# Veterinary Nurse Assistant Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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| **Category** | Veterinary and Animal Science | **Duration** | 5 Days |
| **Base Fee** | $1,500 USD | **Delivery Mode** | Online / On-site Hybrid |

## Course Introduction

Veterinary Nurse Assistant Training Course is designed to equip aspiring veterinary professionals with practical skills, clinical knowledge, and hands-on experience needed to thrive in modern veterinary practices. This comprehensive training program emphasizes animal care, patient handling, surgical assistance, and laboratory support, ensuring graduates can confidently support veterinarians in diverse clinical settings. With a focus on real-world applications, the course blends theoretical foundations with experiential learning to foster competent and compassionate animal healthcare professionals.

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**Course Objectives**

1. Master animal anatomy and physiology for veterinary support roles.
2. Develop expertise in clinical procedures and surgical assistance.
3. Enhance animal handling and behavioral assessment skills.
4. Apply infection control and sterilization techniques effectively.
5. Gain proficiency in laboratory diagnostics and sample collection.
6. Understand pharmacology and safe medication administration.
7. Learn nutrition management and dietary planning for pets.
8. Acquire emergency response and first aid competencies for animals.
9. Implement effective client communication and customer service strategies.
10. Explore veterinary software and digital record-keeping tools.
11. Understand zoonotic diseases and public health considerations.
12. Develop skills in animal welfare, ethics, and legal compliance.
13. Gain hands-on experience through real-life case studies and simulations.

**Target Audience**

1. Aspiring veterinary assistants or nurses.
2. Animal shelter staff and volunteers.
3. Pet grooming professionals seeking clinical knowledge.
4. Veterinary students seeking practical exposure.
5. Zoo and wildlife care staff.
6. Pet store employees involved in animal care.
7. Individuals seeking a career in animal healthcare.
8. Veterinary clinic administrative staff wanting clinical awareness.

**Course Modules**

**Module 1: Introduction to Veterinary Nursing**

- Overview of veterinary assistant roles and responsibilities.
- History and evolution of veterinary care.
- Veterinary terminology and documentation.
- Ethics, professionalism, and workplace conduct.
- Case Study: Daily workflow of a busy veterinary clinic.

**Module 2: Animal Anatomy and Physiology**

- Body systems overview: circulatory, respiratory, digestive, and nervous.
- Comparative anatomy of common pets.
- Growth and development stages in animals.

- Vital signs monitoring and interpretation.
- Case Study: Assessing a puppy’s health during vaccination.

**Module 3: Animal Handling and Behavior**

- Safe restraint and handling techniques.
- Recognizing stress and aggression signals.
- Behavioral enrichment strategies for confined animals.
- Handling exotic pets and wildlife.
- Case Study: Reducing stress in anxious cats during checkups.

**Module 4: Clinical Procedures and Surgical Assistance**

- Preparing surgical instruments and maintaining aseptic conditions.
- Assisting in routine surgeries and spaying/neutering.
- Administering anesthesia and monitoring patients.
- Wound care, bandaging, and suture removal.
- Case Study: Supporting a veterinarian during emergency spay surgery.

**Module 5: Laboratory Diagnostics**

- Blood sampling, urine collection, and fecal testing.
- Microscopy and basic hematology.
- Sample labeling and record keeping.
- Understanding common diagnostic results.
- Case Study: Diagnosing a dog with suspected anemia.

**Module 6: Nutrition and Medication Management**

- Pet dietary requirements and meal planning.
- Safe storage and administration of medications.
- Calculating dosages and monitoring reactions.
- Identifying common nutritional deficiencies.
- Case Study: Developing a feeding plan for an overweight cat.

**Module 7: Emergency and First Aid Care**

- Handling trauma, fractures, and bleeding emergencies.
- CPR and resuscitation techniques for animals.
- Poisoning and toxic ingestion response.
- Disease outbreak management in clinics.
- Case Study: Treating a dog with accidental ingestion of chocolate.

**Module 8: Client Communication and Practice Management**

- Effective client communication and counseling.
- Maintaining patient records and appointments.
- Using veterinary practice management software.
- Managing client expectations and follow-ups.
- Case Study: Educating a pet owner on post-surgery care.

## Training Methodology

This course employs a participatory and hands-on approach to ensure practical learning, including:

- Interactive lectures and presentations.
- Group discussions and brainstorming sessions.
- Hands-on exercises using real-world datasets.
- Role-playing and scenario-based simulations.
- Analysis of case studies to bridge theory and practice.
- Peer-to-peer learning and networking.
- Expert-led Q&A sessions.
- Continuous feedback and personalized guidance.

**Register as a group from 3 participants for a Discount**

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***Certification***

*Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.*

***Tailor-Made Course***

*We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.*

**Key Notes**

**a.** The participant must be conversant with English.

**b.** Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate

**c.** Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.

**d.** The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.

**e.** One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.

**f.** Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

## Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

| Start Date | End Date | Location | Price |
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| **23 Nov 2026** | 27 Nov 2026 | Online | $1,000 |
| **23 Nov 2026** | 27 Nov 2026 | Physical | $1,500 |
| **23 Nov 2026** | 27 Nov 2026 | Physical | $3,000 |
| **23 Nov 2026** | 27 Nov 2026 | Physical | $3,000 |

| Start Date | End Date | Location | Price |
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| **23 Nov 2026** | 27 Nov 2026 | Physical | $6,000 |
| **23 Nov 2026** | 27 Nov 2026 | Physical | $4,500 |
| **23 Nov 2026** | 27 Nov 2026 | Physical | $6,000 |
| **23 Nov 2026** | 27 Nov 2026 | Physical | $6,000 |

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