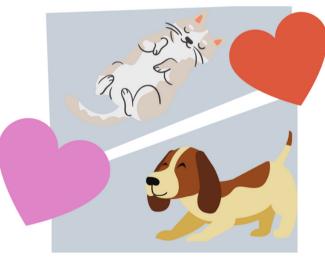
Pet Care IOI A Pet Guide for New Owners



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What to do once you get the right pet

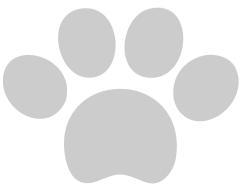
Take your pet to your vet and get a physical exam.

Get your pet fully vaccinated

Make sure to get a microchip for your pet just in case it runs away or gets lost.

Don't forget to give it a name

Remember to take your pet to the vet at least once a year after the initial visit.





Cat Care after Vet Visit

Visit your local pet store.

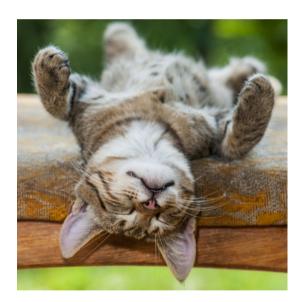
You need a cat scratcher, a litter box and litter, toys, cat food and a collar.

CATS GROOM THEMSELVES



Never Give A Cat

Onions, Milk/Dairy, Grapes, Dog Food, Chocolate, or Raw Eggs.







Dog Care after Vet Visit

Visit your local pet store.

You need a pet bed, water & food bowls, leash, harness, dog food, brush, and name tag

If your dog isn't potty trained, it needs to be trained.



Never Give A Dog

Gooming a Dog

Bathe your dog at least once a month. After you bathe trim nails with special trimmers (but not too short). Clean their ears with cotton balls.

Brush their teeth with a clean hand towel or tooth brush. Dry and brush your dog.



Chocolate, Tylenol, Bones, Garlic, Avocados, Raisins, Grapes, Onions, Corn







Minor First Aid

Clean your pets boo boo with soap and water.

Allergic reaction? Give your pet a little bit of Baby Benadryl based on the pet's weight

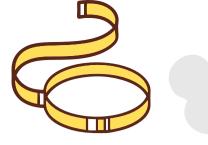
For more serious injuries, take your pet to the vet.



Natural Disaster Preparation

Because Pets are Family Too





In case you need to evacuate, take your pet to a pet friendly shelter.

Make sure your pet has identification just in case you are separated.

Know where your local shelter is.

If you and your pet are in a scenario where you can't get to a shelter, get an object that can protect your pet to make sure it is isolated from sound. If your pet is scared or can't move cover it with a blanket to comfort it.

Make it feel safe.

When the disaster ends make sure your pet is safe and has no injuries.

If you see it is hurt then take it to your local vet.

