- 1 UPDATED: 03/13/2024 DISCUSSION DRAFT ONLY -- **NOT** FILED WITH LRC
- 2 BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS
- 3 Kentucky Board of Veterinary Examiners
- 4 (New Administrative Regulation)
- 5 201 KAR 16:533. Examination requirements for allied animal health professionals.
- 6 RELATES TO: KRS 321.175, 321.181(1)-(4), 321.235
- 7 STATUTORY AUTHORITY: KRS 321.175(2)(c), (5), 321.181(1)-(4), 321.235(1)(a)-
- 8 (c), (2)(b)2.
- 9 NECESSITY, FUNCTION, AND CONFORMITY: KRS 321.235(1)(b) and (2)(b)
- authorize the board to promulgate administrative regulations in accordance with KRS Chapter
- 13 13A to effectively carry out and enforce the provisions of the Kentucky Veterinary Medicine
- Practice Act. KRS 321.235(2)(b)2. requires the Kentucky Board of Veterinary Examiners to
- establish examination requirements and passing scores for allied animal health professionals.
- 14 This administrative regulation establishes examination requirements as one part of the
- requirements to qualify for an allied animal health professional (AAHP) permit from the board.
- Section 1. State Exam Qualifications for Allied Animal Health Professionals.
- 17 (1) The board shall require a passing score on the Kentucky Board of Veterinary
- 18 Examiners Jurisprudence Examination for AAHPs a board approved state jurisprudence
- 19 examination as one requirement for permitting by the board as an allied animal health
- 20 professional.
- 21 (2) Candidates seeking an AAHP permit shall pay a state examination fee pursuant to 201
- 22 KAR 16:513.

1	(3) Candidates shall <u>successfully</u> complete the Kentucky Board of Veterinary Examiners
2	Jurisprudence Examination for AAHPs Allied Animal Health Professionals, which shall cover
3	the specific requirements of KRS Chapter 321 and 201 KAR Chapter 16, in either paper or
4	electronic format.
5	(4) To successfully complete the Kentucky Board of Veterinary Examiners Jurisprudence
6	Examination, Applicants for an AAHP permit shall be required to achieve a score of eighty (80)
7	percent or higher on the Kentucky Board of Veterinary Examiners Jurisprudence Examination
8	for Allied Animal Health Professionals.
9	Section 2. National Exam Qualifications for Allied Animal Health Professionals.
10	(1) The examination required for permitting by the board as an allied animal health
11	professional shall be the successful completion of a certification exam required by an approved
12	allied animal health professional program, pursuant to 201 KAR 16:523. An official score report
13	or official documentation from the certifying body shall be provided from the certifying body to
14	the board.  NOTE FOR RESEARCH:
15	(a) American Veterinary Chiropractic Association  Reach out to ACVA and ICVA to
16	(ACVA) passing score shall be seventy percent (70%) or
17	the passing score set by ACVA, whichever is higher.
18	(b) International Veterinary Chiropractic Association (ICVA) passing score shall be
19	seventy percent (70%) or the passing score set by ACVA, whichever is higher
20	(3) Applicants for an AAHP permit to the board shall pay any required <u>national exam or</u>
21	score transfer fees directly to the approved allied animal health professional program, or one of
22	their designee designees, or official records custodian.