



ONCOLOGY I

TUMOUR BIOLOGY, DIAGNOSTIC AND TREATMENT OPTIONS & SKIN TUMOURS

COURSE OVERVIEW

Start your journey in Veterinary Oncology!

Build a strong foundation in cancer diagnostics and treatment with a practical, case-based approach. Learn essential skills in biopsy techniques, staging, and cytology, while exploring treatment options from surgery and chemotherapy to advanced therapies like tyrosine kinase inhibitors and Stelfonta™.

With a special focus on skin tumours, this course equips you with the confidence to manage oncology cases in practice.

Ideal for veterinarians new to oncology and ready to take the next step.

17 - 21 August 2026



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***THIS COURSE IS
OPEN FOR NEWCOMERS!***

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Course Program

MONDAY, 17 AUGUST 2026

- 08:30 – 09:00 WELCOME AND REGISTRATION
09:00 – 10:30 THE ROAD FROM NORMAL TO CANCER: HOW & WHY DO NORMAL CELLS BECOME CANCEROUS...AND WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?
10:30 – 11:00 COFFEE BREAK
11:00 – 12:15 DIAGNOSTIC APPROACH TO THE CANCER PATIENT
12:15 – 12:45 CANCER STAGING: PRINCIPLES, PRACTICE, LIMITATIONS
12:45 – 14:00 LUNCH BREAK
14:00 – 15:30 TUMOUR CYTOLOGY: GETTING STARTED
15:30 – 16:00 COFFEE BREAK
16:00 – 17:00 TUMOUR CYTOLOGY PRACTICE I (VIDEOS) (SELF-STUDY)

TUESDAY, 18 AUGUST 2026

- 09:00–09:45 TUMOUR CYTOLOGY PRACTICE I (VIDEOS) (SELF-STUDY, CONTINUED)
09:45– 10:30 TUMOUR CYTOLOGY PRACTICE I (VIDEOS) (REVIEW)
10:30 – 11:00 COFFEE BREAK
11:00 – 12:00 HOW DO I BIOPSY MASSES FOR HISTOLOGICAL EXAMINATION AND HOW DO I GET THE BEST RESULTS FROM THE PATHOLOGIST?
12:00 – 12:30 PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE OF PAIN-MANAGEMENT FOR CANCER PATIENTS
12:30 – 13:45 LUNCH BREAK
13:45 – 15:30 CASE-BASED APPROACH TO SURGICAL ONCOLOGY (INCLUDING COFFEE BREAK)
15:30 – 16:00 COFFEE BREAK
16:00 – 16:30 BASIC PRINCIPLES OF RADIATION ONCOLOGY
16:30 – 17:15 CANINE & FELINE SKIN TUMOURS: OVERVIEW & GENERAL APPROACH

WEDNESDAY, 19 AUGUST 2026

- 09:00 – 10:30 INTRODUCTION TO CHEMOTHERAPY
10:30 – 11:00 COFFEE BREAK
11:00 – 12:00 CHEMOTHERAPY DRUGS
12:00 – 12:45 HOW DO I AVOID AND MANAGE IATROGENIC CHEMOTHERAPY COMPLICATIONS?
12:45 – 14:00 LUNCH BREAK
14:00 – 15:30 CASE-SESSION: HOW DO I MANAGE THIS CHEMOTHERAPY SIDE EFFECT?
15:30 – 16:00 COFFEE BREAK
16:00 – 17:00 CHEMOTHERAPY ADMINISTRATION

THURSDAY, 20 AUGUST 2026

- 09:00 – 10:30 CASE MANAGEMENT SESSION (SELMIC): CANINE & FELINE SOFT-TISSUE SARCOMAS (90 MIN)
10:30 – 11:00 COFFEE BREAK
11:00 – 11:30 METRONOMIC CHEMOTHERAPY: HYPE OR HOPE
11:30 – 12:45 CASE MANAGEMENT: SQUAMOUS CELL CARCINOMAS (DIGIT, SKIN, NASAL PLANUM) & MELANOMAS (DIGIT, SKIN) IN DOGS
12:45 – 14:00 LUNCH BREAK
14:00 – 15:00 CANINE ANAL SAC AND PERIANAL TUMOURS
15:00 – 17:30 PRACTICAL TUMOUR CYTOLOGY II (VIDEOS, SELF-STUDY) (INCL. COFFEE BREAK)

FRIDAY, 21 AUGUST 2026

- 09:00 – 09:45 TUMOUR CYTOLOGY PRACTICE II (VIDEOS) (REVIEW)
09:45 – 10:30 CANINE MAST CELL TUMOURS: EPIDEMIOLOGY, BIOLOGY, DIAGNOSIS, STAGING, HISTOLOGY, PROGNOSTIC FACTORS, PRINCIPLES OF SURGERY, DECISION-MAKING
10:30 – 11:00 COFFEE BREAK
11:00 – 12:30 DRUG TREATMENT OF CANINE MAST CELL TUMOURS: TYROSINE KINASE INHIBITORS CHEMOTHERAPY, STELFONTA (VIRBAC)
12:30 – 12:45 CASUS, MASTER VS CERTIFICATE PROGRAM, FEEDBACK, Q&A
12:45 – 14:00 LUNCH BREAK & HOTEL CHECK OUT
14:00 – 14:30 CASE MANAGEMENT: FELINE CUTANEOUS & SPLENIC MAST CELL TUMOURS
14:30 – 15:30 PARANEOPlastic SYNDROMES: GENERAL PRINCIPLES & CASE MANAGEMENT I
15:00– 15:30 COFFEE BREAK
15:30 – 16:30 PARANEOPlastic SYNDROMES: CASE MANAGEMENT II
16:30 TO END CERTIFICATES & WRAP-UP OF THE COURSE