



DOGS

WELLNESS PLANS

SENIORS: >10 YEARS

Keeping a close watch on your senior pet's health, without breaking the bank. At this age, our dogs are still spending time outside, though they may not be as active as they used to be. This plan includes preventative care to keep our pets safe while exploring the outdoors, as well as annual blood work and urine testing to screen for diseases.

Our plan includes:

- Senior pet annual exam
- Semi-annual senior pet exam
- One free drop-off visit
- Core & elective vaccines
- Wellness blood work (x1), including CBC, biochemistry, T4 (thyroid), Accuplex (heartworm & tick-borne disease screening)
- Urinalysis (x1)
- Fear Free medication
- Six months of Nexgard Spectra (parasite prevention)
- Limited time offer: 1 free bag of a veterinary diet



Upfront yearly fee:
\$150+HST

Monthly fee:
2 - 3.7 kg | **\$64.64+HST**
3.8 - 7.5 kg | **\$64.90+HST**
7.6 - 15 kg | **\$67.73+HST**
15.1 - 30 kg | **\$70.25+HST**
30.1 - 60 kg | **\$70.85+HST**

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Senior pet annual exam (45 minutes)

- At this life stage, there is a lot to talk about! For this reason, our senior pet annual exams are 45 minutes long. We will discuss your pet's current life style and risk factors and decide on a parasite and infectious disease prevention program. We will also focus on mobility & joint health, cognitive changes, disease screening, and your dog's changing needs.

Core & elective vaccines

- Core vaccines: DA2PP & rabies
- Elective vaccines: Bordetella (kennel cough) & leptospirosis
- The above vaccines are included, but we will discuss a specific plan and schedule based on your individual pet's life style and risk factors.

Fear Free medication

- Our priority is for your pet to have a positive and stress-free experience.
- One refill of Fear Free medication (gabapentin or trazodone) is included with all exams for pets on wellness plans.

Semi-annual senior pet exam (30 minutes)

- 6 months is a long time for a dog! A lot can change in only 6 months. For this reason, we recommend a semi-annual wellness exam, so we have a chance to intervene sooner if your pet is becoming unwell.

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Blood work

- Senior wellness blood testing is included in this panel.
- The included blood work panel (ONE / 1 per year) includes:
 - A comprehensive **biochemistry screen** that looks at kidney values, liver enzymes, protein levels, blood sugar, and electrolytes. It also includes a screen for pancreatic inflammation.
 - **Thyroid hormone (T4)** assessment.
 - A **complete blood count (CBC)** to check for anemia or changes in white blood cell or platelet counts.
 - **Accuplex** (heartworm & tick-borne disease screening).
- **Not all diseases can be found with blood work.**
- If abnormalities are noted and follow-up testing or treatment is required, **additional tests and treatments are not included in the plan.**
- This package includes doing the above testing **once annually**. Some seniors with existing issues may benefit from having their blood work checked more often. Additional testing is not included.

Urinalysis

- This package includes **one (1) urinalysis**.
- This test assesses your dog's urine concentration, and checks for excess white blood cells, red blood cells, bacteria, crystals, protein, glucose, or ketones, any of which may be present when there is underlying disease.
- If abnormalities are found, follow-up testing and treatment is not included.

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Free drop-off exam

- Worried your dog is unwell? **ONE (1)** free drop-off exam is included.
- Please **call us first** to arrange a time for drop-off, to minimize the time your pet spends waiting to be seen.
- A team member will speak with you to gather more information about your concerns, and then a veterinarian will examine your dog and call you to discuss the next steps. **You must be easily reachable by phone.**
- The exam fee is included but if any medications or diagnostics are needed, they will cost extra.

Six months of Nexgard Spectra

- We recommend that dogs in Ontario are given a monthly heartworm, intestinal parasite, flea, and tick preventative medication from **June to November.**
- **Six months of Nexgard Spectra**, an all-in-one oral preventative medication, is included in this package. The monthly fee associated with this package varies **depending on the size of the pet** and what dose of medication they require.
- Additional **tick prevention** is strongly recommended when the temperature is above freezing, and is available at an **additional cost (no dispensing fee for wellness plan members).**

Free bag of a veterinary diet tailored to your pet's needs

- Our wellness plans include one free bag of a veterinary diet, picked based on your pet's life style or specific medical needs.
- **Limited time only** and exclusive to new plan members in 2024 and 2025. Given at time of annual exam.