

Canine Health Schedules

Recommended Healthcare for Dogs

At Walker County Veterinary Center, we care about your pets and want to help keep them healthy and protected from dangerous and contagious diseases. A three-year rabies vaccination is recognized by the state of Texas and is required by law. Since our area has seen the occurrence of rabies, which is deadly, vaccination is required yearly for clients in Huntsville and is recommended for all. As many of us know, rabies can be passed from infected animals to humans. Other pet vaccinations that are considered “core” by the veterinary community also are highly recommended because they pose the largest risk to your pet. We also offer specific vaccines that your pet may benefit from depending on the environment and lifestyle they live.

PUPPIES:

For maximum disease protection, a three series vaccination schedule is recommended.

8 Weeks:

- 🐾 Wellness Exam
- 🐾 1st DHPP
 - Canine Distemper, Hepatitis, Parvovirus, Parainfluenza
- 🐾 Fecal
- 🐾 Deworm
- 🐾 Heartworm/Flea Prevention

12 Weeks:

- 🐾 2nd DHLPP
 - Canine Distemper, Hepatitis, Leptospirosis, Parvovirus, Parainfluenza
- 🐾 1st Lyme*
- 🐾 1st Kennel Cough (Bordetella)*
- 🐾 1st Canine Influenza*
- 🐾 Heartworm/Flea Prevention

16 Weeks:

- 🐾 3rd DHLPP
 - Canine Distemper, Hepatitis, Leptospirosis, Parvovirus, Parainfluenza
- 🐾 2nd Lyme*
- 🐾 2nd Kennel Cough (Bordetella)*
- 🐾 2nd Canine Influenza*
- 🐾 Rabies
- 🐾 Heartworm/Flea Prevention

* Vaccinations dictated by environmental exposure.

*The dose and cost of **deworming** and **heartworm prevention** vary depending upon the dogs weight and the type of product received.

ADULT DOGS:

Any first time vaccinations (excluding Rabies) on an adult dog require a booster one month from the initial vaccination to insure maximum protection.

Annual:

- 🐾 Wellness Exam
- 🐾 Rabies
- 🐾 DHLPP
 - Canine Distemper, Hepatitis, Leptospirosis, Parvovirus, Parainfluenza
- 🐾 Lyme*
- 🐾 Kennel Cough (Bordetella)*
- 🐾 Canine Influenza*
- 🐾 Rattlesnake Vaccine*
- 🐾 Fecal
- 🐾 Heartworm Test
- 🐾 Heartworm/Flea Prevention

Dogs should be spayed before their first heat cycle between 5-6 months of age.



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