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#### What is One Health?



The health of humans and animals is connected to the ecosystems in which they live





#### What is One Health?



#### Health in socialecological systems





#### OHHLEP Definition of One Health – 4Cs

"One Health is an integrated, unifying approach that aims to sustainably balance and optimize the health of people, animals and ecosystems"







### 21<sup>st</sup> Century Health Challenges

- Global drivers of disease emergence
- Profound ecological change
- Complex health challenges
- Entrenched barriers to collaboration 'silos'







### Royal (Dick) School of Veterinary Studies







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#### Mission Statement

The MSc One Health is an innovative, transdisciplinary programme that will equip and inspire you to work across disciplines to address complex health challenges







#### Programme Team



**Programme Director Neil Anderson** 



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**Programme Coordinator** Marie Rowland



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## Programme Structure

- Online
- Part-time intermittent study
- 10-20 hours per week
- Three terms per academic year
- PPD, Certificate, Diploma and MSc

#### http://www.ed.ac.uk/vet/one-health







**Compulsory Courses** 

An Introduction to One Health (20 credits)

Ecosystem Health (10 credits)

One Health Policy (10 credits) Applied Epidemiology and Surveillance for Conservation Medicine

Or

Applied Veterinary Epidemiology

Or

Applied Epidemiology and Public Health





#### Diploma Courses – 60 credits from:







#### MSc Dissertation

- Research project
  - Empirical research project
  - Literature review
- Assessments
  - Thesis or publication
  - Reflective account
  - Presentation

Open Access Review

#### Dogs (*Canis familiaris*) as Sentinels for Human Infectious Disease and Application to Canadian Populations: A Systematic Review

#### by Natasha H. Bowser 💿 and Neil E. Anderson \* 🖂 💿

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Research Article

#### Risk factors for *Brucella* spp. and *Coxiella burnetii* infection among small ruminants in Eastern India

Eithne Leahy S, Rajeswari Shome, Ram Pratim Deka, Swati Sahay, Delia Grace, Stella Mazeri & ...show all Article: 1783091 | Received 18 Oct 2019, Accepted 10 May 2020, Published online: 23 Jun 2020

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#### Course Materials – delivered via Learn Ultra



# Course Materials

- Recorded presentation
- Reading list
- Discussion forums
- Live discussion / tutorial
- Additional activities
  - Individual
  - Group







# Entry Requirements

- Veterinary Medicine / Science
- Medicine
- Life/biological sciences
- Biomedical sciences
- Economics
- Environmental sciences
- Social sciences



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#### What do our Students Say?

"I feel as though this programme has allowed me to begin moving my career from private veterinary practice to veterinary public health and international development"

"This program opened my eyes to look in a broader view to health issues. Worldwide animal, human and ecosystem health are linked together in so many ways"

"Knowing more about One Health and the confidence it gave me, helped me in the second year to successfully apply for a traineeship at the European Medicines Agency"



## Further Information on our Website

- Why study this programme?
- Qualifications
- Course structure and content
- Teaching team
- Testimonials
- Fees and Funding
- Equality and diversity

http://www.ed.ac.uk/vet/one-health





# Any Questions?

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# Thankyou

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