

## Vet Tech Degree Program Accredited

Norwalk Community College's Veterinary Technology Degree Program has received accreditation from the American Veterinary Medical Association's Committee on Veterinary Technician Education and Activities (AVMA-CVTEA).

Veterinary Technology students must graduate from an AVMA-accredited program to be eligible for credentialing in the U.S. The AVMA-CVTEA did a comprehensive evaluation and site visit to NCC this fall and granted accreditation to the Veterinary Technology program, effective September 16.

"Veterinary Technology at NCC is a rapidly growing program that will meet the needs of Fairfield County and the greater metropolitan area for highly qualified Veterinary Technicians, and serve NCC's students who will enter the workforce as passionate, knowledgeable and indispensable members of a growing profession," said Program Coordinator Anne C. Hermans, DVM.

NCC launched the two-year A.S. degree in Veterinary Technology in Fall of 2014, in response to the growing demand for Veterinary Technicians, a profession in which there is a nationwide shortage of qualified individuals. NCC's first class of Veterinary Technicians will graduate in May 2017.



Veterinary Technology Degree Program Coordinator Anne C. Hermans, DVM (left) and Clinical Coordinator and Instructor Valerie Ramos, CVT (right) with certificate of accreditation from the AVMA-CVTEA.



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