

Oregon Veterinary Medical Examining Board

North American Veterinary Licensing Examination (NAVLE)

Candidate Eligibility Application

When and Where

The NAVLE is administered in two periods: **April** and **November- December** (see exact dates below). You may take the NAVLE any day during the test period, subject to availability of space. Testing centers are open Monday through Friday and many are also open on Saturday.

Once you have been approved to take the NAVLE, you may test at any site in North America. Test centers are listed at www.sylvanprometric.com. Look for sites listed for the USMLE Step 1 exam.

You may take the NAVLE for the first time on any day during the testing period six months prior to your anticipated graduation. For example, if you expect to graduate in May or June, you may take the NAVLE for the first time during the November-December test period.

Who is Eligible

You must be approved to take the NAVLE by a licensing board in the US or Canada. You must be a senior student at or graduate of an AVMA accredited or approved school or college of veterinary medicine. If you are a senior student at or graduate of a non AVMA accredited or approved school, you must be enrolled in either the Educational Commission for Foreign Veterinary Graduates (ECFVG) program or the Program for the Assessment of Veterinary Equivalency (PAVE) programs. ECFVG applicants must have completed Step 3 of the ECFVG program. Your application must include a diploma copy and official transcript, or dean's letter verifying enrollment in an accredited school. Students or graduates of non-accredited schools must include proof of enrollment in ECFVG or PAVE.

How to Apply

This registration and affidavit form certifies your eligibility to take the NAVLE. It must be completed and accompanied by a \$50 fee (check or money order), school information, and a notarized photo.

IN ADDITION TO APPLYING FOR ELIGIBILITY THROUGH OREGON, YOU MUST APPLY TO DIRECTLY THE NATIONAL BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS (NBVME) TO SIT FOR THE NAVLE. Deadline for submission of NBVME forms is 92 days prior to NAVLE administration dates . You are advised to apply for eligibility and testing at the same time. NAVLE application instructions, fees and sample tests are available online at www.nbvme.org or by calling 701-224-0332.

Application deadlines for Nov. 17-Dec. 13, 2008 and April 13-25, 2009 tests:	
NBVME application and \$500 fee Oregon application and \$50 fee	} August 1, 2008
NBVME application and \$500 fee due Oregon application and \$50 fee due	} January 3, 2009

After deadlines, you will receive notice of acceptance by NBVME. You should then contact a Sylvan Prometric site to schedule your test.

Candidate Bulletin: A sample test is available online at www.nbvme.org. Click on 'Information for NAVLE Candidates.' If you do not have internet access, contact us for a hard copy of the Bulletin.

Special Accommodation: If you have a disability that requires special materials, services or assistance, you must include this information with your Oregon application so that reasonable accommodations can be arranged.

Score Reporting: The NAVLE will be scored after the close of each testing period. Scores will be reported to licensing boards, and boards will mail scores to candidates. Oregon does not provide score reports over the telephone.

COMPLETE THE OTHER SIDE OF THIS FORM

Name:		Social Security #:
Mailing Address:		
Daytime Phone:	School & date of graduation:	
Enrolled in ECFVG or PAVE Program? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Expected date of completion:		

NOTARY PUBLIC: PLEASE NOTARIZE PHOTO 

NOTARY PUBLIC: In the State of _____
 County of _____
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20____
 Signed _____
 Notary Public for _____ County
 Commission expires on _____



AFFIDAVIT OF APPLICANT

I, _____, depose and say that the preceding statements and photograph are true and correct, and that I am the person described and identified on this Registration Form for the North American Veterinary Licensing Examination (NAVLE).

 Signature of applicant

Include with this form:

- ▶ **Diploma copy, transcript or dean’s letter of enrollment in an accredited veterinary school, and ECFVG or PAVE certification if applicable.**
- ▶ **Notarized photo (face only—passport photo is ideal) stapled or taped above. Photo must fit in designated space.**
- ▶ **Check or money order for \$50 payable to OVMEB.**

**Send to: OVMEB
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