## **Vaccinations and Examinations (Feline)**

(These are recommended minimum age periods)

1. Give felocell CVR (Panleukopenia, calicivirus, rhinotracheitis) at:

8 weeks of age

12 weeks of age

16 weeks of age

Booster yearly

2. Give rabies at:

3 months of age and booster yearly

3. Give feline leukemia:

2 initial boosters and yearly thereafter

4. Feline leukemia test:

required for first time vaccination

5. Feline leukemia and FIP:

will be tested together

6. Fecal examinations:

We recommend a yearly check and with all first visit kittens

#### **Health Certificates**

Health certificates are required for all animals leaving Texas. Most airlines require the health certificates be issued within ten days of departure. If you are traveling by automobile, a health certificate is highly recommended. Animals must be examined to obtain a health certificate. Interstate health certificates are good for ten days. A fecal sample will be needed the day of the appointment to check for internal parasites.

# **Veterinary Supplies and Medication**

A veterinary prescription is not required for over-the-counter purchase of the following items:

Some Flea & Tick control products Skin conditioners & shampoos Ear care products (Oti-clens) Nutritional supplements



Randolph Veterinary Service

# **Hours of Operation**

Over the Counter Sales

Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Clinic Hours

Tuesday - Thursday 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Closed evenings, weekends and holidays

# **Telephone Requests**

8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Appointment books open Mondays for appointments 2 weeks out

#### **Staff**

Donna J. Bothe, Clerk Karen S. Courter, Clerk Lynette Albers, Clerk



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BLDG. 216 652-3190 RANDOLPH AFB TX

#### Randolph Veterinary Service

- The Veterinary Treatment Facility is located in Bldg. 216.
- The phone number is 652-3190
- The VTF is professionally staffed by the United States Army Veterinary Services personnel assigned to Brooke Army Medical Center and civilian support personnel. The staff provides service to active and retired military personnel as well as being responsible for sanitary inspections for facilities in the San Antonio area which are associated with Armed Forces procurement.
- The facility is operated by the 902d Force Support Squadron. Services are provided for personnel who are authorized military hospital privileges.

  Nominal fees are assessed for medical supplies and biologics. There is a Department of Defense mandated user fee of \$2 charged for every transaction.
- Limited outpatient zoonotic disease control service is provided for privately owned pets.
- Randolph's VTF offers the following services: Immunizations

Parasite Control

Health Certificates

Zoonosis Disease Control (disease common to man and other animals)

Minor problems (i.e. skin, ears & eyes)

#### **Appointments**

Appointments must be made in advance by calling 652-3190 or by stopping by the VTF. No appointment is needed for purchase of over-the-counter products for pet use. All appointments are on a space available basis. Should you need a veterinarian during non-duty hours, please contact an off base veterinarian.

#### **Clinic Service Hours**

Clinic is usually held two to three times weekly. Sick call and vaccination appointments are from 8 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

#### **Pet Health Information**

The Randolph VTF has a number of free booklets available on all aspects of pet care.

#### Children in the VTF

For their protection, we recommend you don't bring children under 12 years of age into the facility. With the combination of a small waiting room and mixed animal population awaiting services, small children could be at risk.

#### **Restraint of Animals**

Veterinarians reserve the right to refuse services to aggressive or uncontrolled animals. Ensure that your animals are properly restrained on a leash or cage when brought to the VTF. Owners will be required to clean-up after their pets while in the clinic or surrounding area.

## **Boarding**

No boarding facilities are available through the veterinary service. Ask at the reception desk for a list of local boarding kennels.

#### **Registration of Pets**

City ordinance and Randolph AFB Regulation 125-5 require immunization of dogs and cats against rabies. All pets living on base must be registered within five days of arrival. Proof of rabies immunization within the last year is required of all dogs and cats over three months of age at the time of registration. Registration and immunization is required on a yearly basis. If your animals are vaccinated at Randolph Veterinary Treatment Facility (VTF), they are automatically registered on base. If they are vaccinated elsewhere, bring the certificate of rabies vaccination to the VTF facility for registration or updating of your records. Be sure to keep your pet's record current.

#### **PCS Move**

Do not forget to pick up your pet's record to take to your new duty station. If you no longer own the pet, please notify the VTF facility so your record can be destroyed. Check with your veterinarian at your new duty station about shipping and quarantine requirements for your pet in advance to ensure that all restrictions can be met and health certificates issued on time.

#### **Vaccination and Examinations (Canine)**

(These are recommended minimum age periods)

- 1. Give DA2PL+CPV+CV (Distemper, hepatitis, leptospirosis, parainfluenze, parvovirus and coronavirus) at:
  - 8 weeks of age
  - 12 weeks of age
  - 16 weeks of age
  - Booster yearly
- 2. Give rabies at: 3 months of age & booster yearly
- 3. Give bordetella:
  - 2 initial boosters & 1 booster yearly (as needed)
- 4. Fecal examination:
- (Puppies less than six months will be routinely given deworming) Fecal samples may be brought to the clinic on clinic days from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Fecal samples must be collected and examined on the same day.
- 5. A bi-annual heartworm check is recommended. Dogs testing negative should be placed on heartworm preventative. Dogs under five months of age may be started on the preventative without a heartworm test. Do not start older dogs on the preventative without a test being done first. Heartworm is transmitted by the bite of an infected mosquito. Since San Antonio has mild winter conditions, we recommend dogs stay on the preventative year round. Heartworm preventative must be administered according to the dogs current weight; an under dose provides no protection. Yearly heartworm checks are required before preventative can be sold. Some dogs have proved positive on the test even after being administered heartworm preventative. We hope you will understand a bi-annual check is in the best interest of you and your pet.