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NAHERC Member in the News



Becker College has created the School of Animal Studies. NAHERC member, and previous Director, New Hampshire Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory, Dr. Richard French has been hired as Dean of the new school. He is also the Allerton Chair of Animal Health Sciences.

Becker College School of Animal Studies offer's a degree in Animal Care, Equine Studies, Laboratory Animal Management, Pre-Veterinary, Veterinary Science and others (www.becker.edu).

Several articles detailing Becker's expansion can be found at telegram.com as well as [Becker College News and Events](#)

Dr. French received his doctorate of veterinary medicine from the University of Illinois.

National Veterinary Accreditation Program

Accredited Veterinarians, is it time to renew your accreditation? Well, that depends on your assigned Accreditation Renewal Date (ARD). If you are not aware of your ARD, you can obtain it from your Veterinary Service [Area Office](#) for the state of your business address. You can renew up to six months prior to your ARD.

Do you know that your renewal in the National Veterinary Accreditation Program can be done online? Simply click on [Renew Your Accreditation Online](#) to see how.

Additionally, there is a webinar on the Online Accreditation Renewal system every Thursday, 1:00 to 2:00 pm EST. Click [here](#) for access instructions.

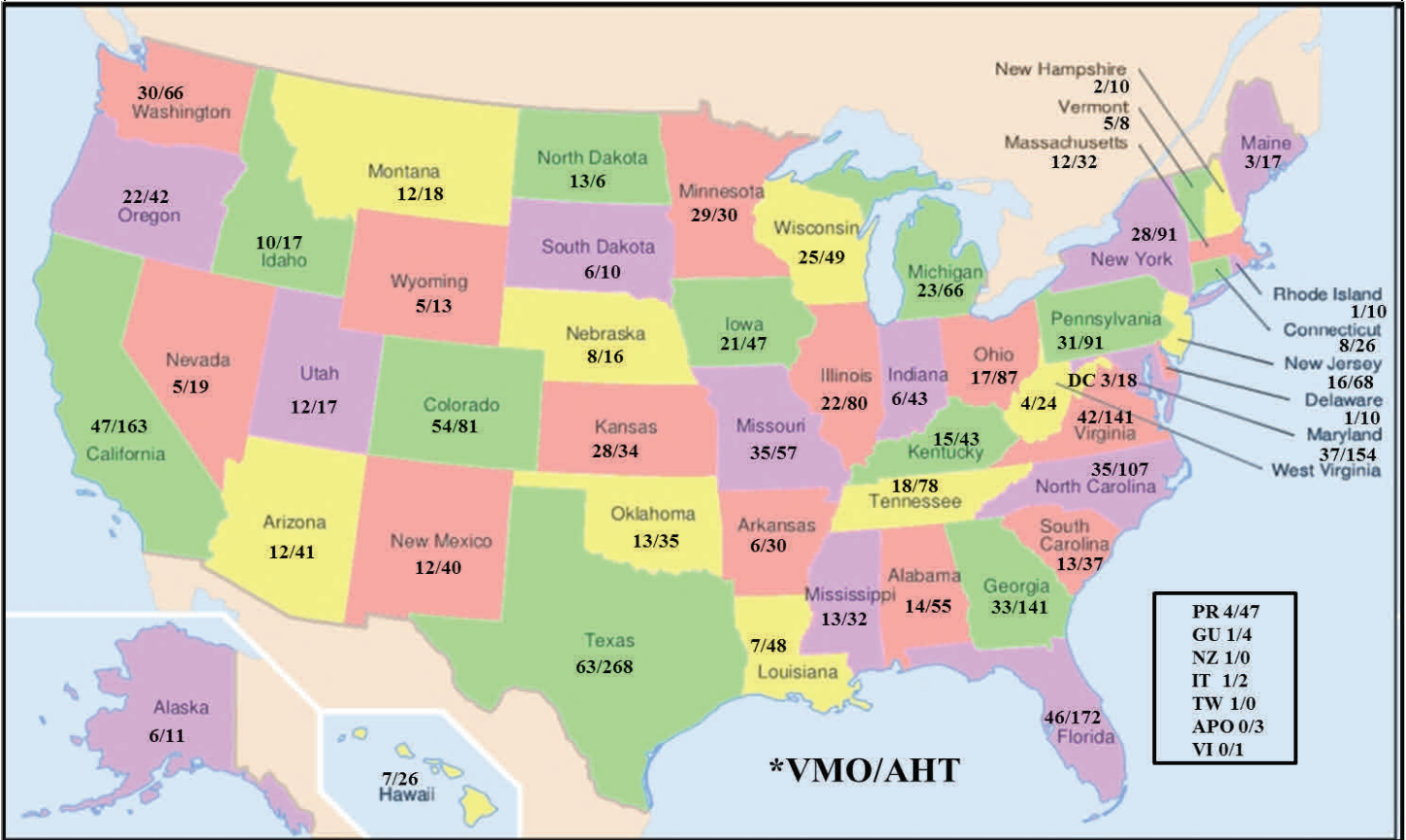
You can also renew your accreditation by completing [VS Form 1-36A](#), then forward it to the Area Office that oversees the state in your business address. Mailing addresses for area offices can be found at the following link: http://www.aphis.usda.gov/animal_health/area_offices/

If you have any questions about NAVAP, please contact your Area Office or the NVAP staff in Riverdale, MD at nvap@aphis.usda.gov or USDA/APHIS/VS, National Veterinary Accreditation Program, 4700 River Road, Unit 64, Riverdale, MD 20737.

Convention Update

NAHERC is tentatively scheduled to attend the CVC East in Washington, DC May 8-13, 2013, the American Veterinary Medical Association Convention in Chicago, IL July 20-23, 2013, the CVC Central in Kansas City, August 21-26, 2013, CVC West in San Diego, CA October 31 - November 3, 2013. More information will be provided as these dates draw nearer. We hope to see you at one or more of these events.

NAHERC Strength as of February 2013



*VMO/AHT

VMO	AHT	TOTAL	PA*
944	2882	3826	880

*Number of Members who have signed the Privacy Act Release Form (since May 2010)

In addition to our state totals, we would like to point out we have NAHERC members located in Puerto Rico, Guam, New Zealand, Italy, Taiwan, and other overseas locations.

Frequently Asked Questions

Over the past couple of years, the NAHERC Coordinator and staff have been asked many questions. We've compiled a list of the frequently asked questions. To view these questions and answers, please visit http://www.aphis.usda.gov/animal_health/emergency_management/downloads/naherc_faq.pdf. If you have a question that isn't listed there, please e-mail us at NAHERC@aphis.usda.gov.

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