

# Challenges of Animal Welfare and Ethics for Veterinary Graduates in Pakistan

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## Introduction:

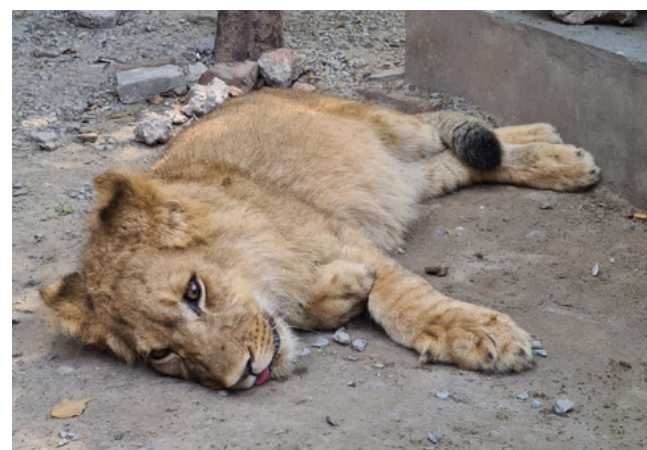
- Animal welfare ensures provision of food , space and treatment of animals.
- Animal Ethics deals human handling and interaction with animals
- The current study aimed to assess the need of knowledge related to animal welfare and ethics in a challenging environment for veterinary graduates in Pakistan.

## Study Method:

- 14 Questions were designed through Google survey.
- Data was analysed through SPSS software.



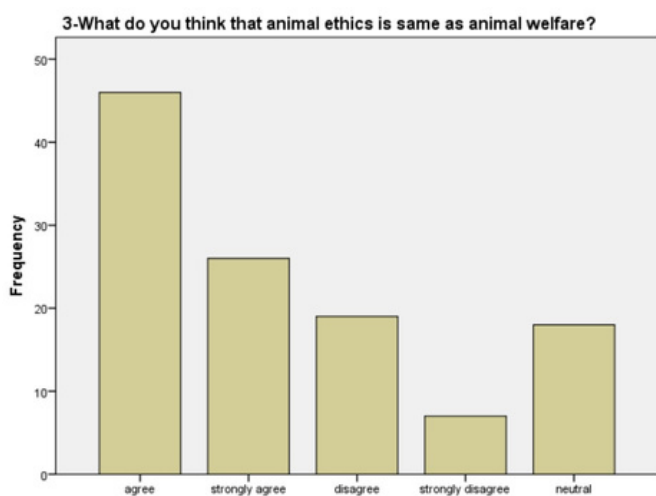
**Over-crowding during transportation**



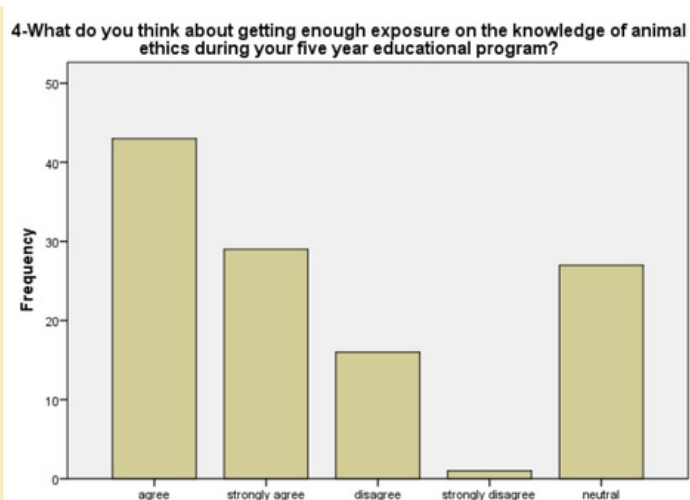
**Poor diet and Housing**



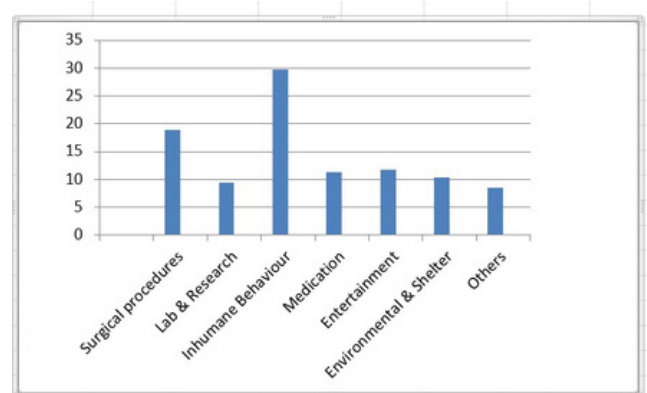
**Excessive workload on draught animal**



**Response on the difference between Animal welfare and ethics**



**Knowledge on animal welfare and ethics, assessed throughout a five-year journey.**



**Comparison of responses about unethical practices**

## Conclusion:

1. Our curriculum related to animal welfare and ethics is lacking with scientific knowledge and skills in ethical reasoning and advocacy.
2. The course should be taught as a multidisciplinary subject linked to related topics in animal behavior, ethics, legislation, professional responsibilities, and socioeconomics.