Module code	M WE SEM9 DIET			
Field of study	Veterinary medicine			
Module name	Veterinary Dietetics			
	Dietetyka weterynaryjna			
Language of instruction	English			
Module type	obligatory			
Level of studies	Long-cycle Master's Degree studies			
Mode of study	Full-time			
Year of study in the field of study	V			
Semester of study in the field of study	IX			
ECTS credits, divided into	2 (1.2/0.8)			
contact/non-contact hours				
Academic title/degree, name of the	Dr. n. wet. Beata Abramowicz			
person responsible for the module				
Unit teaching the module	Clinic of Internal Diseases of Animals			
Module objective	The aim of the module is to familiarize students with selected issues of the basics of animal nutrition (dogs, cats, horses, cattle, pigs). Acquisition of the ability to differentiate between livestock and veterinary foods. Introduction to the principles of feeding healthy and sick animals (in selected diseases of the gastrointestinal tract, urinary tract, circulation and respiratory system). Acquisition of skills in selecting veterinary (therapeutic) foods as an adjunct to pharmacological treatment. The issues covered are within the minimum curriculum for veterinary			
	students.			
The learning outcomes for the module	Knowledge:			
include a description of the	K1 The student knows the interspecies differences in nutrient			
knowledge, skills and social	requirements			
competences that the student will	K2 The student understands the differences between home prepared food			
gain after completing the module.	and commercial food			
	K3 The student knows regulations governing the requirements for animal			
	nutrition			
	Skills:			
	S1 The student is able to monitor the nutritional status of animals to prevent malnutrition and obesity			
	S2 The student is able to select the nutritional rations for animals in the			
	most common diseases and convalescence period			
	S3 The student is able to analyze the information on animal nutrition			
	affecting their health			
	S4 The student is able to cooperate in a team			
	Social competences:			
	C1 The student is ready to solve dilemmas related to dietary animal			
	nutrition			
	C2 The student has the habit of constant deepening of knowledge in the			
	field of dietetics and improving skills concerning animal nutrition			
	C3 The student is able to use available sources of veterinary knowledge			
Preliminary and additional	None			
requirements				

Module programme content	Lectures:			
	1. Discussion of the requirements for passing the course - 1 hour			
	2. nutrition of puppies and kittens in the first year of life - 2 hours			
	3. Dietary management of obese patients - 2 hours			
	4. Dietary management of the geriatric patient - 2 hours			
	5. Nutrition of dogs and cats with cancer - 1 hour.			
	6. Small mammal nutrition or sports dog nutrition - 1 hour. (for selection			
	7. Commercial diets in dog and cat nutrition - 2 hrs.			
	8. Feeding of sick foals - 2 hrs.			
	9. Feeding of cows in selected diseases of cattle - 2 hrs.			
	Classes:			
	1. general principles of animal nutrition - 2 hours			
	2 Hospital artificial and forced feeding - 2 hrs.			
	3. Nutrition of animals with respiratory and circulatory diseases - 2 hrs.			
	4. Nutrition of animals with gastrointestinal diseases - 1 hour.			
	5. Nutrition of animals with urinary tract diseases - 1 hour.			
	5. Maintenance pet foods and medicated foods for small animals - 2 hrs.			
	6. Feeding sick horses - 2 hrs.			
	7. Importance of ration in feeding dairy cattle - 1 hr.			
	8. Feeding sick livestock - pigs - 1 hour.			
	9. Arrangement of food rations in selected disease entities - 1 hour.			
List of basic and supplementary	1 Lewis, Small Animal Clinical Nutrition, ed. III, 1989			
literature	2. Pibot, Encyclopedia of Canine Clinical Nutrition, Royal Canin,2006			
	3. Pibot, Encyclopedia of Feline Clinoical Nutrition, Royal Canin, 2006			
	4. Available veterinary magazines on animal nutrition			
Planned forms/activities/teaching	Lectures, discussion with students, practical exercises - preparing rations,			
methods	consultations			

Verification methods and ways of documenting the achieved learning outcomes.

Verification of the achieved learning outcomes is obtained through evaluation of student activity during the classes (active - plus "+", inactive - minus "-"). A student should earn at least seven plus points (7 "+") to receive credit for the module. In the hands-on portion, students analyze specific clinical cases (provided by the instructor) and select dietary (therapeutic) nutrition. A student should earn at least seven plus points (7 "+") to receive credit for this module. The final credit for a module is a sum of plus ('+') marks of at least 14. In addition, attendance at at least 86% of the exercises in the module plan is required to pass the course.

The written final exam consists of 40 - 50 single-choice test questions. The questions cover both the lecture material and the material presented in the exercises. A student is required to earn a minimum of 61% of the total possible points for the final exam to receive a passing grade.

Criteria used in grading the exam:

Number of points:

0 - 60 % 2.0 (failing grade)

61 - 69% 3.0 (sufficient)

70 - 79 % 3.5 (sufficient plus)

80 - 89 % 4.0 (good)

90 - 94 % 4.5 (good plus)

95 - 100 % 5.0 (very good)

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Form of classes	Number of contact hours	ECTS credits
Lectures	15	0.5
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Seminars	5	0.17
Laboratory classes	10	0.35
Examination	2	0.08
Total	32 hrs.	1.2
	Number of non-	
	contact hours	
Preparation for laboratory classes	12	0.4
Preparation for the exam	12	0.4
Consultations		
Total	24 hrs.	0.8
Total	59 hrs.	2
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The workload of activities that require direct participation of an academic teacher

- participation in lectures 15 hrs.,
- participation in exercises 15 hours;
- participation in consultations
- participation exam 2 hrs;

Total 1.2 ECTS

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Relation of module learning outcomes	K1B.W.13. +++		
to major learning outcomes	K2 B.W.14+++		
	K3B.W.21+		
	S1 B.U.5.+++		
	S2 B.U.13.+++		
	S3B.U.20.++		
	S4A.U.15.++		
	K1C.W3.++		
	S2C.U3.++		
	C1K3)++		
	C2K8)+++		
	C3K4)+++		
Elements and values affecting final	Final grade:		
grade	- attendance at classes and lectures - 5% weight		
	- active participation in classes - during the discussion of clinical cases and		
	nutritional rationing - weight of 20%		
	- test grade - 75% weight		