Step 1: Complete academic study
Ensure this fulfils the academic requirements via:
• An ASAB accredited course, or
• Applying for ASAB pre-certification by mapping academic achievements

Step 2: Develop practical experience

Option 1
Via membership organisation
Each organisation will develop its own system for supporting members in preparation for the final assessment

Option 2
Very experienced applicants may feel ready to progress to final assessment

Step 3: Final assessment
Final assessment is undertaken by ASAB Accreditation, as the independent assessing body.

Applicants will be asked to submit:
• A completed application form
• Two references from relevant practitioners
• A logbook of cases seen over the last 12 months:
  o To demonstrate the applicant has seen a minimum of 10 cases each year
  o From which the applicant will be asked to provide anonymised copies of a selection of letters/case reports to owners/referring vets for discussion in the viva.

Assessment will include:
• A practical and viva format examination to assess the individual’s performance criteria (PC) for first species and some cross-species knowledge

Once all steps are complete the applicant is accepted as CCAB
NB: Those who are on the ABTC CAB register via a different route prior to introduction of this process remain accredited ABTC CABs