

## College of Veterinary Medicine Policies and Procedures

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Unauthorized Practice of

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## **Unauthorized Practice of Veterinary Medicine**

Students are expected to uphold the highest standards of professional conduct. While student participation in the provision of veterinary medical services is an essential component of the educational process, it must always be performed under the supervision and direction of veterinary faculty (while at the college) or licensed veterinarians (while in externships, vacation employment, etc.) The provision of veterinary medical services by veterinary students when not associated with their formal veterinary education or with specific employment and not under the supervision and direction of veterinary faculty or licensed veterinarians is expressly prohibited. Students independently providing veterinary services whether for remuneration or not will be subject to immediate dismissal from the curriculum.

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