



AVC: An essential course for individuals involved in dog vaccination programmes

The Animal Handling and Vaccination Certificate (AVC) is a free online course that is designed for professionals working in the field to vaccinate dogs against rabies. It provides essential knowledge and skills to help you handle and vaccinate dogs in a safe, effective and humane manner.

It is ideal for use as part of a physical training programme under the guidance of a professional, or as a refresher for trained handlers and vaccinators who want to update themselves on techniques based on the latest scientific knowledge of canine behaviour.

The course has five modules:

- ▶ The role of the animal handler and vaccinator
- ▶ Understanding animal behaviour
- ▶ Effective ways to approach dogs
- ▶ Equipment needed to catch and handle dogs
- ▶ Effective vaccine administration techniques

The AVC is self-paced and can be studied online or downloaded and studied offline. It can only be accessed after completing the Rabies Educator Certificate, which provides basic knowledge on rabies prevention and raising awareness in the community.

The final assessment is online and successful candidates receive a Certificate of Achievement.

Enrol now at : education.rabiesalliance.org