

# Neil Vezeau, DVM, MPH

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**Educational Background:**

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**Professional interests:** One Health/Public Health/Global Health, Zoonotic Antimicrobial Resistance, Governance and Policy, Gender Equity



**Biosketch**

Neil is a 2021 veterinary graduate from Iowa State University and is finishing a Master in Public Health from the University of Iowa. His work and studies have revolved around One Health (OH).

As an undergraduate, he majored in both Animal Science & Microbiology, and minored in Emerging Global Disease. During this time, he founded the nation's second chapter of Veterinarians Without Borders, the Iowa One Health Conference, and Iowa the One Health group. He conducted animal science and clinical research, with honors research in antimicrobial resistance (AMR). Additionally, Neil has contributed to AMR and public opinion research at Cornell University.

Since 2017, Neil has participated in multiple efforts advocating for more OH coordination in the United States. He served as a founding member and President of the International Student One Health Alliance (ISOHA), a global NGO. Now serving as an ISOHA Trustee, Neil continues to help build capacity for students working for One Health globally.

Neil has been invited to speak internationally on One Health, AMR, and policy. His, recent work with major US health student organizations, has aimed to increase interprofessional collaboration to decrease clinician suicide by co-creating "Clinician Suicide Awareness Day". He also continues work on AMR-related policy and gender in veterinary medicine.