Code of subject	M_WE_SEM7 PW 1E/2E ZAB BEH
Field of study	Veterinary medicine
Name of the training module including	Behavioral disorders of dogs and cats
the Polish name	Zaburzenia behawioryzmu u psów i kotów
Language of instruction	English
Type of the training module	elective
Level of the training module	Master level
Form of studies	Stationary
Location in the programme (year)	4
Location in the programme (year)	7
Number of ECTS credits with a division	1 (0.6/0.4)
into contact/noncontact	1 (0.0/0.4)
-	PhD Malgarzata Kanica
Name and surname of the person in	PhD Małgorzata Kapica
charge	Department of Animal Physiology
Unit offering the subject Aim of the module	The aim of the module is to introduce students with the issues of
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	behavioral disorders of dogs and cats. The classes teach the
	ability to recognize, differentiate and deal with patients with behavioral disorders. Students will learn about the prevention
	and treatment of behavioral disorders.
	and treatment of behavioral disorders.
Learning outcomes	Knowledge:
	K1 knows the basic behavioral needs of dogs and cats
	K2 knows the basic behavioral disorders and mental diseases of
	dogs and cats
	K3 knows the methods of preventing the occurrence of
	behavioral disorders in dogs and cats
	K4 knows the basic methods of behavioral therapy of dogs and
	cats
	Skills:
	S1 knows how to conduct a behavioral interview
	S2 can recognize the natural and pathological behavior of dogs
	and cats
	S3 knows how to choose the appropriate methods of therapy of
	behavioral disorders in dogs and cats and apply appropriate
	pharmacotherapy
	Social competences:
	C1 Demonstrates responsibility for making decisions towards
	people and animals
	C2 Has the habit of constantly expanding knowledge and
	improving skills
	C3 Is able to popularize knowledge of human influence on animal
	behavior
	K4 Can present the acquired knowledge in a group
Preliminary and additional	No requirements
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Contents of the training module – a	1. Basic behavioral needs of dogs and cats. Normal and
compact description	pathological behavior - 1 hour
	2. Consequences of abnormal behavioral development in dogs
	and cats (social deprivation syndrome, DHD hyperactivity and
	hyperactivity syndrome, compulsive behavior, sound phobias,
	distancing aggression, fear aggression, generalized anxiety) - 4
	hours.
	3. Aggression as one of the main behavioral disorders in cats -2
	hours.
	4. Stereotypes and compulsory behavior - 1 hour.
	5. Animal showing behavioral disturbances as a patient of
	veterinary clinic - 1 hour.
	6. Interview, diagnostic procedure, differential diagnosis - 1 hour.
	7. Possibilities of preventing the occurrence of behavioral
	disorders in dogs and cats - 1 hour.
	8. Man - the main cause of dog behavioral problems - 1 hour.
	9. The diet modulates dogs behavior -1 hour
	10. Basics of behavioral and pharmacological therapy for
	behavioral and mental disorders in dogs and cats - 2 hours.
Recommended and obligatory reading	1. BSAVA Manual of Canine and Feline Behavioural Medicine 2nd
list	Edition
	by Debra F. Horwitz (Editor), Daniel S. Mills (Editor)
	2. Behavior Problems of the Dog and Cat 3rd Edition by Gary
	Landsberg DVM DACVB DECAWBM (CA), Wayne Hunthausen BA
	DVM, Lowell Ackerman DVM DACVD MBA MPA CVA MRCVS
	3. Canine and Feline Behavior for Veterinary Technicians and
	Nurses 1st Edition
	by Julie Shaw (Editor), Debbie Martin (Editor)
	4 Handbook of behaviour problems of the dog and cat. Landsberg
	G.M., Hunthausen W.L., Ackerman L.J.: Elsevier, Westborough,
	2003
	5. Clinical Behavioral Medicine For Small Animals 1st Edition by
The interest of formers / tiniting / to tinit	Karen L. Overall (Author)
The intended forms/activities/ teaching	Teaching methods: Auditorium exercises, multimedia
methods	presentations, films, discussion
Methods of verification and	K1, K2, K3, K4. Written final test, discussion during and after each
documentation forms of the achieved	thematic panel.
learning outcomes	S1, S2, S3. Participation in exercises, discussion in a team on a
	topic assigned by the teacher, preparation of presentations in
	groups on a selected topic
	C1, C2, C3., C4 Activity and oral answers in class, evaluation of
	work and cooperation in a group.

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Balance of ECTS credits	- participation in classes - 15 hours,
	- participation in consultations related to the preparation to pass
	- 2 x 1 hour. = 2 hours,
	- attendance at the written test - 1 hour
	Total 0.6 ECTS
	- preparation for the exercises (reading the recommended
	literature) - 5 hours,
	- preparation for a written test - 3 hours,
	- preparation of presentations for classes - 4 hours
	Total - 0.4 ECTS
Number of contact hours	- participation in classes - 15 hours,
	- participation in consultations related to the preparation to pass
	- 2 hours,
	- attendance at the written test - 1 hour
	Total 0.6 ECTS
Relationship between subject learning	K1 WE_W02 ++
outcomes and veterinary studies	K2 WE_W15 ++
learning outcomes	K3 WE_W15++
	K4 WE_W15 ++
	S1 WE_U14 ++
	S2 WE_U16 ++
	S3 WE_U25 ++
	C1 WE_K6 ++
	C2 WE_K5 ++
	C3 WE_K10 ++
Impact of selected compounds to final	The following elements influence the final grade:
grade	- attendance at lectures (test admission condition),
	- independent development and presentation of clinical cases:
	50% of the final grade in the subject
	- final pass (test): 50% of the final grade in the subject