

## Vaccination Schedules Summary

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### Dogs

#### Puppies

6-8 weeks Nobivac C3

10-12 weeks Companion C5 (then repeat this in one month) OR early finish with combination of Nobivac C3 and Intranasal KC (next booster due in one year)

14-16 weeks Companion C5 (booster due one year)

#### Adult Dogs

We generally do a companion C5 to keep life simple.

C3 may be done if requested.

Triennial C3 may be done if requested BUT you must schedule an annual health check in one year. Ideally an annual KC will accompany the health check. A triennial vaccine can only be given after the first 15 month booster.

#### Other Canine Vaccines

Corona/Lepto is available on request if exposed to rats OR for export reasons. We don't include it in the general vaccinations.

Rabies is available for animals to be exported BUT must only be administered by Sandra or other AQIS accredited vets.

Separate "killed" vaccines are no longer available so pregnant animals must not be vaccinated.

Titre Testing if requested is available from several labs, see document in NAS on options and costs.

#### Proheart SR12

Whilst not a vaccine we recommend this in preference to other heartworm preventatives for dogs as it improves client compliance and results in better patient care. The first one is to be given at 6 months of age, with the next one due 9 months later, which coincides with the dog's first annual vaccination booster.

Proheart has a 3 month reach-back for animals that are late. A test is not mandatory for animal receiving the injection but is recommended for animals >12 months that have never had it.

#### Overdue Vaccinations

C3: a single injection brings them back up to date

KC injectable: if over 6 months overdue will need 2 doses a month apart to be updated.

Intranasal KC: a single dose brings them back up to date.

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## **Cats**

### Kittens

6-8 weeks Tricat F3

10-12 weeks Tricat F3

14-16 weeks Tricat F3

Kittens going outside in future should be given an FIV vaccine at each of these visits as well.

### Adult Cats

1st annual Booster: Tricat F3 +/- FIV

Other annual boosters Tricat Duocat Duocat Tricat Duocat Duocat Tricat, etc

Pregnant or Non-desexed female cats must only be given a killed vaccine such as Fevac 3.

### FIV

Should be recommended to all cats that go outside or are at risk of fighting with FIV positive cats.

Adult cats ideally should be FIV tested then given 3 vaccines 2-4 weeks apart. An annual booster is then required every year.

Detailed info on FIV vaccines, seroconversion, etc is available on the NAS.

### FeLV

We have these vaccines for animals at risk (multicat households and catteries)...2 vaccines 4 weeks apart are required then an annual booster. This is not part of our regular vaccine schedule. Check stock levels before booking.

### Overdue Vaccines

F3/F2 if more than 6 months overdue will need 2 vaccines one month apart.

FIV – if less than 3 months overdue then normal booster

- if 3-6 months overdue then needs 2 boosters 2-4 weeks apart

- if > 6 months overdue need 3 vaccines 2-4 weeks apart (+/- testing)

## **Rabbits**

Baby rabbits < 12 weeks Calicivirus vaccine and a booster one month later.

All other rabbits Calicivirus vaccine every 6 months.