



Vaccination options for your Cat

Dangerous infectious diseases that could affect your cat



Basic Care

Optimal Care

Feline Enteritis

Also known as feline panleucopenia, this viral disease is a very dangerous disease affecting cats. Enteritis is very contagious and death rate is high. Symptoms include depression, loss of appetite, uncontrollable vomiting and diarrhoea, often with blood and severe abdominal pain.



Feline Respiratory Disease

Otherwise known as "Cat Flu", feline respiratory disease is caused in 90% of cases by feline herpesvirus (feline rhinotracheitis) and/or feline calicivirus. Feline respiratory disease is highly contagious and causes sneezing, coughing, running eyes, nasal discharge, loss of appetite and tongue ulcers. Recovered cats can continue to carry and spread the infection for long periods.



Feline Immunodeficiency Virus (FIV)*

FIV is a disease affecting the cat's immune system. Their natural defences against other diseases may be seriously affected, much in the same way as human AIDS.



*The FIV vaccination is a new vaccine launched December 2004 in Australia, There are 3 doses required initially to sustain immunity for a full year, then ongoing annual boosters.

