



**TAMIL NADU VETERINARY AND ANIMAL SCIENCES UNIVERSITY**  
**Directorate of Distance Education**  
**CERTIFICATE COURSE**  
**ON**  
**ANIMAL WELFARE** (Print mode/ Online mode)

The association of man with animals is as ancient as civilization and inseparable despite a sea of changes in the attitude and behavioural patterns of man. Human society derives enormous benefits from the animal kingdom in the form of food, companionship and mental well-being.

It is mandatory to create awareness amongst the public about the various aspects of animal welfare in order to safeguard the basic rights such as access to fresh water and food, protection from adverse environmental conditions, alleviation of pain and mental well being of pets, livestock, wild animals, poultry and other aviary species. Hence, they also need to be educated on the basic knowledge about the principles of housing and feeding management, affliction of common diseases, importance of zoonoses and zoonotic diseases, first aid, transportation, measures to prevent cruelty, legal provisions, etc. In consideration with these facts, Directorate of Distance Education, Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University is offering this distance mode with service motive on Animal Welfare on All India basis for the benefit of Animal lovers, Pet owners, Animal welfare activist, Traders of livestock and livestock products and allied industries and Entrepreneurs.

**Course fee and Eligibility**

- ❖ Course fee for Print / online mode Rs. 1000/-
- ❖ 10<sup>th</sup> standard or its equivalent.
- ❖ Experience in animal welfare activities will be preferred.

The duration of the Certificate Course on Animal Welfare by Distance learning through print mode is for **six months**. The medium of instruction is in **English**. The entire course material is divided into 11 lessons of study materials prepared by subject matter specialists with a contact class programme at the end of the study.

**Evaluation**

Each student will be evaluated on the basis of their performance in internal assessment, participation in the contact class and final examination. Evaluation will be done and certificates will be issued to those who successfully complete the course as per the rules and regulations stipulated by the University.

**Note:**

Application form can be downloaded from [www.tanuvvas.ac.in](http://www.tanuvvas.ac.in). Candidate should draw the course fee in the form of Demand Draft from any Nationalized Bank in favour of "The DDE, TANUVAS, Chennai 51" payable at Chennai. Completed filled in application form along with prescribed course fee, duly attested copies of certificates and with a self addressed stamped (Rs.10/-) envelope of size 11 x 26 cm should be sent to "The Director of Distance Education, Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Madhavaram Milk Colony, Chennai- 600 051" through Registered Post. Kindly, mention on the top of the cover, which course you have to apply.

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