

## About Veterinary Ireland

Established in 2001, with a pedigree back to 1888, the role of Veterinary Ireland is to represent veterinary surgeons in Ireland and to facilitate the veterinary profession in its commitment to improving the health and welfare of the animals under its care, to protecting public health and to serving the changing needs of its clients and the community through effective and innovative leadership.

As both a trade union (affiliated to ICTU) and a trade organisation (affiliated to the SFA), Veterinary Ireland represents its members on a host of topics pertinent to the modern Irish veterinary practitioner, lobbying and negotiating with external bodies in order to express the views, aspirations and concerns of those members. In addition, Veterinary Ireland provides a wealth of advice and support to its members on a multitude of issues from employment law advice to policies and procedures.

## Accomplishments of Veterinary Ireland

- Vital Improvements in Various Veterinary Related Legislation, Including:  
The Veterinary Practice Acts 2005—2012; The Dog Breeding Establishments Act 2010 and The Animal Health & Welfare Act 2013
- Extensive Work on Employment Status of TVIs
- On-Going Successful representation of TVI Members with Government (TVI Crises / Lean Review)
- Excellent CAVI / VICAS / Equine / LAVS Continuing Veterinary Education (CVE) Events
- Successful Hosting of World Small Animal Veterinary Congress by VICAS (2008) and FECAVA 2013
- Successful Hosting of the World Buiatrics Congress 2016
- Lobbying for Satisfactory "Report on Veterinary Profession" from Competition Authority
- Substantial Work on Quality Control Procedures for ERAD Activities
- Backdated "Benchmarking" Payments Secured for TVI and ERAD Work
- Significant Work on Helpline Stress Supports for the Veterinary Profession, including VetAEGIS and Stakeholder Work on the Veterinary Assistance Programme (VetAP)

## Advantages of Membership of Veterinary Ireland

- Free Annual Subscription to the Veterinary Ireland Journal - Regular Price € 245
- Password secure access to the Veterinary Ireland website - [www.veterinaryireland.ie](http://www.veterinaryireland.ie)
- Published Veterinary Ireland Annual Report and Accounts
- Annual Substantial Discounts on CVE Courses and Conferences
- Regular Updates by VetALERT, VetNEWS and CVE Alert e-mails, VetVIEW Newsletters
- Free Financial Advice through Veterinary Ireland Financial Services Limited -  
Comprehensive Services in all areas of Retirement Planning, Savings, Investment and Protection Products for all of your Professional and Personal needs
- Guidance and Support on: TVI Matters, ERAD Matters, Herd Health Planning, Animal Welfare, etc.
- Business advice through ICTU and SFA on: Contracts, Health & Safety, Employment Law, etc.

### FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

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## VETERINARY IRELAND MEMBERSHIP FORM

January 2017  
to  
December 2017

IN ORDER TO AVAIL OF THE  
THE OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE YOUR VOICE  
HEARD ON KEY ISSUES  
AFFECTING YOUR PROFESSION AND  
STRENGTHEN YOUR REPRESENTATIVE  
BODY

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO :

**Veterinary Ireland**  
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Kilcarbery Park  
Nangor Road  
Dublin 22  
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[www.veterinaryireland.ie](http://www.veterinaryireland.ie)

# VETERINARY IRELAND MEMBERSHIP FORM January 2017 to December 2017

## PERSONAL DETAILS - Please complete all details in Block Capitals

Surname	Forename	
Address:		
Telephone No.	Mobile No.	Fax No.
Email Address		
Veterinary Council Registration No. (Vet Reg. No.) (or if a Student, year of proposed Graduation)		

NB: Details of Members' Vet No., Names and Interest Groups will be published for membership purposes on the secure members area of [www.veterinaryireland.ie](http://www.veterinaryireland.ie)

## INTEREST GROUPS - Please Indicate which Interest Group(s) you wish to Join:

(One Interest Group is included in Membership - additional Interest Groups are € 90 each)

**FOOD ANIMAL** [ ]    **COMPANION ANIMAL** [ ]    **EQUINE** [ ]  
**STATE SECTOR** [ ]    **LOCAL AUTHORITY** [ ]    **EDUCATION, RESEARCH & INDUSTRY** [ ]

