Veterinary Specialities recognized by the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons and Diplomas of the RCVS or other Authorities offering relevant qualifications. At least one of these qualifications is required to underpin RCVS Specialist Status but many Specialists hold more than one.

**Animal Welfare Science, Ethics and Law**
- RCVS Specialist: Animal Welfare Science, Ethics and Law
- RCVS Specialist: Veterinary Behavioural Medicine
- RCVS DWEL: Animal Welfare Science, Ethics and Law

**Camelid Health and Production**
- RCVS Specialist: Camelid Health and Production

**Cattle Health & Production**
- RCVS Specialist: Cattle Health & Production
- RCVS DCHP: Cattle Health & Production
- DipECBHM: European College of Bovine Health Management

**Emergency and Critical Care**
- RCVS Specialist: Veterinary Emergency and Critical Care
- DipECVECC: European College of Veterinary Emergency and Critical Care
- DipACVECC: American College of Veterinary Emergency and Critical Care

**Equine Gastroenterology**
- RCVS Specialist: Equine Gastroenterology

**Equine Medicine**
- RCVS Specialist: Equine Internal Medicine
- RCVS DEIM: Equine Internal Medicine
- RCVS DESM: Equine Stud Medicine
- DipECEIM: European College of Equine Internal Medicine
- DipACVIM: American College of Internal Medicine
- DipACVSMR: American College of Veterinary Sports Medicine and Rehabilitation
Equine Surgery

RCVS Specialist  Equine Surgery
RCVS DEO  Equine Orthopaedics
RCVS DESTS  Equine Soft Tissue Surgery
DipECVS  European College of Veterinary Surgeons
DipACVS  American College of Veterinary Surgeons

Exotic Animal Medicine

RCVS Specialist  Exotic Animal Medicine

Feline Medicine

RCVS Specialist  Feline Medicine
RCVS DSAM (Fel)  Feline Medicine
DipACVIM  American College of Internal Medicine

Fish Health and Production

RCVS Specialist  Fish Health & Production

Laboratory Animal Science

RCVS DLAS  Laboratory Animal Science
DipECLAM  European College of Laboratory Animal Medicine
DipACLAM  American College of Laboratory Animal Medicine

Pig Medicine

RCVS Specialist  Pig Medicine
RCVS DPM  Pig Medicine
DipECPHM  European College of Porcine Health Management

Poultry Medicine and Production

RCVS Specialist  Poultry Medicine & Production
RCVS DPMP  Poultry Medicine & Production
DipECPVS  European College of Poultry Veterinary Sciences
DipACPV  American College of Poultry Veterinarians

Rabbit Medicine and Surgery

RCVS Specialist  Rabbit Medicine & Surgery
Sheep Health and Production

RCVS Specialist  Sheep Health & Production
RCVS DSHP  Sheep Health & Production
DipECSRHM  European College of Small Ruminant Health Management

Small Animal Medicine

RCVS Specialist  Small Animal Medicine
RCVS DSAM  Small Animal Medicine
DipECVIM  European College of Veterinary Internal Medicine
DipACVIM  American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine

Small Animal Surgery

RCVS Specialist  Small Animal Surgery
RCVS DSAS (ortho)  Orthopaedics
RCVS DSAS (ST)  Soft tissue Surgery
DipECVS  European College of Veterinary Surgeons
DipACVS  American College of Veterinary Surgeons

State Veterinary Medicine

RCVS Specialist  State Veterinary Medicine

Veterinary Anaesthesia

RCVS Specialist  Veterinary Anaesthesia
RCVS DVA  Veterinary Anaesthesia
DipECVAA  European College of Veterinary Anaesthesia & Analgesia
DipACVAA  American College of Veterinary Anaesthesia & Analgesia

Veterinary Behavioural Medicine

RCVS Specialist  Veterinary Behavioural Medicine
DipECAWBM  European College of Animal Welfare and Behavioural
DipACAW  American College of Animal Welfare
DipACVBM  American College of Veterinary Behaviorists

Veterinary Cardiology

RCVS Specialist  Veterinary Cardiology
RCVS DVC  Veterinary Cardiology
DipECVIM  European College of Veterinary Internal Medicine
DipACVIM  American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine

**Veterinary Clinical Nutrition**
- RCVS Specialist  Veterinary Clinical Nutrition
- DipECVCN  European College of Veterinary Comparative Nutrition
- DipACVN  American College of Veterinary Nutrition

**Veterinary Dentistry**
- RCVS Specialist  Veterinary Dentistry
- DipEVDC  European Veterinary Dentistry College
- DipAVDC  American Veterinary Dental College

**Veterinary Dermatology**
- RCVS Specialist  Veterinary Dermatology
- RCVS DVD  Veterinary Dermatology
- DipECVD  European College of Veterinary Dermatology
- DipACVD  American College of Veterinary Dermatology

**Veterinary Diagnostic Imaging**
- RCVS Specialist  Veterinary Diagnostic Imaging
- RCVS DVDI  Veterinary Diagnostic Imaging
- DipECVDI  European College of Veterinary Diagnostic Imaging
- DipACVR  American College of Veterinary Radiology

**Veterinary Epidemiology**
- RCVS Specialist  Veterinary Epidemiology

**Veterinary Large Animal Diagnostic Imaging**
- RCVS Specialist  Veterinary Large Animal Diagnostic Imaging
- RCVS DVDI  Veterinary Diagnostic Imaging
- DipECVDI  European College of Veterinary Diagnostic Imaging
- DipACVR  American College of Veterinary Radiology

**Veterinary Neurology**
- RCVS Specialist  Veterinary Neurology
- DipECVN  European College of Veterinary Neurology
DipACVIM American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine (Neurology)

**Veterinary Oncology**
- RCVS Specialist Veterinary Oncology
- DipECVO European College of Veterinary Oncology
- DipACVIM American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine
- DipACVS American College of Veterinary Surgeons

**Veterinary Ophthalmology**
- RCVS Specialist Veterinary Ophthalmology
- DipECVO European College of Veterinary Ophthalmology
- DipACVO American College of Veterinary Ophthalmologists

**Veterinary Parasitology**
- DipEVPC European Veterinary Parasitology College

**Veterinary Pathology**
- RCVS Specialist Veterinary Pathology
- FRCPath Royal College of Pathology
- DipECVCP European College of Veterinary Clinical Pathology
- DipECVP European College of Veterinary Pathologists
- DipACVP American College of Veterinary Pathologists

**Veterinary Pharmacology & Toxicology**
- DipECVPT European College of Veterinary Pharmacology & Toxicology
- DipABVT American Board of Veterinary Toxicology
- DipACVCP American College of Veterinary Clinical Pharmacology

**Veterinary Public Health**
- RCVS Specialist Veterinary Epidemiology
- RCVS DVPH Veterinary Public Hygiene
- RCVS SVM State Veterinary Medicine
- DipECVPH European College of Veterinary Public Health
- DipACVDI American College of Veterinary Preventive Medicine

**Veterinary Reproduction**
- RCVS Specialist Veterinary Reproduction
RCVS DVRep        Veterinary Reproduction
DipECAR           European College of Animal Reproduction
DipACVT           American College of Veterinary Theriogenologists

**Wildlife Medicine**

RCVS Specialist   Wildlife Medicine

**Zoo and Wildlife Medicine**

RCVS Specialist   Zoo & Wildlife Medicine
RCVS DZooMed      Zoo & Wildlife Medicine
DipECZM           European College of Zoological Medicine
DipACZM           American College of Zoological Medicine