



# UPDATE OF JCVP

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**The number of actual members: 33**

(Nationality of members: Japan, China, Taiwan, Korea)

**President (2017 ~ 2019): Jyoji Yamate (Osaka Prefecture University)**

**Vice presidents (2017 ~ 2019): Hiroyuki Nakayama (The University of Tokyo)**

**Masami Suzuki (Chugai Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd.)**

**JCVP annual meeting:** Once a year (March) since 2014.

Two-day-meeting including mystery slide session (whole-day-session), educational seminar, symposium and poster presentation.

(**JSVP:** The Japanese Society of Veterinary Pathology (JSVP) is one of the sections belong to Japanese Society of Veterinary Sciences (JSVS), and is composed of veterinary pathologists, veterinarians and students who are interested in veterinary pathology. The JSVP hold a scientific meeting during the annual meeting of JSVS once a year, usually in September. The committee members of JSVP are same as those of JCVP)



## JCVP Certifying Examination

Once a year (September)

### Eligibility of Candidates

- The candidates have to engage in the work on veterinary or toxicologic pathology at the institutes certified by JCVP for at least 3 years after graduation of university.
- The candidates have to be the member of JSVS.
- The candidates have to publish at least one scientific article on veterinary pathology or toxicologic pathology as the first author before application.
- The candidates have to participate in the scientific meetings/seminars of pathology certified by JCVP at least 3 times before application, to obtain the credit.



## Summary of the examination

- **Subjects of examination**

(1) **Written tests by mark sheet (195min. Total 150 QNS: 150 points)**

1. **Veterinary general pathology (60 QNS: 60points)**

2. **Veterinary special pathology (60 QNS: 60 points):** Choice of 2 fields from following 3 veterinary pathology fields.

① **Companion animal pathology (30 QNS: 30 points)**

② **Experimental animal pathology, including toxicologic pathology (30 QNS: 30 points)**

③ **Industrial animal pathology (30 QNS: 30 points)**

3. **Image examination (light/electron microscopic and gross images ) (10QNS:30points)**

(2) **Microscopy: 150min.**

- **15 glasses ( 10 points / glass )**

- **Description of the histologic findings and diagnosis.**

- **Total 150 points (minimal requirement  $\geq 75$  points)**

- **Minimal requirement of Total points  $\geq 180$  points /300 points (60%)**



## Summary of Recent 5 Years.

Year	No. of Candidates	No. of Successful candidates	Pass rate (%)	The highest points out of 300	The average points of candidates
2017 (25 <sup>th</sup> )	25	18	72.0	245	191.5
2016 (24 <sup>th</sup> )	27	17	63.0	244	180.8
2015 (23 <sup>rd</sup> )	33	19	57.5	227	181.1
2014 (22 <sup>nd</sup> )	26	18	69.2	244	194.0
2013 (21 <sup>st</sup> )	31	15	48.3	243	189.0
2013~2017	142	87	61.2		187.2

### Renewal of membership

To keep the JCVP certificate, the members have to renew the membership every five years by showing the accumulation of the credits, which will be evaluated by the board members.

The members have to attend the JCVP annual meeting and the other educational meeting in order to obtain the credits.



## Current issues

1. Dissemination and awareness rising of the concept of forensic veterinary pathology in Japan.
2. Globalization to expand our activities collaborating with ACVP, ESVP and ASVP (Asian Society of Veterinary Pathology). Contribution to the annual meeting of ASVP which is held every two years in southeast Asian countries.
3. Rising recognition of the activities of JCVP.



# Veterinary Schools in Japan

● Public: 11  
● Private: 5 + 1  
 About 1,000 students/year

