

Ormonde Veterinary comprises of 6 full time and 1 part time vets, providing veterinary care for farm and companion animals (80%/20%) in Kilkenny for over 30 years.

Kilkenny is an intensive dairying area currently having over 40,000 dairy cows in our practice.

Due to expanding case load we are looking to employ an additional vet - a dedicated farm vet/mixed vet with a farm bias to join our team. The post would suit a certificate holder or vet with a keen interest in herd health hoping to pursue a certificate. Regular herd health planning and in-depth herd health investigations are an important part of our day-to-day work. Training in AHI schemes looked upon favourably.

We work as a team with a strong emphasis on collaboration and communication. We value the input of each team member and are open to new ideas. The right candidate will grow and develop within our practice fostering new interests whilst consolidating on previous experience. We run a monthly clinical club and find it encourages sharing of knowledge and opens up discussion on hot topics. Long term prospects for suitable candidate. CPD actively encouraged with support for further career development and qualifications encouraged and funded. Becoming 1/7 rota.

The ideal candidate should:

- ❖ Be registered with the VCI.
- ❖ Have at least two years' experience in farm animal practice.
- ❖ Have good communication skills and be able to work as part of a team.
- ❖ Be highly motivated and able to work on own initiative.

To help you achieve the elusive work/life balance we offer

- ❖ A competitive salary with a 4-day week option.
- ❖ Generous expenses – Vehicle provided, subsistence and phone.
- ❖ 40 days holidays; incl. annual leave, public holidays and days off in lieu.
- ❖ CPD plan fully supported and funded up to certificate level.
- ❖ Becoming 1:7 rota for most of the year.
- ❖ VCI – VDS – Veterinary Ireland fees paid.

A rewarding position offering varied individual animal medical and surgical caseloads, as well as herd and flock health cases to ensure continuous career development.

A vibrant social scene awaits in the beautiful and historical city of Kilkenny. The M9 motorway is minutes from the practice allowing travel to Dublin (1hr), Cork(2hrs), Galway(2.5hrs) and Waterford (40mins).

For further information contact or submit your CV to
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