Module code	M_WE_SEM6 DIAGN 2	
Field of study	Veterinary medicine	
Module name	Clinical and Laboratory Diagnostics 2	
	Diagnostyka kliniczna i laboratoryjna 2	
Language of instruction	English	
Module type	obligatory	
Level of studies	Long-cycle Master's Degree studies	
Mode of study	Full-time	
Year of study	3	
Semester of study	6	
ECTS credits, divided into	5 (3,1/1,9)	
contact/non-contact		
Academic title/degree, name of the	Dr hab. Marcin Szczepanik	
person responsible for the module	·	
Unit teaching the module	Department of Clinical Diagnostics and Veterinary Dermatology	
Module objective	The aim of the module is to teach students methods of safe handling	
	of animals, methods of general and detailed clinical studies	
	concerning individual animal species (companion animals, livestock	
	and horses) and basic analytical methods. The student is expected to	
	learn clinical concepts and master skills related to clinical study and	
	laboratory diagnosis according to the programme	
The learning outcomes for the	Knowledge:	
module are a description of the	K1. Student knows how to properly conduct an animal description,	
knowledge, skills and social	perform a physical examination of the general and detailed	
competences that the student will	examination of the various systems in livestock and horses.	
gain after completing the module.	K2. Student knows the principles of collection, storage, transport,	
	examination of biological material and their diagnostic significance	
	Skills:	
	S1. Student is able to carry out clinical examination of the body,	
	respiratory, circulatory, digestive, locomotor, nervous and	
	genitourinary systems of livestock and horses.	
	S2. Student is able to collect, evaluate and store material for	
	laboratory tests and perform basic laboratory tests in accordance	
	with the safety requirements	
	S3. The student is able to apply the reference values of diagnostic	
	parameters for different animal species	
	S4. The student is able to perform subcutaneous, intramuscular and	
	intravenous injections and puncture.	
	Social competences:	
	C1. Student is able to ethically handle animals during examination and	
	collection of material for tests.	
	C2. Student is able to cooperate with other veterinarians during the	
	performance of professional duties and with specialists from various	
	fields.	

C3. Student is aware of his/her own limitations, knows the	
	consequences of his/her actions on future professional duties,
	understands the need for constant education and self-improvement
	in the field covered by the curriculum
Entry and additional requirements	Clinical and Laboratory Diagnostics 1

Module curriculum:	Classes:
	Basic examination of cattle. Animal handling during examination and
	methods of taming cattle. Cattle age determination. Examination of
	mucous membranes of natural orifices. Lymph node examination
	Respiratory examination of cattle. Examination of the upper
	respiratory tract near nasal orifices. Nasal discharge, paranasal
	sinuses. Examination of the larynx and trachea, thyroid gland,
	assessment of cough and dysphoea. Topographical and comparative
	chest palpation, auscultation of the lungs.
	Examination of cardiovascular system of cattle. Examination of the
	heart - visual inspection, palpation, tapping, auscultation (heart
	tones at major points - changes in strength, colour, rhythm).
	Examination of the peripheral vessels: arteries and veins.
	Examination of the forestomachs, abomasum and intestines of
	ruminants rumen: inspection); palpation, tapping (location of rumen
	sounds); auscultation (frequency, strength, type, contractions and
	rumen sounds). Examination of the reticulum: deep palpation;
	tapping; pain tests. Examination of the omasum by palpation,
	auscultation. Examination of the intestines of cattle through the
	rectum.
	Basic examination of horses. Handling animals during examination
	and methods of taming horses. Horse age determination.
	Examination of mucous membranes of natural orifices. Lymph node
	examination
	Respiratory examination of horses. Upper respiratory tract
	examination. Chest examination.
	Examination of the cardiovascular system of horses. Cardiac
	Examination and Peripheral Vascular Examination.
	Examination of the stomach and intestines of horses, diagnostic
	probing, transabdominal examination, rectal examination, and rectal administration.
	Subcutaneous, intramuscular, intravenous injections, punctures.
	Collection of material for laboratory testing, handling of biological material collected.
	Laboratory examination of urine: physical and chemical properties.
	Microscopic examination of urine sediment. Interpretation of
	results.
	Interstitial fluid testing.
	Hematological and biochemical examination of dogs and cats.
	Interpretation of results
	Lectures
	Examination of the respiratory and cardiovascular systems of cattle.
	Examination of digestive system of cattle.
	Examination of the genitourinary, nervous and musculoskeletal
	systems of cattle.
	Herd examination programme
	Clinical examination of horses.

