

Oregon Veterinary Medical Examining Board

INTERN EUTHANASIA TECHNICIAN APPLICATION

How to Apply for Internship and Certification

OAR 875-040-0010 Certification of Technicians

(1) Applicants must first apply as a CET Intern in order to obtain the training required for a permanent CET certificate. CET Interns may not act independently but only under the immediate supervision of a CET or Oregon licensed veterinarian. The intern certificate will expire within one year of issue date and does not renew.

(a) The Board may conduct background checks on applicants and certificate holders. Applicants and certificate holders shall be required to provide any police and court records for any arrests and convictions.

(b) The applicant must be an employee or a volunteer at a humane society or animal control agency.

(c) Pay an initial certification fee of \$25.00.

(2) Upon completion of the internship's training, the intern may apply for a permanent certificate.

(3) In order for a person to become a permanent Certified Euthanasia Technician (CET), an application must include the following, within the last 12 months:

(a) 15 hours of documented observation and hands-on training done with a licensed DVM or CET within the entity the individual is employed or volunteers with and exhibits proficiency when assessed within their organization performing euthanasia of domestic pets and other animals when observed by a licensed veterinarian; or

(b) Completion of an approved euthanasia course and exhibits proficiency when assessed within their organization performing euthanasia of domestic pets and other animals when observed by a licensed veterinarian; and

(c) Submission of an evaluation verification form attesting that the applicant has satisfactorily completed the internship. The supervising, Oregon licensed, veterinarian shall submit this form.

(4) Upon separation from an organization, a CET will not euthanize animals until the person is employed by or is a volunteer at another approved agency, completed specific training in association with that agency, and the CET has notified the Board.

(a) Certificates are valid only for the agency at which the person is currently working.

(b) The CET will notify the Board within 10 days of their separation from their organization.

(5) If a CET is reemployed or volunteers within 12 months of holding a CET license, the CET may apply to the Board for reactivation of their certification. After a 12-month lapse, the person must become recertified as described in (1).

(6) CET certificate holders will need to be recertified every 5 years in the form of a proficiency assessment done by an Oregon licensed veterinarian and submitted to the Board with their certificate renewal.

(7) All CET certificates expire on October 31st of each year and are in effect for one calendar year.

(8) Certificate renewal fee is \$15.

(9) Annual verification of employment or volunteer status must come directly from the organization the CET is employed or volunteers with.

(10) Failure to renew or provide verification of employment or volunteer status will result in a lapse and euthanasia duties may not be conducted until the certificate is reinstated.

(11) The Board may suspend, revoke, or otherwise discipline a CET Intern or permanent CET certificate holder for unprofessional conduct or non-compliance with applicable Board statutes and rules.

Fees are NOT REFUNDABLE

Make sure you meet all eligibility criteria before submitting this application with \$25 check or MO to:

Oregon Veterinary Medical Examining Board
800 NE Oregon St., Ste. 407
Portland, OR 97232

Contact the Board if you have any questions. 971-673-0224 or ovmeh.info@state.or.us



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1 DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

Certification - \$25 (____)

Name:	Social Security #:
Mailing Address (street, city, state, zip):	
Phone: _____ Email: _____	Birthdate:

2 BACKGROUND (You must answer each of the following questions.)

Are you or have you ever been certified as a CET, CVT, RVT or AHT in another state or country?..... Yes No

→ If you answered "yes" you must ask each jurisdiction to send a letter of license verification and status directly to the Oregon Veterinary Board.

<u>Type of License</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>License #</u>	<u>Date Issued</u>

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Yes No

Is there any reason you cannot safely perform the duties of a euthanasia technician? Yes No

Have you ever had a CET, CVT or other professional license suspended or revoked or been issued other disciplinary action in any state or country? Yes No

Are there facts not disclosed by your previous answers that might bear adversely on your eligibility and competence to practice as a euthanasia technician?..... Yes No

If any answers above are "yes" you must provide explanations on a separate sheet. Failure to provide explanations could result in denial of application.

Do you agree that, if there are any other matter(s) that occur hereafter, before you receive your certification as a euthanasia technician, which might adversely bear on your eligibility to perform euthanasia technology duties, such matter(s) will be disclosed immediately to the Oregon Veterinary Medical Examining Board? Yes No

Mail application with check or money order to: OVMEB 800 NE Oregon St., Ste. 407 Portland, OR 97232

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AFFIDAVIT OF APPLICANT

I, _____, depose and say that all statements herein and photograph are true and correct, and that I am the person described and identified on this Application Form for the Euthanasia Technician Certification.

Signature: _____

NOTARY PUBLIC:

In the State of _____, County of _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20____

Signed _____

Commission expires: _____



(NOTARY SEAL HERE)