

Vaccine Information

DHPP

For protection against distemper, hepatitis, parvovirus, and parainfluenza. Vaccine is given either every one or three years depending on the vaccine.

- Distemper is a highly contagious and potentially lethal disease. Closely resembles measles and rinderpest viruses. Causes illness in the host by attacking multiple body systems, resulting in widespread infection. It is spread by direct contact or airborne exposure.
- Hepatitis is an infection and common signs are slight fever, congestion, severe depression, marked leukopenia, and coagulation disorders.
- Parvovirus is a highly contagious virus that affects all dogs, but unvaccinated dogs and puppies younger than 4 months old are most at risk. Virus affects dogs' gastrointestinal tracts and is spread by direct dog-to-dog contact and contact with contaminated feces, environment, or people.
- Parainfluenza is a highly contagious respiratory virus and is one of the most common pathogens of infectious tracheobronchitis. Symptoms include coughing, low-grade fever, nasal discharge, lack of energy, and loss of appetite.

Leptospirosis	Bordetella	Rabies
<p>For protection against Leptospirosis. Leptospirosis is a bacterial disease that causes flu-like symptoms and can cause liver or kidney disease. Typically found in standing water and can be transmitted through infected urine. Leptospirosis is carried by rodent wildlife, but some deer may be carriers if infected. Is possible for humans to also get infected. Vaccine is given once a year and recommended to all dogs in Southern states and specially to pets that frequent outdoor activities.</p>	<p>For protection of illness commonly called "kennel cough". Bacterial disease commonly associated with respiratory disease. Bordetella is highly contagious and easily transmitted through the air or direct contact. In healthy dogs, symptoms cause no more than a mild cold. In puppies or dogs with underlying health issues, it can cause severe illness and sometimes death.</p>	<p>For protection against rabies virus. Legally required in State of Tennessee.</p>

Canine Influenza

Protection against the "dog flu". Symptoms include cough, runny nose, fever, lethargy, eye discharge, and reduced appetite, but not all dogs show signs of illness. Severe symptoms could be pneumonia and sometimes death. Recommended to any dog that will be boarding or going to a grooming facility or dog park. Some facilities require this for pets to stay at their location. Recommended once a year and should have a 3 week booster.