



**CATS**

# WELLNESS PLANS

**KITTENS - UNDER 1 YEAR**

**A plan that gets them off to a solid start, without breaking the bank.**

Congratulations on your new kitten! Whether this is your first pet or you are a seasoned cat whisperer, it is an exciting time. Our plan covers your new kitty's essentials for the first year, *including their spay/neuter!*

### **Our plan includes:**

- Two kitten consultations
- Core vaccines
- Basic oral deworming (x3)
- KeyScreen PCR fecal testing (x1)
- Pre-anesthetic blood work including FeLV/FIV testing (x1)
- Spay (\*under 8 months) or neuter
- Microchip during spay/neuter
- Fear Free medication
- Nail trims during exams



**Upfront yearly fee:**

**\$122.50+HST**

**Monthly fee:**

**Males**

**\$93.42+HST**

**Females**

**\$106.04+HST**

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**Kittens**

### Two kitten consultations

- 30 minute consultations with a veterinarian.
- Bring your questions about nutrition, weight management, socialization, environmental enrichment, oral health, and building healthy habits!

### Core vaccines

- FVRCP, rabies, feline leukemia virus.
- PureVax non-adjuvanted vaccines.

### Nail trims during exams

- Complimentary only for cat wellness plan members.

### Basic oral dewormer

- 3 doses of Strongid-T (pyrantel pamoate) for roundworms and hookworms.
- Roundworms can be transmitted to kittens from mom through nursing or via the fecal-oral route. They can then be transmitted to humans and can cause blindness in children. **Roundworm eggs and immature larvae are not detected by the naked eye.**

### KeyScreen PCR fecal testing

- Screens for 20 intestinal parasites, including parasites that can be transmitted to people.
- Many parasites, like giardia, are microorganisms that are not visible to the naked eye.

### Fear Free medication

- One refill of Fear Free medication (ex. gabapentin) is included with all exams for pets on wellness plans, for stress-free vet visits and medical care!

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## Pre-anesthetic blood work including FeLV/FIV testing

- This screens for underlying kidney or liver issues that could affect your pet while under anesthesia, and changes to their white blood cell and platelet counts that could affect their recovery from surgery.
- **Some health conditions cannot be found via blood testing.**
- This establishes a baseline for your pet while they are young. This can be a valuable reference in the future if they become unwell.
- This test includes **baseline FeLV and FIV testing** (testing for retroviruses), which is recommended for all kittens.

## Spay (females)

- **We very strongly recommend spaying all female cats before their first heat.** This reduces their risk of mammary cancer in the future. This can be accomplished by spaying your cat at **6 months of age or earlier.**
- Your cat can be spayed once their kitten vaccine series is complete.
- **Spays are included in the cost of this plan as long as the cat is UNDER 8 months of age, and UNDER 4 kg (8.8 lbs) in weight.**
- If your cat is **OVER 8 months or OVER 4 kg**, then there is an extra charge of \$125 at the time of surgery. **Easy solution: Spay your cat before 8 months of age!**

**OR**

## Neuter (males)

- Neutering your male cat before they reach sexual maturity makes it less likely they will spray urine and develop other behavioural issues.
- In the unlikely event your cat has undescended testicles requiring exploratory abdominal surgery to locate them, it will cost extra.

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**Microchip during spay or neuter**

- A microchip is a permanent means of identification.
- We strongly recommend microchipping all cats, including all indoor cats! Indoor cats may escape or get lost in the event of an emergency.
- If your cat gets lost, a microchip makes it infinitely easier for their finder to get them back to you.