

## **Vaccinations (routine)**

This is a brief breakdown of what and why.

## DOGS: 5-in-1

- 1. Canine Distemper Virus

  A highly contagious often fatal disease affecting respiratory, gastrointestinal and central nervous systems.
- **2.** Contagious Hepatitis *A viral liver disease*
- **3.** Canine Parvovirus

  Causes systemic illness with primarily gastrointestinal and immunologic effects. Parvo is an extremely serious condition, particularly in puppies and it is often fatal.
- 4. Canine Parainfluenza 1
- **5.** Canine Parainfuenza 2 *Typically viral respiratory disease.*

Rabies vaccinations are required by law.

We also advise that you vaccinate against **Kennel Cough** or *Canine Infectious Tracheobronchitis* which is a highly contagious respiratory infection of dogs causing a harsh honking cough. This is often required by most kennels.

3x vaccinations are done in puppies at 6wks, 8-12wks and 12-16wks. Thereafter yearly. The Rabies vaccine will slot into the above protocol. Your pet is protected against Rabies after 2 vaccinations administered one month apart from three months of age.

It is very important to **deworm** your pets regularly with a reputable dewormer at the correct dose. We will deworm your pet at each of the above three puppy vaccinations, it is thereafter up to you to collect deworming from us every 2-3months.

Regards FVC team

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## CATS: 3-in-1

1. Feline Calici Virus

This is part of the snuffles complex of viruses causing respiratory disease characterised by upper respiratory signs, oral ulceration, pneumonia and occasionally arthritis.

- 2. Feline Rhinotracheitis Virus
  Also part of the snuffles complex, causing sneezing, fever, rhinitis, conjunctivitis and ulcerative keratitis
- **3.** Panleukopaenia An enteric viral infection in cats characterized by sudden onset of depression, vomiting and diarrhea, severe dehydration and often death.

Rabies vaccinations are required by law.

3x vaccinations are done in kittens at 9wks, 12wks and 16wks. Thereafter yearly. The Rabies vaccine will slot into the above protocol. Your pet is protected against Rabies after 2 vaccinations administered one month apart from three months of age.

It is very important to **deworm** your pets regularly with a reputable dewormer at the correct dose. We will deworm your pet at each of the above three kitten vaccinations, it is thereafter up to you to collect deworming from us every 2-3months.

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