

WELLNESS EXAMS

For the Health of your pet For the life of your pet

The gradual onset of health problems in an apparently healthy pet often goes unnoticed. After all, our patients instinctively try to act normal in most circumstances, because in nature only the strongest survive. Once symptoms of illness begin to appear, the condition may be too difficult or costly to diagnose and treat. Age is not a disease.

There are many conditions that if diagnosed early, can be completely reversed or controlled for extended periods of time.

Regular dental care, vaccinations, control of parasites and a balanced good quality diet are important for good health care. Laboratory testing for the early detection of changes in the health status of your pet is also important.

Laboratory tests are a means by which we can diagnose blood disorders, kidney and liver disease, diabetes, infection, cancer, thyroid, disease and other hormonal imbalances.

The promotion of quality pet health care through a wellness program can add years of vitality to and extend your pet's life. Our veterinarians and staff truly believe in the benefits of preventive health care programs that keep your pet healthy and happy and allow healthcare dollars to be spent wisely.

Special Points of Interest

- We are your **partners in pet health**
- Annual wellness exams are crucial to sharing with pet owners our knowledge and experience
- We provide medical, surgical and dental services
- We provide nutritional and behavioral counseling
- We try to be flexible with scheduling
- We do simple grooming tasks
- We can refer you to others whose pets share your pets health issues
- If you have questions about care please call and present them to the staff!
- We keep a library of books our clients may borrow on various subjects.
- If people receive checkups annually, how much more important is this for a pet who ages much more rapidly than we do?

KEYS TO A HEALTHY PET

Careful and thorough puppy and kitten care early in life

Studies have proven that weight control can extend your pets lifespan *significantly*

Dental care is crucial to reducing exposure to damaging bacteria

Spaying or neutering has disease prevention benefits