

Licensure, Registration, and Renewals

Consequences of Not Funding this Program

A lack of uniformity in setting standards and not assuring the public that a veterinarian or registered veterinary technician possesses the qualifications, skills, and ability to practice their profession.

Statutory Basis	Mandatory vs. Discretionary	MOE/Match Rqt.	Priority Level
Specific K.S.A. 47-814, 47-816, 47-829,	Mandatory	No	1

Program Goals

A. To assure the public consumer that each licensed veterinarian and each registered veterinary technician is qualified, properly trained, and performing in accordance with the Kansas Veterinary Practice Act.

B. To assure that all Kansas veterinary premises meet or exceed minimum premise standard to assure adequate facilities for providing veterinary services to the public in a sanitary and safe manner.

C. To assure that licensees practice in a manner that prevents and controls animal diseases communicable to humans.

D. To assure that licensees practice in a manner that protects the safety of animal products entering the public food chain.

E. To protect public welfare against negligent and fraudulent practices, including unlicensed practice.

F. To respond efficiently and effectively in the investigation of all allegations of violations reported to the agency inspection.

Program History

Licensing of veterinarians started in 1907 with provisions in the Veterinary Practice Act (KSA 47-815 et seq.) Registration of veterinary technicians was implemented in 1993.

Performance Measures

<i>Outcome Measures</i>	<i>Goal</i>	<i>FY 2019</i>	<i>FY 2020</i>	<i>FY 2021</i>	<i>3- yr. Avg.</i>	<i>FY 2022</i>	<i>FY 2023</i>
1. Licensure of new qualified veterinarians per year	A	129	158	158	148.33	148	148
2. Registration of new qualified veterinary technicians per year	A	48	62	60	56.67	55	55

Output Measures

4. Registration of new veterinary premises	B	15	12	15	14	15	15
5. Registration of mobile premises	G	0	0	40	13.33	6	5

Funding----Fee Funded Agency

<i>Funding Source</i>	<i>FY 2018</i>	<i>FY 2019</i>	<i>FY 2020</i>	<i>FY 2021</i>	<i>FY 2022</i>	<i>FY 2023</i>
State General Fund	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Non-SGF State Funds	345,795	333,189	347,000	330,086	354,551	351,671
Federal Funds	-	-	-	3,304	-	-
Total	\$ 345,795	\$ 333,189	\$ 347,000	\$ 333,390	\$ 354,551	\$ 351,671

Premise Inspections

Consequences of Not Funding this Program

Premises and mobile premises would not meet minimum standards to assure adequate facilities for providing services to the public in a sanitary and safe manner.

Statutory Basis	Mandatory vs. Discretionary	MOE/Match Rqt.	Priority Level
General KSA 47-821 & 840	Mandatory	No	1
Specific KSA 47-834 (b)	Mandatory	No	1
Specific KAR 70-6; 70-7	Mandatory	No	1

Program Goals

A. To have all Kansas veterinary premises in compliance with minimum standard regulations and registered with the Board
 B. To register all "new" premises
 C. To register all premises that change ownership

Program History

Regulations for minimum standards for Veterinary Premises Sanitary Conditions and Physical Plant was implemented in 1994 and amended in 2017. While mobile premises were being identified in FY20, the first ones were registered in FY21.

Performance Measures

Outcome Measures	Goal	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	3- yr. Avg.	FY 2022	FY 2023
1. Reduce the percent of premises that are not registered	A	1%	1%	1%	0.01	1%	1%
2. Reduce the percent of premises that do not meet the minimum standards	A	3%	0.76%	1%	0.02	1%	1%
3. Percent of all premises that have a change of ownership that are issued new registrations	C	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
4. Percent of new premises registered	B	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
5. Percentage of mobile veterinary premises registered	A	N/A	N/A	100%	100%	100%	100%

Output Measures

7. Number of non-registered premises that became registered	A	2	3	3	2.67	3	2
8. Number of non-complying premises that are brought into compliance	A	13	4	1	6	2	2
9. Number of new premises registered	B	15	12	15	14	15	15

10. Number of premises that have a change of ownership that are issued new Registrations.	C	12	9	9	10	11	11
11. Number of mobile practices registered	A	N/A	N/A	49	16.33	5	2

Funding

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Investigation of Complaints

Consequences of Not Funding this Program

No oversight over reports of diseases communicable to humans, unsafe animal products entering the food chain, violations of certificates of veterinary inspection, negligent and fraudulent practices including unlicensed practice of veterinarians and practice by registered veterinary technicians, and practice of impaired veterinarians and veterinary technicians,

Statutory Basis	Mandatory vs. Discretionary	MOE/Match Rqt.	Priority Level
Specific KSA 47-816, 834, 847	Mandatory	No	1

Program Goals

- A. Assure licensees practice in a manner which prevents and controls animal diseases communicable to humans, such as rabies.
- B. Assure licensees practice in a manner that protects the safety of animal products entering the food chain.
- C. Protection of the public welfare against negligent and fraudulent practices including unlicensed practice.
- D. Investigate all allegations of a licensed veterinarian's or registered veterinary technician's impairment.

Program History

The statute for practicing without a license was added in 1969. The statute relating to impaired veterinarians was added in 1989.

Performance Measures

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1. Percent of alleged violations relating to disease communicable to humans investigated	A	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
2. Percent of allegations of violations of misuse of drugs investigated	C	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
3. Percent of alleged veterinarians' impairment investigated	D	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
4. Percent of alleged complaints of negligence investigated	C	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Output Measures

Number of allegations of violations relating to diseases communicable to humans investigated	A	1	2	3	2	1	1
Number of allegations of violations of misuse of drugs investigated	C	2	2	0	1.33	1	1

Actual number of verified instances of negligence and fraudulent veterinary practices	C	10	12	25	15.667	6	6
Actual number of veterinarians assessed to have impairment	D	3	1	3	2.3333	3	3

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Revision of Statutes and Regulations

Consequences of Not Funding this Program

Outdated Statutes and Regulations as standards of practice.

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General KSA 47-821 (14)	Discretionary		1

Program Goals

A. Development of Standards of Practice, Rules, and Regulation for approval by the board.

Program History

The Powers of the Board for KSA 47-821 (14) was passed in 1969.

Performance Measures

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1. Percent of rules and	A	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

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