



College Management Unit:	UCD College of Health and Agriculture
School Unit:	UCD School of Veterinary Medicine
Post Title & Subject Area (if relevant)	Specialist Clinician in Small Animal Internal Medicine
Post Duration:	3-year fixed term contract
Line Manager	Head of School or nominee
Grade:	Non -Scale
Competition Ref. N^o	018574
HR Administrator	Yasemin Ozdemir

Position Summary:

The School of Veterinary Medicine, University College Dublin invites applications for the position of Specialist Clinician in Small Animal Internal Medicine.

The UCD Veterinary Hospital has state of the art equipment including CT, MRI, ultrasound, interventional radiology, full endoscopy and arthroscopy, laser, a radioactive iodine unit and fully equipped surgical and intensive care suites. Ancillary support includes rehabilitation and physiotherapy. The Section currently has capacity for 14 Clinical Academics/Specialist Clinicians including five surgery, six internal medicine, two emergency and critical care and one oncology specialist. These staff are supported by 10 interns (rotating and discipline specific), 9 residents and a full team of ancillary staff.

Applicants must hold a degree in veterinary medicine registerable with the Veterinary Council of Ireland or a specialist degree with which an application for limited registration with the Veterinary Council (see www.vci.ie) could be made. The candidate should be a Diplomate of the European or College of Veterinary Internal Medicine-Companion Animals or the American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine (Small Animal Internal Medicine). Consideration may also be given to those who have completed a Small Animal Internal Medicine residency and are eligible to attain their Diploma in the immediate term.

The successful candidate will contribute effectively to the Section and the UCD Veterinary Hospital and in particular, will participate fully in undergraduate (clinical) teaching, in postgraduate residency training, and in the Internal Medicine Services provided by the Hospital.

Principal Duties and Responsibilities:

- Contributes to the strategic development of veterinary (under)graduate learning.
- Provide clinical teaching to (under)graduate veterinary and veterinary nursing students and interns.
- Active participation, supervision and clinical instruction of postgraduate education for DVMS students (residents) in training.
- Be an active clinical team player in the Small Animal Clinical Studies Section
- Play a role in planning for the expansion and future of small animal services in the UCD Veterinary Hospital, resulting in increasing clinical income and caseload. It is expected that clinical service and related clinical instruction will contribute approximately 80% of the appointee's effort with the remainder being devoted to administration, personal development and other scholarly activities.
- Develop and participate in Continuing Professional Development activities for veterinary practitioners.
- To contribute to the further development of the highest standards of professional and clinical practice in the UCD Veterinary Hospital and ensure compliance with all aspects of relevant legislation/registration.

- To undertake all appropriate Health and Safety duties.
- To undertake any other reasonable duties as required by Line Management.

Salary: €105,000 - €115,000 Non-Scale

Appointment will be made on scale and in accordance with the Department of Finance guidelines.

Details on eligibility to compete and pension information is available at

<https://www.ucd.ie/hr/resourcing/eligibilitytocompete/>

UCD is committed to creating an inclusive environment where diversity is celebrated and everyone is afforded equality of opportunity. We welcome applications from everyone, including those who identify with any of the protected characteristics that are set out in our Equality, Diversity and Inclusion policy. Learn more about Diversity at

<https://www.ucd.ie/workatucd/diversity/>

Reasonable accommodations will be provided to any applicant during the interview process who discloses they have a disability or are neurodiverse.

Selection Criteria

Selection criteria outline the qualifications, skills, knowledge and/or experience that the successful candidate would need to demonstrate for successful discharge of the responsibilities of the post. Applications will be assessed on the basis of how well candidates satisfy these criteria.

Mandatory:

Experience and Qualifications

- A Veterinary Degree registerable with the Veterinary Council of Ireland.
- Diplomate (Specialist) in Internal Medicine (ECVIM-CA or ACVIM SAIM)), or eligibility to attain such a qualification in the immediate term.
- A track-record of successful management of a specialist Internal Medicine caseload and hospital income generation through provision of such specialist services.
- Experience of clinical supervision and teaching of students or newly qualified veterinarians
- Ability to undertake collaborative work in a team setting.
- A high level of written and oral communication skills.
Computer literacy.
- Candidates must demonstrate how they can positively contribute to fostering an inclusive environment and a level of awareness of equality, diversity and inclusion.

Desirable:

- Demonstration of innovation in delivery of clinical services.
- A track-record of professional activities relevant to Internal Medicine, including CPD.
- University teaching expertise and a willingness and ability to teach in areas other than the applicant's primary specialty.

Supplementary information:

The University:	https://www.ucd.ie/
UCD Strategy 2030: Breaking Boundaries:	https://strategy.ucd.ie/
The College/Management Unit:	https://www.ucd.ie/chas/
The School/Programme Office/Unit:	www.ucd.ie/vetmed http://www.ucd.ie/vthweb/
Equality Diversity and Inclusion at UCD:	https://www.ucd.ie/workatucd/diversity/

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