Veterinary Technician Program
Career Exploration Form – Virtual Career Shadowing - COVID Alternative Form

If you are unable to shadow at a veterinary hospital for 20 hours of observation due to covid-19, an alternative virtual form must be completed. After you have reviewed the websites and watched the videos listed below, please answer the questions found at the bottom of the form.

Applicant's Virtual Career Shadowing form must have been completed within the past year. Additionally, current virtual or in-person observation hours are only valid for this year's application and may not be used again for future applications. This form, and all other Veterinary Technician application requirements, must be uploaded/submitted by <u>March 15th.</u>

Student's Name: _____   ID# _____

VIRTUAL SHADOWING AND OTHER VETERINARY TECHNICIAN RESOURCES TO REVIEW PRIOR TO COMPLETING THE CAREER EXPLORATION FORM:

Professional Veterinary Nursing websites: www.navta.net and http://www.avma.org

Veterinary Radiology AVMA video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xk_6KTun5hE

A Veterinary Technician's role in Surgical Procedures: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ONt2K0aRoC4

Veterinary Technicians (Career One Stop) video: : https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CHuStDPc2pM

Applicants: Please answer the following questions on a separate page.

1. On the professional Veterinary Nursing websites: www.navta.net and http://www.avma.org. List the areas in which Veterinary Nurses may specialize. What did you learn from these websites? Do any of these specialties interest you?
2. What experiences have inspired you to pursue this profession?
3. Have you volunteered or been employed in the field of veterinary medicine? This includes veterinary hospitals, rescue groups, pet stores, etc. If yes, please list dates and location and briefly describe your responsibilities.
4. In addition to specific "hands on" skills, what qualities do Veterinary Technicians/Nurses need in order to be successful in the field? Please list and describe <u>6</u> qualities.
5. What is one thing you would like us to know about you that you haven't already reported in the Career Exploration form?

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This form, and your answers to the questions above, must be uploaded to your Admissions application portal by March 15. NOTE: This document can be uploaded one time only. Once uploaded to your application, it can't be replaced with another.