2025 Information Sheet for Students

The Q Fever vaccination is a requirement for the majority of programs within the School of Animal and Veterinary Sciences (SAVS). Please refer to SAVS Vaccination Guidelines for more information.

Cost

All costs associated with testing and vaccination must be paid for by the student. The cost of testing and vaccinations vary from provider to provider (ranging from approximately \$220 to \$500). The consultation fee at a GP may be covered by Medicare and the vaccination may be covered by some private health insurance companies. Students are advised to consult their private health insurance provider regarding associated costs with the vaccine.

Q Fever Providers

While there are a number of Q-Fever providers across Australia, the School has connections with three clinics that are willing to take a group of students and as a result the cost is reduced (see below). Students can either source their own provider or book in with these clinics. Please note students CANNOT miss practicals and Tutorials run on the Roseworthy Campus to attend vaccination appointments. In 2025 we have organised Group Vaccination Clinics. REFER TO PAGE 2 for dates and how to book in.

Tanunda Medical Centre 13 Mill St TANUNDA SA 5352 Ph. 08 8563 2777	Travel Health Practitioner 10 Second Street Nuriootpa, SA 5355 Ph. 0431 388 742	University Health Centre Horace Lamb Building, North Terrace Campus, The University of Adelaide Ph. (08) 7095 0273
Number of Students (maximum 6)	Number of Students (maximum 10)	Number of Students (maximum 10)
1 \$246.65 (without Medicare \$351.45)	1 \$250.00 (without Medicare \$300.00)	1 \$347.25
2 \$231.48 (without Medicare \$336.28)	2 \$245.00 (without Medicare \$295.00)	2 \$324.75
3 \$226.42 (without Medicare \$331.22)	3 \$240.00 (without Medicare \$290.00)	3 \$317.25
4 \$223.89 (without Medicare \$328.69)	4 \$235.00 (without Medicare \$285.00)	4 \$313.50
5 \$222.37 (without Medicare \$327.17)	5 \$230.00 (without Medicare \$280.00)	5 \$311.25
6 \$221.36 (without Medicare \$326.16)	6 \$225.00 (without Medicare \$275.00)	6 \$309.75
Students with Medicare need to pay	7 \$225.00 (without Medicare \$275.00)	7 \$308.68
\$42 for each consult but can claim	8 \$225.00 (without Medicare \$275.00)	8 \$307.88
them back through Medicare (the above price includes the 2 x \$42	9 \$225.00 (without Medicare \$275.00)	9 \$307.25
consults)	10 \$225.00 (without Medicare \$275.00)	10 \$306.75
 Students need to pay an additional \$20-\$30 for blood test through SA Pathology There may also be a freight cost 	An additional Medicare rebate of \$26.40 will be added to each of the consults but will be refunded by Medicare within 24 hours.	The skin test through Clinical Labs is built into the costs above.

NOTE: These prices are a <u>quide only</u> (last updated 26th February 2025) and are subject to change without notice. Please contact the provider to confirm the updated cost.

How to Show Evidence of Q-Fever Vaccination

It is the student's responsibility to provide evidence that they have been vaccinated against Q-Fever. Students must upload evidence that they have been vaccinated to <u>Sonia Online</u>. Click <u>here</u> for instructions.

2025 Group Vaccination Clinics

To assist students in obtaining their Q-Fever vaccination, the School has organised several group vaccination clinics both in the Barossa and at the North Tce Campus.

Group Vaccination Clinics

Two clinics are running group vaccination clinics for students. Please note you MUST attend TWO appointments (7 days apart).

Clinic	Travel Health Practitioner	<u>University Health Centre</u>
Location	10 Second Street, Nuriootpa, SA 5355	Horace Lamb Building, Nth Tce Campus, Uni Adelaide
Student Program	Would mainly suit Veterinary Technology students but other students are welcome.	Would mainly suit Animal Science, Veterinary Bioscience and Animal Behaviour students.
Dates	Friday 14 th March <u>AND</u> Friday 21 st March	 Two sessions to choose from: Monday 17th March <u>AND</u> Monday 24th March; OR Wednesday 19th March <u>AND</u> Wednesday 26th March
Times	(10:00am – 11:00am) <i>(10 min timeslots)</i>	9:30am – 12:00pm (select a 10 min timeslot)
Costs*	Refer to Previous Page	Refer to Previous Page
How to Book	SMS your Full Name, Date of Birth and Mobile number to Catherine on 0431 388 742 quoting "Q-Fever Group Vaccination"	Call University Health Centre on (08) 7095 0273 to book directly. Ensure you tell Reception staff you are booking in for the "Q-Fever Clinic".
DATE	BOOK ASAP TO SECURE YOUR PLACE	BOOK ASAP TO SECURE YOUR PLACE

^{*}reminder students will need to pay for these appointments.

Financial Assistance to Obtain the Vaccination

The University may be able to assist with the cost of obtaining the vaccination through interest-free student loans or grants. Here are some possible options.

Student Loans: https://www.adelaide.edu.au/student/student-loan-scheme

YouX: https://youx.org.au/support/studentcare/financialwelfare/

Equal Access Grants: https://scholarships.adelaide.edu.au/Scholarships/undergraduate/all-faculties/equal-access-grants

International Student Support: https://international.adelaide.edu.au/international-student-support

Questions

Any questions about Q-Fever or how to upload evidence to Sonia please contact the Placement Team at animalvetsci@adelaide.edu.au.