

**Internship in veterinary clinical sciences
(I.P.S.A.V. – Program 259017)
2026-2027**

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: JANUARY 5th, 2026, 8:00 am EST

POSITION: INTERNSHIP IN EQUINE SURGERY

NUMBER OF POSITIONS AVAILABLE: 1

DESCRIPTION:

This internship in veterinary clinical sciences is an intensive graduate training program of 12 months (53 weeks) duration. A certificate is awarded upon completion. The program offers the opportunity to improve clinical skills in equine surgery, while allowing one to expand their knowledge in internal medicine, anesthesiology, reproduction, and lameness. The intern will also participate in a clinical research project and in the transmission of results. The veterinarian enrolled in this program will work in the Centre Hospitalier Universitaire Vétérinaire (CHUV). The intern is involved in out of hours and is eligible for 3 weeks vacation determined by the section head. Any professional activities performed outside the internship program must be declared to the Associate-Dean of clinical affairs.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) or equivalent
- Have recently completed an internship in Equine medicine or an equivalent experience prior to starting the program
- License from the Ordre des médecins vétérinaires du Québec **before** starting the program
- Internship in French

TUITION FEES (Amounts shown are in Canadian currency): <https://admission.umontreal.ca/programmes/internat-de-perfectionnement-en-sciences-appliquees-veterinaires/#couts-et-aide-financiere>

SALARY: The candidate receives \$ 19 500 for 53 weeks. To these amounts are added 1 287 \$ (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.

The specialized intern is also allotted a total amount of \$500 to attend one conference in his specialty during his/her program.

Intern responsibilities:

- (1) Out-of-hour duties based on the clinical schedule;
- (2) Patient care during undergraduate student's vacation;
- (3) Clinical teaching duties.

PROGRAM DURATION: July 8th, 2026 to July 14th, 2027 (For the intern on call, the program will end at 8:00 am the next day).

APPLICATION:

Any interested applicant must complete an application form and submit the following documents by **January 5th, 2026, 8:00 am at the latest**:

- Please contact Mrs. Marie-Ève Bouchard at marie-eve.bouchard.1@umontreal.ca to inform her of your intent to apply;
- Complete the application; <https://admission.umontreal.ca/admission/depot-de-la-demande/demande-dadmission> (\$102 fee) and submit the following documents: a letter of intent, a resume (CV) and transcripts;
- The email addresses of three references will be needed during the application process; the referees will have to fill out a form sent to them directly by the Université de Montréal and need to return the completed form. No other forms or reference letters will be needed;
- Students who have completed a clinical rotation at our Veterinary Teaching Hospital (CHUV) must provide their evaluation with their application for admission.

Important: Please indicate the specific position you are interested in on the application form

CANDIDATE SELECTION

The selected candidate will be contacted on **February 2nd, 2026, 8:00 am** by phone and email. The candidate will have 24 hours to accept or decline the position. If a candidate withdraws, the next candidate on the rank list will be contacted until all positions are filled. The rank list will not be disclosed. This process can take several days. Candidates on the waiting list and candidates not selected will be notified by email.

For information on the admission process please contact:

Mrs. Marie-Ève Bouchard, Student Affairs, Faculté de médecine vétérinaire marie-eve.bouchard.1@umontreal.ca
Phone: 450 773-8521 or 514 345-8521 extension 8224

***Students having done more than 3 months of training in the CHUV's equine hospital during their 5th year are exempt from providing 3 letters/grids, however evaluations of the training are to be annexed to the application. Letters and grids from veterinarians outside the CHUV are however welcome.*