

## Well Puppy Program

Your puppy needs love, training, good nutrition, and good preventative medical care in order to grow into a healthy adult dog. Redwood Veterinary Hospital has designed a complete package of the preventative health care your puppy needs for his or her first year. This "Well-Puppy Program" includes the following:

### PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS

A complete physical examination by your veterinarian at the puppy's first visit and when the puppy is 16 to 18 weeks old help ensure that your puppy is in good general health and is growing properly. Your doctor will answer questions about the care and feeding of your puppy, preventative health care, spaying / neutering your puppy and any other concerns you may have.

### VACCINATIONS ("Puppy Shots")

This is a vital component of well-puppy care. We recommend your puppy receive a complete program of vaccinations against canine distemper, Parvo virus, para influenza, hepatitis, and leptospirosis. For optimum effectiveness, the vaccines are given every 3 weeks from the time of the first visit until your puppy is 16 to 18 weeks of age. The Rabies vaccine is given at 3 months of age, as required by California law.

### FECAL EXAMINATIONS AND DEWORMING

Nearly all puppies have intestinal roundworms and some have other parasites. A microscopic fecal examination helps identify these parasites so they may be properly treated. Because round-worm infestation may not show up on fecal examination, all puppies are routinely wormed with a gentle, safe and effective medication as part of the well-kitten program.

### WELL PUPPY PROGRAM SUMMARY

When enrolled in the Well Puppy Program, your puppy will receive:

- 2 Well Puppy physical exams by your doctor
- All puppy DHPP, Rabies, and Leptospirosis vaccinations through 4 months of age.
- 2 treatments for intestinal parasites
- 1 fecal parasite exam

IN ADDITION, ENROLLEMENT IN THE WELL PUPPY PROGRAM ALSO ENTITLES YOU TO DISCOUNTS ON THE FOLLOWING PRODUCTS AND SERVICES:

### HEARTWORM PREVENTATIVE MEDICATION

Heartworm is a serious and potentially deadly disease of dogs. We recommend that all dogs and puppies receive lifetime treatment with heartworm preventative medication. The first 6 months of heartworm preventative medication is discounted by \$5 for members of the Well Puppy Program.

### MICROCHIP IDENTIFICATION

With purchase of the Well Puppy Program you are entitled to a \$15 discount on the placement of an identifying microchip in your pet before 1 year of age. This is a safe and permanent way to identify your pet without surgery or tattoo.

### SPAY OR NEUTER SURGERY

We recommend spaying/neutering your puppy at 6 months of age. As a member of the Well Puppy Program, you receive a \$50 discount if you have your puppy spayed/neutered before 1 year of age.

### TRAINING

Starting your puppy in a professional training program before problems start to develop can be the key to having a dog that is easy to live with and of whom you can be proud. Several excellent training facilities are available in the Vallejo-Benicia area. Please ask your doctor for pamphlets and information regarding this very important area of puppy care.

### WHAT IS NOT INCLUDED

The Well Puppy Program is intended to cover the basic, preventative health care for healthy puppies. The program does not cover any diagnostic tests, treatment, surgery or prescription that may be necessary for the diagnosis and treatment of any illness or injury. The Well Puppy Program expires at 1 year of age.