



VETERINARIOS/AS de INSPECCIÓN para el gobierno de Países Bajos

IMPORTANTE: pueden participar **también estudiantes de veterinaria** que estén finalizando sus estudios.

Name of employer: NVWA (Netherlands Food and Consumer Product Safety Authority)

Type of employer: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries, Food Security and Nature

Website: <https://english.nvwa.nl/>

Work location: Various locations in the Netherlands

The Dutch Food and Consumer Product Safety Authority (NVWA) is recruiting **Supervising veterinarians** for slaughterhouses across the Netherlands. Your work protects animal welfare, animal health, and food safety

Job description:

As a Supervising Veterinarian, you supervise the entire slaughter process in your region. From the arrival of live animals to the final inspection, you ensure that all steps meet legal and professional standards. You act when rules are not followed and help maintain public trust in safe, responsible food production.

You work accurately and responsibly, even under pressure. You stay calm in complex situations and make well-founded decisions. You collaborate easily across disciplines and value the responsibility of protecting public health, food safety, and animal welfare.

You will:

- Conduct ante- and post-mortem inspections
- Identify diseases and abnormalities that may pose risks
- Monitor hygiene practices and compliance with legislation
- Safeguard animal welfare throughout the process
- Work independently in the slaughterhouse while supported by a team of veterinarians and inspectors
- Contribute to continuous improvement with colleagues and policymakers
- Communicate clearly, including in stressful situations

Job requirements

- You hold a veterinary degree that qualifies for Dutch Veterinary Register registration.
- You speak English at B2 level and are willing to learn Dutch.
- You hold a category B driving license.
- You are prepared to relocate and complete the full training program.
- Experience in the veterinary or food sector is an advantage.
- You work independently and carefully in a regulated environment.



Employment conditions:

You work under Dutch public sector employment conditions:

- Salary: during training (€3,404–€5,389) and after certification (€4,024–€6,110), 36 hours
- You will start with a temporary contract for the duration of the training program, from 21 September 2026 to 1 February 2028. After it, one year contract and permanent.
- More benefits will be explained at the session meeting.

Dutch language and relocation support:

International candidates receive full guidance when moving to the Netherlands. You get:

- An intensive Dutch language course up to B2 level free of charge
- A fully paid 16-month training program
- Support with relocation, housing, and administrative arrangements

Application deadline: February the 15TH

Start date: 21st September 2026

Interested candidates send Motivation letter and CV in English to
Rosa Bowman rosa.bouwman@uwv.nl
With copy to eures.franciasuizabanelux@sepe.es
putting in the matter "Oferta Veterinarios/as Países Bajos"

Las personas pre-seleccionadas serán invitadas a sesión informativa

Información para hacer el currículum en Países bajos [aquí](#)