

Feline Vaccinations and Health Care

Feline vaccination and preventative health care is an extremely important aspect of feline care. Vaccinations are critical to preventing many diseases that cause upper respiratory illness and other immune depressing diseases. The guidelines listed below are just some of the basic vaccinations recommended for not only our furry feline friend pets but also for those special furry friends that are in catteries.

Core Vaccines necessary for ALL cats: (these vaccines should be administered every 3 weeks starting at 6 weeks of age until 15 weeks of age)

*Feline Panleukopenia Virus

*Feline Herpes Virus 1

*Feline Calicivirus

*Rabies Virus

*Feline Leukemia Virus (highly recommended due to unknown future lifestyle)

Deworming: Deworm every 2 weeks from 3-9 weeks then do monthly dewormings until 6 months of age.

Routine veterinary visits to evaluate health status and conformance to vaccination and deworming guidelines.

As with any animal, a health certificate by an accredited veterinarian must be issued before shipment to a new home and testing for Feline Leukemia Virus is recommended prior to shipment.

Disclaimer: These recommendations are general recommendations by our practice and are taken from information from the American Animal Hospital Association. Your veterinarian should have a similar protocol but will tailor it to fit the specific needs in your area.