

HEALTHY PET MONTH SOCIAL MEDIA POSTS



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- Wellness exams are for more than just vaccines! Your pet's teeth and gum health are also evaluated during these important regular visits with your veterinarian.
- Fleas and ticks might be tiny, but their impact can be mighty. They are more than just unwanted guests; fleas and ticks can cause itchiness and disease. Stay on top of year-round prevention and ask your veterinarian for personalized suggestions.
- Heartworm disease is a preventable, deadly disease spread by mosquitoes. It is important to test your pet for heartworms and put them on yearly prevention medication.
- Obesity in pets can lead to a variety of other problems, including arthritis and joint disease, difficulty breathing, diseases like diabetes, and can ultimately decrease their lifespan. Be sure to check with your veterinarian regularly to ensure your pet is a healthy weight.
- Pyometra is a life-threatening infection in a dog or cat's uterus, which causes severe illness and requires emergency surgery to treat. This is one reason spaying your pets is so important – it will eliminate this risk completely!
- Pets show discomfort in different ways than people do, and arthritis is a common cause of pain in dogs and cats as they age. Talk with your veterinarian about subtle signs to watch for that are sometimes missed.
- Your pet can't tell you they have a toothache! This is why routine physical exams, and yearly dental prophylaxis procedures are important. Veterinarians can assess the mouth for stages of periodontal disease and address any painful conditions they may have.