Common Viruses and Infections in Cats:

Rabies: One of the world's most publicized and feared diseases, it is always fatal. Rabies virus attacks the nervous system and is transmitted chiefly through the bite of an infected animal.

Feline panleukopenia (feline distemper) (FPV): Among the most widespread of all cat diseases and is extremely contagious. Characterized by fever, loss of appetite, vomiting, and diarrhea which can lead to severe dehydration, feline panleukopenia results in high mortality rate, particularly among kittens.

Feline viral rhinotracheitis (FVR): A highly contagious respiratory disease characterized by loss of appetite, fever, eye inflammation and marked sneezing. As the disease progresses, a discharge is noticeable from both nose and eyes.

Feline calicivirus (FCV): Another serious feline respiratory infection that often occurs simultaneously with FVR. Signs of infection are similar to FVR (fever, loss of appetite, nasal discharge), but calicivirus-infected cats may also have ulcers on the tongue.

Feline Chlamydiosis: Chlamydiosis refers to a bacteria based chronic respiratory infection, caused by the Chlamydia psittaci bacterium. Cats that have developed this infection will often exhibit traditional signs of an upper respiratory infection, such as watery eyes, runny nose, and sneezing.

Feline pneumonitis: Characterized by similar symptoms to FVR and FCV (sneezing, fever, loss of appetite, nasal discharge, and inflamed eyes.)

Feline leukemia: An important cause of lymphoma, immunosuppression, and disease of the bone marrow (anemia, leukemia). It can be fatal over time.

Other Notes:



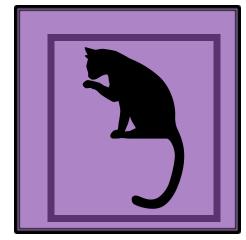


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Feline Health Record

Pet's Name:

Date of Birth:

Breed / Markings:

Sex: M F

Microchip ID #:

Owner's Name:

Healthy Kitten Schedule:	Vaccinations			Worming			
6-8 weeks /: First Kitten vaccination (FVRCP*) and deworming; Wean kitten; Offer canned and dry commercial food. Feed several times a day.	Date:	Type:		Date:	Туре	Weight	
9-12 weeks /: 2 nd kitten vaccination (FVRCP*) and deworming.							
13-16 weeks /: 3 rd kitten vaccination (FVRCP*) and deworming.							
16-18 weeks/: Rabies vaccination deworm; Spay or Neuter. Females can go into heat as early as this.							
6 months/: deworm. Continue deworming every 1-3 months. Begin feeding twice a day. Cats can free feed with dry food unless overweight.							
15 months /: Annual vaccination and rabies; give every year for life.							
* FVRCP – commonly referred to as 4 in 1. A vaccine that protects a cat from panleukopenia (feline distemper), Feline viral rhinotracheitis, calicivirus, and chlamydiosis							
				Medical Record/Surgeries:			
				Date:	Description		
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