



Veterinary Nurse

📍 Wexford

🕒 Full-time, Permanent

★ Funding of Post Graduate Certificates

💰 €35,000

Find fulfillment. Arena Veterinary Hospital is seeking a Registered Veterinary Nurse to join their experienced supportive team.

The Role

- Full-time, Permanent role for a Registered Veterinary Nurse
- 40 hours (4 days) per week
- 1 in 3 Saturday morning clinic
- No OOH, Sundays or Bank Holidays
- Salary €30,000-€35,000 commensurate with experience level
- 100% Small Animal, clinical role with an experienced nursing team and wider support staff
- Generous CPD allowance
- Professional development encouraged and funded
- Focus on employee wellbeing

Applicant Requirements

- All applicants must be registered with the VCI to practice Veterinary Nursing
- Experience is preferred but not essential
- New graduates are encouraged to apply as we offer full support and training with our Nurse Academy and team of experienced professionals

About Us

Located on the outskirts of Wexford town, close to the beautiful beaches of Curracloe, St Helens and Ballytrent, Arena Veterinary Hospital is a 100% Small Animal dedicated practice. We have all the typical equipment you would expect in a modern, well-equipped hospital, such as digital and dental x-ray machines, ultrasound, idexx blood analyzers, large prep room and two separate operating suites. Our facilities also boast separate cat and dog wards, spacious consultation rooms, and an open, welcoming reception area.

Our team is made up of 4 full-time Veterinary Surgeons, 4 Veterinary Nurses, and 3 support staff. Many of our staff are in the process of obtaining certification in various areas, with some awaiting results.

Comprehensive Benefits Package – subject to pro rata

We recognise that our people are fundamental to the success of our business. Investing in our staff, premises and processes is at the heart of what we do. In addition to a competitive salary, you will also benefit from:

Work life balance

- 22 days annual leave entitlement
- Birthday leave

Focus on employee wellbeing

- Paid Maternity, Paternity and Adoptive leave packages
- Cycle to work scheme
- EAP and wellbeing centre access
- Paid bereavement leave
- Company sick pay

Development

- €600 annual CPD allowance with 3 days paid (pro-rata)
- Bespoke Graduate Nurse Academy, Nurse Evolve and many more in-house academies
- Funding of any Certificates / Diplomas / PhD's you may want to pursue
- Leadership Academy for all future leaders, including Head Nurses and Practice Managers
- Career progression opportunities

Professional memberships

- VCI membership paid
- VDS cover paid

Additional benefits

- Annual pay reviews
- Pawesome benefits – various discounts including retails and virtual gym
- Employee pension contributions
- Discounted staff pet veterinary fees
- Free flu jabs
- Opportunity to join company programmes (LGBTQIA+, Wellbeing Champions, Nurse Committee, Clinical Board and many more)

As a BAME and LGBTQIA+ inclusive employer, we are keen to hear from candidates from all minority and diverse groups. As a Disability Confident Employer, we are keen to hear from candidates with disabilities and long-term health conditions and would be happy to discuss any reasonable adjustments needed during the recruitment process.

If this position is of interest to you then please get in touch.

Any questions before applying?

Speak to Shónagh Dawson from our recruitment team who would be happy to help you with any questions you have before applying for this role.

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