



Academy of Veterinary Nutrition Technician (AVNT) Time Line Exam-2026

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| <p>Experience in nutrition Three years/minimum 5,500 hours work experience or its equivalent with not less than 75% of their experience (a minimum of 4,000 hours) being dedicated to the specialty of veterinary nutrition.</p> | <p>From October 1, 2022 to October 1, 2025</p> |
| <p>Letter of intent- start of the third year</p> | <p>E-mail letter of intent by October 1, 2024, to start last year to Nutritiontechs@aol.com</p> |
| <p>Mentor</p> | <p>Mentor will be assign after the letter of intent is received</p> |
| <p>Record 40-60 case logs or research log</p> | <p>Logs must be dated October 1, 2024 to September 31, 2025</p> |
| <p>Record 5 case reports</p> | <p>Cases must be dated October 1, 2024 to September 31, 2025</p> |
| <p>Continuing education</p> | <p>40 hours within 3 years- (October 1, 2022 to October 1, 2025) 10 hours between October 1, 2024 to September 31, 2025</p> |
| <p>2 Letters of recommendation sent by veterinarian or VTS (Sent separately by the letter writers)</p> | <p>By September 1, 2025</p> |
| <p>Application submittal with application fee</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Scanned copy of Diploma and/or Credential to practice as a veterinary technician. ● Signed copy of Waiver, Release and Indemnity Agreement Form. ● Completed Professional History and Employment History Form. ● Completed CE form with scanned Proof of Attendance and outline of continuing education courses attended specific to nutrition. ● Completed Advanced Academy of | <p>By October 1, 2025</p> |

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| <p>Veterinary Nutrition Technicians Specialty Skills Form with sign off completed.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Completed Advanced Academy of Veterinary Nutrition Technicians specialty Knowledge List Sign off sheet. ● Completed Academy of Veterinary Nutrition Technicians Case Log Form. ● Five In-Depth Case Reports submitted per the outline on the AVNT website. ● Three electronically completed Potential Examination Questions specific to the area of specialty. Multiple choice with references from the accepted reading list. No true/false or fill in the blank accepted. ● One complete application packet, A Google folder will be used to upload your application. If you would prefer or cannot use a Google folder you can send your application in a folder including one CD-R or flash drive with the complete application. The CD-R should be labeled with your name. ● Application fee. Check in the amount of \$50 dollars made payable to AVNT. | |
| Letter to applicants re: acceptance/ denial | December 2025 |
| Examination fee \$200 | February 1, 2026 |
| Exam (given at ACVIM) | June 2026 |