

# Puppy Checklist

## FIRST PUPPY VISIT

(6 to 7 weeks of age)

(date)

### VETERINARIAN

#### Health care

- ☐ Vaccines: DHPP, ☐ Deworm (pyrantel)  
*Bordetella* (adenovirus)

#### Education

- ☐ Vaccines: Rabies, ☐ Vaccine side effects  
leptospirosis, *Borrelia*, ☐ Heartworm  
*Giardia*, coronavirus

### TECHNICIAN

#### Health care

- ☐ Fecal flotation ☐ Heartworm preventive

#### Education

- ☐ Nutrition ☐ Socialization  
☐ Housetraining ☐ Puppyproofing/crating  
☐ Handling ☐ Puppy classes  
☐ Introduction to family members and other pets ☐ External and internal parasites

### RECEPTIONIST

#### Education

- ☐ Emergency service and hospital hours  
☐ Poison control number: 888-4ANI-HELP

#### Handouts

- ☐ Puppy kit ☐ Food samples  
☐ Socialization biscuits ☐ Puppy training

#### Purchases

- ☐ Grooming products ☐ Flea and tick products  
☐ Odor elimination products ☐ Puppy dewormer

#### Send

- ☐ Welcome letter

## SECOND PUPPY VISIT

(8 to 10 weeks of age)

(date)

### VETERINARIAN

#### Health care

- ☐ Vaccines: DHPP (with or without leptospirosis)

#### Education

- ☐ Haircoat/ears

### TECHNICIAN

#### Health care

- ☐ Fecal flotation ☐ Heartworm preventive

#### Education

- ☐ Chewing/play-biting/nipping ☐ Discipline/rewards  
☐ Housetraining ☐ Indoor vs outdoor

### RECEPTIONIST

#### Education

- ☐ Leash, halter, collar

#### Handouts

- ☐ Flea comb

#### Purchases

- ☐ Chew/play toy ☐ Kong/Buster Cube

## THIRD PUPPY VISIT

(11 to 13 weeks of age)

(date)

### VETERINARIAN

#### Health care

- ☐ Vaccines: DHPP (with or without leptospirosis)

#### Education

- ☐ Flea control

### TECHNICIAN

#### Health care

- ☐ Fecal flotation ☐ Heartworm preventive

#### Education

- ☐ Diet ☐ Grooming/bathing  
☐ Exercise and play

### RECEPTIONIST

#### Education

- ☐ Breed genetics/behavior concerns

## FOURTH PUPPY VISIT

(14 to 16 weeks of age)

(date)

### VETERINARIAN

#### Health care

- ☐ Vaccines: DHPP (with or without leptospirosis), rabies

#### Education

- ☐ Answer client questions ☐ Spay/neuter  
☐ Show/breeding/etc.

### TECHNICIAN

#### Education

- ☐ Dental care (demonstrate brushing) ☐ Annual care  
☐ Fecal test at 6 months ☐ Yearly exam/vaccines  
☐ Yearly heartworm test then yearly

### RECEPTIONIST

#### Education

- ☐ Microchip/tattoo/tag

#### Handouts

- ☐ Dental care package

#### Purchases

- ☐ 6- to 12-month supply heartworm preventive ☐ Dental prevention products

## FIFTH PUPPY VISIT

(4 to 6 months of age)

(date)

### VETERINARIAN

#### Health care

- ☐ Spay/neuter or prebreeding evaluation ☐ Microchip

#### Education

- ☐ Zoonotic concerns ☐ Allergic concerns  
☐ Switch to adult food formulations ☐ Housetraining status

### TECHNICIAN

#### Health care

- ☐ Fecal flotation