



Senior Cat Wellness Plan

MONTHLY:

- **Flea Prevention**
Fleas thrive in a wide range of environments making flea prevention necessary year-round. If given to all your pets, these products can reduce and eliminate your flea burden.
- **Heartworm Prevention**
Heartworm infections are almost 100% preventable in cats when proper steps are taken. Consistent heartworm prevention will protect your pet from this potentially deadly infection. Unfortunately, there is no treatment for heartworm infections in cats making prevention important.

BI-ANNUALLY:

- **Exams**
Preventing disease and detecting it early is better than treating it once it has progressed. Bi-annual exams in pets over 7 years old will focus on early detection and treatment of common diseases.
- **Blood Panel**
Bi-annual blood work provides a solid baseline for your pet's health now and in the future. Internal organ function including the liver and kidneys will be monitored and tracked for any changing value trends.

ANNUALLY:

- **Heartworm Test**
Annual heartworm tests are a safety measure recommended by the American Heartworm Society to protect the health of your cat by evaluating the heartworm prevention's efficacy.
- **Vaccinations**
Pets should be vaccinated to protect them from the many highly contagious and potentially deadly diseases.
Core Vaccinations: FVRCP and Rabies.
Lifestyle Vaccinations: Leukemia.
- **Dentals**
To prevent oral disease, it is essential to provide your pets with proper dental care, both professionally and at home. Annual dental exams with necessary cleaning and polishing procedures are recommended to maintain oral health.

OTHER:

- **Leukemia/FIV Test**
This test is highly recommended before vaccinating, including non-vaccinated adults.
- **Microchipping**
Unfortunately, pets can be lost, but with a small chip placed under the skin between the shoulder blades many of these pets have been found and returned to their owners.
- **Spay/Neuter**
Sterilization of our pets provide multiple health benefits and is recommended in all non-breeding pets. Once retired, breeding pets should also be sterilized no matter their age at retirement.

