

FORMER VETERINARY MEDICAL INSTITUTIONS IN THE UNITED STATES

(in chronologic order of establishment)

Name and Location	Year established	Year of first graduates	Year closed, merged, suspended	No. of graduates
Veterinary College of Philadelphia.....	1852	1859	1866	ND
Boston (Mass.) Veterinary Institute.....	1854	ND	1860	ND
New York College of Veterinary Surgeons (New York City),	1857	1867	1899	291
Veterinary Institute of Chicago (IL)	1864	ND	ca 1869	ND
Pennsylvania College of Veterinary Surgeons (Philadelphia)	1866	ND	1870	ND
(See footnote a)				
St Louis (Mo.) Veterinary College	ca. 1875	ND	ca 1875	ND
American Veterinary College (New York, NY)	1875	1876	1899	578
Columbia Veterinary College (New York, NY)	1877	1879	1884	79
Minnesota College Hospital Veterinary College, (Minneapolis)	1881	1885	1890	3
Harvard University Veterinary Department (Boston, Mass.)	1882	1886	1902	128
Chicago (IL) Veterinary College.....	1883	1884	1920	2,320
New Jersey Veterinary College (Trenton)	ca 1887	ND	ca 1887	ND
University of South Carolina Division of Veterinary Medicine	1888	1891	1891	1
Baltimore (Md.) University School of Veterinary Medicine	1889	1891	1891	1
Detroit (Mich.) College of Medicine Veterinary Department	1890	1892	1899	35
Iowa Veterinary College (Des Moines).	1890	1892	1894	13
Kansas City (Mo.) Veterinary College	1891	1892	1918	1,857
Kentucky State College Veterinary Department (Lexington).	1891	1894	1895	1
Ohio Veterinary College (Cincinnati)	1891	1892	1896	67
Indiana Veterinary College (Indianapolis)	1892	1893	1924	902
McKillop Veterinary College (Chicago, IL).....	1894	1897	1920	1,223
National Veterinary College (Washington, D.C.)	1892	1893	1896	50
United States College of Veterinary Surgeons (Washington, D.C.)	1894	1895	1927	419
University of California San Francisco (Calif.) Veterinary College	1895	1897	1899	10
Columbian University Veterinary Department (Washington, D.C.)	1896	ND	1898	12
Grand Rapids (Mich.) Medical College Veterinary Department	1897	1898	1918	572
Western Veterinary College (Kansas City, Mo.)	1897	1898	1908	178
New York University New York-American Veterinary College (New York City)	1899	1900	1913	116
San Francisco (Calif.) Veterinary College	1899	1900	1918	330
Collins Veterinary College (Nashville, Tenn.)	ca 1899	ND	ca 1899	ND
Cincinnati (Ohio) Veterinary College	1900	1903	1920	414
University Veterinary College (Kansas City, Mo.)	1902	1903	1906	53
St. Joseph (Mo.) Veterinary College	1905	1908	1923	421
West Virginia University Veterinary Department (Morgantown) ...	1905	1910	1912	4
George Washington University -College of Veterinary Medicine (Washington, D.C.)	1908	1911	1918	100
Terre Haute (Ind.) Veterinary College;	1909	1911	1918	145
Southwestern Veterinary College (Dallas, Texas)	1909	1912	1916	21
Arkansas Veterinary College (Fayetteville).....	1913	ND	1921	25
New York University New York State Veterinary College (New York City)	1913	ND	1922	71
University of Georgia, State College of Agriculture Division, of Veterinary Medicine (Athens)	1918	1921	1933	70
Middlesex University School of Veterinary Medicine (Waltham, Mass.)	1938	ND	1947	243

Cornell University (Ithaca, NY) which granted degrees to 4 persons between 1871 and 1885.

ND = not determined

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