FREE MONTHLY PUPPY AND KITTEN CLINICS PROTOCOL (Book on system under "MFV - Free Health Check")

PUPPY PROTOCOL *CASE DEPENDENT TO EACH INDIVIDUAL

1ST VACCINE WITH VET @ 8 WEEKS OF AGE *

2ND VACCINE WITH VET @ 10 WEEKS OF AGE *

3RD VACCINE WITH **NURSE*** OR VET @ 12 WEEKS OF AGE (3 MONTHS) *
(*Only in cases where the vet has seen the dog at both the 1st & 2nd vaccine can the nurse do the 3rd vacc)

FREE NURSE CLINIC @ 4 MONTHS

Weigh for flea and worming. Prepare toys and treats in the nurse consult room.
Discuss socialization: Exploration, exposure to friendly dogs (old and young) & different sounds exposure
Offer advice: Teething. Toilet training. Desensitizing to restraint & health exams.
Take on a tour of the practice *(Only if they are confident and it is a suitable day e.g. no loud/stressed dogs in kennels)*
ANY TREATMENT E.G. NAIL CLIPPING, EAR CLEANING – IS INCLUDED IN FREE CLINIC

FREE NURSE CLINIC @ 5 MONTHS

Weigh for flea and worming. Prepare toys and treats in the nurse consult room.
Discuss socialization: Combating any new fears with positive reinforcement to build confidence.
Discuss training: Basic commands; "*Sit*" & "*Stay*" + Impulse control; "*Leave it*" & "*waiting at food bowl.*"
Take on a tour of the practice *(Only if they are confident and it is a suitable day e.g. no loud/stressed dogs in kennels)*
ANY TREATMENT E.G. NAIL CLIPPING, EAR CLEANING – IS INCLUDED IN FREE CLINIC

DHP VACCINE WITH VET @ 6 MONTHS OF AGE

6 MONTH HEALTH CHECK @ 9 MONTHS OF AGE (6 MONTHS POST VACCINE) ***NURSES***
If client is part of PHC or PHC+ this is included.
If client is on neither health plan then charge is £24.99

BOOSTER WITH VET @ 15 MONTHS OF AGE

!!!PLEASE REMEMBER FAB AT THE END OF EVERY APPOINTMENT!!!

This is an opportunity to build on our relationship with the client and their pet and encourage preventative health care and promote our PHC. This is something we are offering for all clients. Being considerate of our nurse clinic availability. These appointments are **NOT** to be booked in with a vet under any circumstances. If the available nurse slots are not suitable for a client then alternative branches should be considered instead.

FREE MONTHLY PUPPY AND KITTEN CLINICS PROTOCOL (Book on system under "MFV - Free Health Check")

KITTEN PROTOCOL *CASE DEPENDENT TO EACH INDIVIDUAL

1ST VACCINE WITH VET AT 9 WEEKS OF AGE

2ND VACCINE WITH VET AT 12 WEEKS OF AGE (3 MONTHS)

FREE NURSE CLINIC @ 4 MONTHS

Weigh for flea and worming. Prepare toys and treats in the nurse consult room.
Discuss neutering: Can be neutered at 4 months. Keep indoors until neutered. Explain risks with opposite sex siblings/cats in same house.
Offer advice: First time cat owner? Enough litter trays in house? (1 per cat +1 extra)
Handling exposure advice: Expose them to being regularly handled and brushed. Recommend getting them used to being placed in a cat carrier with positive reinforcement.
ANY TREATMENT E.G. NAIL CLIPPING, EAR CLEANING – IS INCLUDED IN FREE CLINIC

FREE NURSE CLINIC @ 5 MONTHS

Weigh for flea and worming. Prepare toys and treats in the nurse consult room.
Offer advice: Plenty of toys and play opportunities to channel their energy; climbing towers & scratching posts.
Discuss social training: Never using hands when playing, always use toys. Redirect any biting stopping rough play immediately and ignoring the behaviour. Never scold.
ANY TREATMENT E.G. NAIL CLIPPING, EAR CLEANING – IS INCLUDED IN FREE CLINIC

FREE NURSE CLINIC @ 6 MONTHS

Weigh for flea and worming. Prepare toys and treats in the nurse consult room.
Discuss neutering *If not neutered already*
Desensitizing restraint & health exams; discuss getting used to feet being touched for nail trimming, brushing teeth and/or grooming. All of these can be made positive with treats and rewards.
Are they going outside? Discuss snap safe collar options and the importance of worming if prone to hunting.
ANY TREATMENT E.G. NAIL CLIPPING, EAR CLEANING – IS INCLUDED IN FREE CLINIC

6 MONTH HEALTH CHECK @ 9 MONTHS OF AGE (6 MONTHS POST VACCINE) ***NURSES***
If client is part of PHC or PHC+ this is included.
If client is on neither health plan then charge is £24.99

BOOSTER WITH VET @ 15 MONTHS OF AGE

!!!PLEASE REMEMBER FAB AT THE END OF EVERY APPOINTMENT!!!

This is an opportunity to build on our relationship with the client and their pet and encourage preventative health care and promote our PHC. This is something we are offering for all clients. Being considerate of our nurse clinic availability. These appointments are **NOT** to be booked in with a vet under any circumstances. If the available nurse slots are not suitable for a client then alternative branches should be considered instead.