## 2017 MEMBERSHIP RATES—January 2017 to December 2017

CATEGORY OF MEMBERSHIP	RATE €	TICK ✓	AMOUNT €
<b>BASIC MEMBERSHIP</b> Includes One Interest Group	<b>€ 490</b>		€
<b>RETIRED MEMBERSHIP</b> Includes One Interest Group	<b>€ 125</b>		€
<b>MATERNITY LEAVE MEMBERSHIP</b> Includes One Interest Group <i>(NB: Available on Application to Chief Executive - Available for only one Membership Year during each separate Maternity Leave Period)</i>	<b>€ 245</b>		€
<b>5th Year STUDENT MEMBERSHIP</b> (Includes Food Animal, VICAS & Equine Int. Groups)	<b>€ 35</b>		€
PREFERENTIAL RATES (PAYABLE BY DIRECT DEBIT ONLY)	RATE €	TICK ✓	AMOUNT €
<b>VOA, IMPACT and IFUT MEMBERS</b> Includes One Interest Group	<b>€ 245</b>		€ <small>NO CHEQUES</small>
<b>2014, 2015 OR 2016 VETERINARY GRADUATES</b> Includes One Interest Group	<b>€ 245</b>		€ <small>NO CHEQUES</small>
<b>2013 VETERINARY GRADUATES (*New for 2017)</b> Includes One Interest Group	<b>€ 367</b>		€ <small>NO CHEQUES</small>
<b>EACH ADDITIONAL GROUP</b>	<b>€ 90</b>		€
<b>TOTAL MEMBERSHIP PAYABLE</b>			€

## PAYMENT

### OPTION 1: SEPA DIRECT DEBIT MANDATE

Unique Mandate Reference No: (official use only) \_\_\_\_\_

By signing this form, you authorise (A) **Veterinary Ireland** to send instructions to your bank to debit your account, and (B) **your bank** to debit your account in accordance with the instructions from **Veterinary Ireland**.  
As part of your rights, you are entitled to a refund from your bank under the terms and conditions of your agreement with your bank.  
A refund must be claimed within 8 weeks starting from the date on which your account was debited.

Please complete all the fields marked \*

\*Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode / Country (if outside of Ireland): \_\_\_\_\_

\*Account Number (IBAN): \_\_\_\_\_

\*Bank Identifier Code (BIC): \_\_\_\_\_

Creditor: Veterinary Ireland Identifier: IE19SDD300099 Address: 13, The Courtyard, Kilcarbery Park, Nangor Road, Dublin 22, Ireland.

\*Type of Payment: Recurring payment - [ ] or One-Off Payment [ ]

\*Date of Signature: \_\_ / \_\_ / \_\_

\*Signature(s) - Please Sign Here: \_\_\_\_\_

Note: Your rights regarding the above mandate are explained in a statement that you can obtain from your bank. Please send this mandate to Veterinary Ireland.

For information purposes only: Payment Option: Monthly [ ] or Yearly [ ]

### OPTION 2: CREDIT CARD DIRECT DEBIT

Please charge my credit card and debit my annual membership subscription unless cancelled by me in writing.

VISA [ ] ACCESS [ ] CARD NO. \_\_\_\_\_ EXPIRY DATE \_\_ / \_\_ SECURITY CODE\* \_\_\_\_

(\* Last 3 digits of code printed on back of your card, above the signature – This is required to be able to make a payment from your Credit Card)

Cardholder's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

### OPTION 3: CHEQUE PAYMENT (NB: This Option is not available for the Preferential Rates)

I enclose a cheque, made payable to "Veterinary Ireland", for the sum of € \_\_\_\_\_

## THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL MEMBERS

(Omitting to Complete and Sign this section will result in the form being returned to you and your Membership being delayed)

### TVI / TB LEVY AUTHORISATION FORM - Condition of Membership

**I wish to apply for Membership of Veterinary Ireland in 2017,  
and agree to abide by the Constitution and Rules of the Organisation.**

It is a condition of membership that for any TB/Brucecellosis and/or TVI work undertaken a 1% levy is deducted by the Department of Agriculture. All amounts paid are added to your Veterinary Ireland Membership subscription up to a fixed "Cap" (**€ 800 for 2017**). Amounts received in excess of this "Cap" will be refunded. Please complete the Levy Deduction Authorisation below to **ensure conditions of membership are met**.

NB: Once signed and submitted to the Department, this authorisation remains in continuous effect, year-on-year, until notification of cancellation is issued in writing to the Department by the vet who signed the original authorisation.

To: **The Secretary General, Department of Agriculture,**

"In the absence of any instructions to the contrary and with immediate effect, please deduct from each amount payable, an amount representing 1% of what would otherwise be payable to me in respect of all fees due to me for Meat Inspection and/or work carried out under the Bovine TB and Brucecellosis Eradication and Heifer Vaccination Schemes".

Please pay all amounts deducted to: **Allied Irish Bank, 9 Terenure Road East, Dublin 6. Account No. 17516048 – Veterinary Ireland.**

**When a Partnership exists this form MUST also be signed by every other member of the Partnership.**

Name of Practitioner(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

TB NO: \_\_\_\_\_ TVI NO: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_ / \_\_ / \_\_