	Clinical examination of horses. Detailed examination of the nervous,
	musculoskeletal and genitourinary systems.
	Examination of digestive system of horses.
	Preparation of biological material for laboratory testing,
	collaboration with laboratories
	Laboratory tests concerning the examination of the endocrine
	system thyroid and adrenal glands
	Biochemical testing. Diagnostic profiles. Liver and heart
	Urine and interstitial fluid testing.
	Haematological examination and coagulation factors.
	Examination of systems and organs. Digestive system: pancreas
	profile
List of core and supplementary	Core literature:
literature	Taylor S.M.: Diagnostic and therapeutic procedures Elsevier
	Baumgartner W.: Clinical diagnostics of animals Elsevier
	Marek J., Mocsy J.: Clinical diagnostics of internal diseases of animals
	Mocsy J.: Veterinary clinical diagnostics
	Mayer D., Harvey D., Laboratory diagnostics in veterinary medicine
	Edra Urban & Partner
	Sink C., Weinstein N.M Atlas of urine examination in dogs and cats
	Supplementary literature:
	Kelly W. R.: Diagnostic clinique veternaire. Libraire Maloine SA
	Editour, 1971.
	Gunther M.: Klinische Diagnostik unter besonderer Berucksichtigung
	der Anasthesiologie. Hirzel Verlag Leipzig 1979.
	Speirs V.: Clinical examination of horses. Saunders company. 1997.
	Lorenz M., Cornelius L.: Small animal medical diagnosis. Lippincott
	company, 1993.
Planned forms/activities/teaching	The course involves the following didactic methods: lecture,
methods	demonstration of research and diagnostic methods, classes with
	multimedia presentations and practical classes with animals and on
	mannequins in the Department of Internal Medicine

Verification methods and ways of		
documenting the achieved learning	verification of learning outcomes.	
outcomes	K.2. Credit for test Single-choice test graded accor verification of learning outcomes.	ding to the rules of
	S. 1. S.2 S.3. S.4 Credit for practical classes	
	C. 1. Sc. 2 Sc 3 Credit for tests and practical class	25
	As part of the module in semester 6, students a	
	three credits	
	In the field of clinical examination of cattle	
	In the field of clinical examination of horses	
	In the field of laboratory diagnostic	
	Each examination consists of two parts	
	Practical examination - with a patient. As par	rt of the practical
	examination, each student draws 3 questions on the performance o	
	specific activities concerning the clinical examination. The evaluation	
	is made on the correctness of the examination and its proper	
	interpretation Theoretical examination in the form of single-choice test graded	
	Theoretical examination in the form of single-choice test graded	
	according to the verification of learning outcomes for students of	
	Faculty of Veterinary Medicine	
	The grade for credits 1,2,3 is calculated as the arithmetic mean of	
	parts A and B	
	In the case of a failing grade, a corrective oral assessment is	
	organised: student has to answer 3 randomly drav	
	The final grade is calculated as the arithmetic mea	n of 3 credits 1,2,3
	Final grade:	
	It is calculated on the basis of a weighted average	
	grade of module 1 has a weight of 2, the final gra	de of module 2 has
	a weight of 2, and the exam has a weight of 6.	
	Grade	weight
	Module 1	2
	Module 2	2
	Final Examination	6
	The final grade is based on the calculated average	using the above
	formula	
	Average 2 to 2.75 - 2	
	2.76 to 3.25 - 3	
	3.26 to 3.75 - 3.5	
	3.76 to 4.25 - 4	
	4.26 to 4.75 - 4.5	
	4.76 to 5 - 5	
	The grade must be positive, in case of failing, a re-sit examination is	
	organised.	
	Forms of documenting the achieved learning outc	omes: archiving
	test examinations, academic teacher's register, ex	amination
	minutes.	

ECTS credits			
	CONTACT	T	
		Hours	ECTS
	lectures	30	1,2
	classes	30	1,2
	Component grades/retake	6	0,24
	Exam	6	0,24
	consultations	5	0,22
	TOTAL contact	76	3,1
	NON-CONTACT		
	preparation for classes	19	0,75
	learning from books	19	0.75
	preparation for examination	10	0,4
	TOTAL non-contact	48	1,9
The workload of activities that	Lecture attendance – 30 hours		
require direct participation of an	Class attendance – 30 hours		
academic teacher	Conference attendance – 5 hours		
	Test and examination attendance – 12 hours		
Comparison of module learning	K.1. WE_W18++, WE_W19+++, WE_W21++		
outcomes and major learning	K.2 WE_W21+++		
outcomes	S.1 WE_U15++, WE_U16+++		
	S.2. WE_U19+++		
	S.3. WE_U19+++		
	S.4.WE_U15+, WE_U19+++		
	Sc.1 WE_K2++		
	Sc.2. WE_K11+,WE_K4++		
	Sc.3. WE_K5++, WE_K6++,		

Elements and weighting factors	The final grade is calculated as the arithmetic mean of 3 credits		
affecting final grade	1,2,3.		
	Final grade:		
	It is calculated on the basis of a weighted average in which the final		
	grade of module 1 has a weight of 2, the final grade of module 2 has		
	a weight of 2, and the exam has a weight of 6.		
	Grade	weight	
	Module 1	2	
	Module 2	2	
	Final Examination	6	
	The final grade is based on the calculated average using the above formula		
	Average 2 to 2.75 - 2		
	2.76 to 3.25 - 3		
	3.26 to 3.75 - 3.5 3.76 to 4.25 - 4 4.26 to 4.75 - 4.5		
	4.76 to 5 - 5		
	One unexcused absence from classes (2 hours) is allowed.		
	Students who achieve above-average results in the practical pa		
	the course (average grades of at least 4.5) may be	exempted from	
the practical part of the final examina			