

Activities, such as those listed in the following chart, may be approved for the amount of hours indicated.

<https://www.op.nysed.gov/professions/veterinarian/laws-rules-regulations/subpart-62>

Activity	Continuing Education Credit Hours
<p>Veterinarian's Provision of Free Spaying and/or Neutering Services.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Limited to Veterinarians.</li> <li>The offset will only count towards the maximum of 22 ½ hours of self-instructional CE per registration period.</li> </ul>	<p>Up to 3 hours, at a rate of one-half of one hour of continuing education for each hour of free spaying and neutering services. (§62.8 c. 1. i. a.)</p>
<p>Preparing and teaching a course of learning.</p>	<p>Continuing education hours that may be credited for this activity may include actual instructional time plus preparation time which may be up to two additional hours for each hour of presentation. (§62.8 c. 2. ii. b. 1.)</p>
<p>Preparing and teaching a course, acceptable to the Department, at a higher education institution relating to the practice of veterinary medicine or veterinary technology.</p>	<p>Continuing education hours that may be credited for this activity may include actual instructional time plus preparation time which may be up to two additional hours for each hour of presentation. (§62.8 c. 2. ii. b. 2.)</p>
<p>Making a technical presentation at a professional conference sponsored by an organization that is an approved sponsor of continuing education to veterinarians or veterinary technicians and that is approved pursuant to subdivision (i) of this section.</p> <p>i. Subjects. Acceptable continuing education shall contribute to the professional practice of veterinary medicine in the case of veterinarians and veterinary technology in the case of veterinary technicians, and shall focus on one or more of the following:</p>	<p>Continuing education hours that may be credited for this activity shall include actual presentation time, plus preparation time which may be up to two additional hours for each hour of presentation. Provided however that continuing education credit may not be claimed under sections (1), (2) and (3) where the licensee previously received continuing education credit for preparing or teaching the same course, or the same content if the course is given another name, unless the course has undergone substantial revision in content. (§62.8 c. 2. ii. b. 3.)</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. subjects that enhance knowledge and skill in clinical veterinary medicine and clinical veterinary technology.</li> <li>b. client communications and recordkeeping;</li> <li>c. general supervision;</li> <li>d. practice management, risk management, and other topics which contribute to the professional practice of veterinary medicine or veterinary technology; or</li> <li>e. matters relating to veterinary health care, agricultural practices related to animals, law, and/or ethics which contribute to professional practice in veterinary medicine and veterinary technology and the health, safety, and/or welfare of the public.</li> </ul>	
Professional specialty certification culminating in the passage of the certification examination; recertification	<p>Continuing education hours to be determined by the Department. (§62.8 c. 2. ii. b. 4.)</p> <p><b>Proposal: 10 hours of continuing education for initial certification; 5 hours for recertification</b></p>
Completing and receiving a passing score on an examination offered by an approved sponsor that demonstrates the licensee's knowledge of the laws, rules and regulations of New York relating to the practice of veterinary medicine.	2 hours of continuing education credit shall be awarded for receiving a passing score on such examination in any five-year period. (§62.8 c. 2. ii. b. 6.)