



PEDIATRIC WELLNESS CARE

Vaccine Protocols, Parasite Management, & Zoonotic Disease Prevention

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PARASITES & ZOOBOTIC DISEASE: CLIENT EDUCATION

The following list provides several types of resources that can help educate your clients about zoonotic disease risks associated with pet parasites. Some materials, such as brochures, are ideal items to include in your clinic's puppy/kitten package.

BOOKS

- ***Educating Your Clients from A to Z: What to Say and How to Say It, 2nd ed*** (covers zoonotic disease): aahanet.org/Store/ProductDetail.aspx?type=Search&code=EYCF2

HANDOUTS & BROCHURES

- **Pets, People, & Parasites:** petsandparasites.org/images/uploads/documents/CAPC_ParaBro_1.11_LR.pdf
- **Questions Your May Have About Your Cat and Your Health:** cdc.gov/healthypets/pdf/your_cat_your_health.pdf
- **What Every Pet Owner Should Know About Roundworms & Hookworms:** cdc.gov/healthypets/Merial_CDCBroch_rsgWEB.pdf

VIDEOS

- **A Conversation About Internal Parasites and Zoonotic Disease:** aahanet.org/Library/Heart_of_a_Prevention.aspx (3rd video)
- **Animal Planet—Monsters Inside Me:** <http://animal.discovery.com/tv-shows/monsters-inside-me>

WEBSITES

- **AAHA HealthyPet.com—Diseases Transmitted by Pets:** healthypet.com/PetCare/PetCareArticle.aspx?title=Diseases_Transmitted_by_Pets
- **National Center for Infectious Diseases—Healthy Pets, Healthy People:** cdc.gov/healthypets/index.htm
- **Protect Yourself and Your Family From Dog & Cat Intestinal Parasites:** <http://vetmedicine.about.com/od/zoonotic/a/CW-ZoonoticGIpasites.htm>
- **Who Is Uniquely Susceptible to Parasites Transmitted by Cats and Dogs:** capcvet.org/expert-articles/who-is-uniquely-susceptible-to-parasites-transmitted-by-dogs-and-cats/
- **Zoonotic Disease—What Can I Catch From My Cat:** vet.cornell.edu/fhc/brochures/ZoonoticDisease.html