

Residency in Small Animal Internal Medicine at University College Dublin, Ireland

University College Dublin Veterinary Hospital (UCDVH) is a leading multi-disciplinary, specialist, veterinary referral and teaching hospital located in the thriving city of Dublin in the east of Ireland. Small animal services include internal medicine, ECC, oncology, diagnostic imaging, orthopaedics and neurosurgery, soft tissue surgery, anaesthesia, and dermatology, as well as in-house rehabilitation and physiotherapy.

We invite applications for the position of Resident in Small Animal Internal Medicine to commence in September 2025.

This is a four-year training position with the following aims:

- To provide clinical training in the field of small animal internal medicine in an approved residency programme
- To obtain a professional doctorate
- To provide an introduction to and experience in clinical research
- To develop communication and teaching skills.

The Resident will be expected to enrol and successfully complete certification for the Diploma of the European College of Veterinary Internal Medicine – Companion Animals (Dipl. ECVIM-CA Internal Medicine).

The Resident must also enrol for a postgraduate professional doctorate qualification (Doctor of Veterinary Medical Specialisation – DVMS);

https://www.ucd.ie/vetmed/study/graduateprogrammes/professionaldoctoratedvms/).

There will be a formal Stage Transfer Assessment for the professional doctorate at approximately 18 months.

The successful applicant will have a veterinary qualification registrable by the Veterinary Council of Ireland (see www.vci.ie) and satisfy both VCI and UCD English language requirements (Minimum English Language Requirements - UCD Registry). A demonstrable interest in achieving specialist training and research skills in small animal medicine is required. Applicants must have completed a one-year rotating internship (or its equivalent) demonstrating broad training and experience as dictated by the European College of Veterinary Internal Medicine – Companion Animals (ECVIM-CA) (www.ecvim-ca.org).

Closing date for applications: 13:00 (Irish Time) Friday, 28th February 2025

Application procedure

For further description of the position, including mandatory and desirable selection criteria, and details on how to apply, please go to the UCD Veterinary Hospital website: https://www.ucd.ie/vthweb/aboutus/jointheteam/

Short-listed applicants will be contacted regarding interviews. These are likely to be held in March 2025. The proposed start date is early September 2025.