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# MCHA Teams Up with the Banneker Community Center to Offer Low-Cost, Appointment-Free Vaccine Clinic for Dogs and Cats

**Bloomington, IN** – Monroe County Humane Association (MCHA) is excited to announce its November event to help local cat and dog owners keep their animals safe and healthy.

On Sunday, November 3, 2024, MCHA and Bloomington Parks & Recreation will host a pop-up mobile vaccine clinic at the Banneker Community Center located at 930 W 7th St, Bloomington, IN 47404. MCHA's amazing veterinary team of volunteers and staff will be available from 1-3 p.m. with no appointment needed; all are welcome!

Mobile Clinics offer a range of services, including legally mandated rabies vaccines for pets aged 12 weeks (about 3 months) and older. Additionally, clinics provide nail trims, anal gland expressions, microchips, and preventive measures for flea, tick, and heartworm.

Subsidized rates are available to residents experiencing financial hardship. To qualify for these rates, residents should bring valid documentation with them to the Mobile Vaccine Clinic. Safety is paramount. Cats must be in carriers, and dogs must be leashed (no retractable leashes). It's essential for pet owners to understand that pets showing signs of illness or aggression might be turned away.

Communities or organizations interested in hosting a wellness clinic are invited to reach out to Liz Austin, Outreach Coordinator, at eaustin@monroehumane.org. This is a wonderful opportunity to bring essential pet care services to your area.

Learn more about Mobile Vaccine Clinics, including future dates and locations, at monroehumane.org.

### MOBILE VACCINE CLINIC SERVICES/COSTS

## **VACCINATIONS**

Rabies vaccine: \$25 (\$15)

3-year Rabies vaccine (must show proof of previous vaccine certificate): \$30 (\$20)

Canine DAPP vaccine: \$22 (\$18)
Canine Bordetella vaccine: \$22 (\$18)
Canine Leptospirosis vaccine: \$35 (\$25)

Feline FVRCP vaccine: \$22 (\$18) Feline Leukemia vaccine: \$35 (\$25)

### **WELLNESS SERVICES**

Microchip: \$18 (\$15) Nail trim: \$18 (\$12)

Nail trim, aggressive animal: \$25 (\$15) Anal gland expression: \$18 (\$15) Heartworm Exam and Test: \$35 (\$15)

# **HEARTWORM PREVENTION**

A heartworm test/exam is required to purchase prevention.

Interceptor (Chew), One Dose: \$13.50 (\$10)

(Heartworm, Hook & Roundworm)

Advantage Multi (Topical), One Dose: \$22.50 (\$18)

(Heartworm, Flea, Hook & Roundworm)

Simparica Trio (Chew), One Dose: \$41.00 (\$31) (Heartworm, Flea, Tick, Hook & Roundworm)

# **FLEA/TICK PREVENTION**

Provecta Advanced, Dogs, One Dose: \$15.00 (\$11.50) (+Tax)

ParaMonthly, Cats, One Dose: \$10.00 (\$8.00) (+Tax)

While these clinics are intended for healthy dogs and cats, they are not a substitute for your pet's annual wellness check-up with your primary veterinarian.

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