>nd</sup> year and \$2 046 for the 3<sup>rd</sup> year (3.6 % for the payment of public holidays and 3 % for benefits).

A 2% contribution of gross salary will be deducted for union dues. Salary and conditions will follow the agreements stipulated in the collective agreement. Please note that depending on the specialty, a fee related to the specialty college may also be requested.

\* Continuation of the program to a second and third year depends on the mutual satisfaction of the resident and the Faculty.

*The resident has a \$3,200 allowance to attend conferences in his/her specialty, training program or book purchases (maximum \$CA 500).*

The resident participates in the on-call service during evenings, weekends, and holidays, as needed and according to the schedule established by the service, not exceeding 17.3 weeks of on-call duty over a 12-month period. This contribution to the on-call service is accompanied by a maximum additional remuneration of \$5,190 per year.

**PROGRAM DURATION:** July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025 to July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2028

**APPLICATION:**

All applications must be submitted via the Veterinary Internship and Residency Matching Program by January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Please see website for further details and registration. <https://www.virmp.org>

If you are only applying to the FMV of the Université de Montréal, your documents can be submitted in French.

**Candidate selection**

Results of the match will be posted on the VIRMP website on March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025.

Only the selected candidate will be asked to complete his/her full registration at the Université de Montréal (admission fees of \$CA 102).