



OFFUTT AFB VETERINARY TREATMENT FACILITY CANINE WELLNESS PACKAGES



Preventive Medicine Packages for our canine friends!

In an effort to provide the same services at the same cost across all military veterinary clinics, Veterinary Command (VETCOM) has initiated a preventive wellness program that includes wellness screenings, core vaccines, de-wormer, and testing for preventable diseases.

Wellness Screening: An evaluation by an animal care specialist to identify any conditions that may require a veterinarian's assessment. It is important to notify us of any changes in your pet's behavior, previous illness or injury, and any current medications.

Vaccines: Every dog should receive core vaccines as the risk of disease is high or the disease is transmissible to humans. Non-core vaccines are recommended based on your pet's risk for that particular disease.

Core Vaccines:	Non-Core Vaccines: NOT included in a package
DAPP (Distemper, Adenovirus2, Parvo, Parainfluenza)	Bordetella (Kennel Cough) This vaccine is generally required for boarding, grooming, and puppy/obedience classes.
Rabies	
Lepto4 (Leptospirosis)	

Fecal examination: A screening test to evaluate your pet for internal parasites. Most internal parasites are transmissible to humans and can be especially dangerous to children.

Heartworm combo test: The test we use not only screens for heartworms, but also 3 different tick-borne diseases: Lyme disease, Ehrlichia, and Anaplasma. All of these diseases are expensive to treat and may be deadly to your pet. Preventive measures can significantly reduce your pet's risk of disease.

Recommendations: NOT included in a package

Flea and Tick Preventive: Because many of the preventable diseases that affect pets are transmitted by fleas and ticks, we recommend monthly flea and tick prevention.

Heartworm Preventive: Heartworms are deadly parasites transmitted by mosquitoes that cause irreversible damage to the heart and lungs and leads to death. Prevention of heartworms is far more economical than treatment and treatment may not prevent death if enough damage has already occurred.

Microchip: An electronic ID implanted under your pet's skin is highly recommended and **required if you reside on post or are going OCONUS.**

Pricing: Preventive medicine package prices are standardized by VETCOM and vary by the life-stage of your pet. Costs range from \$35 to \$75 at each visit. Non-core vaccines, microchip, heartworm preventative, flea and tick preventive, and other medications your pet may need are not included in package prices.

NOTE: Different countries have different preventive medicine requirements! If you know you will be taking your pet OCONUS please notify us as soon as possible in order to ensure the smoothest possible transition.