

Feline Leukemia



- ☐ Cats transmit this disease between one another by salivary secretions, bite wound, and through mother to baby in the uterus and the milk.
- ☐ Feline leukemia is a viral disease that causes bone marrow to reduce the production of red blood cells resulting in severe anemia.
- ☐ Symptoms are lack of appetite, weakness and pale mucous membranes, although they might not be noticed until the disease is severe.
- ☐ There are two general outcomes to a cat that is tested positive; the cat could convert to negative on a retest three months later and not show signs of the disease or; can be persistently infected and usually show signs in 2-3 years.
- ☐ Feline Leukemia has no known cure, however, it can be successfully controlled with vaccinating.

Feline Leukemia is a serious threat to cats throughout the United States. Make sure you have your cat tested once and then follow up with yearly vaccinations.