

Why Spaying/Neutering Is Medically Best For Your Pet

For your FEMALE dog or cat:

Spayed females are often healthier than those who are not spayed.

Intact females may develop such problems as:

- Breast Cancer
- Ovarian or Uterine Cancer
- Uterine Infections
- Vaginal Prolapse

These problems can be life-threatening.

Breast cancer occurs more frequently in dogs and cats than in humans.

Mammary tumors are the most common tumors in female dogs and nearly 50% are malignant. A dog spayed before she has had her first heat cycle has virtually NO RISK of developing breast cancer. Her risk dramatically increases if she is allowed to experience heat cycles.

In cats, mammary tumors are the 3rd most common type of cancer and nearly 90% are malignant. They have usually spread to other parts of the body by the time they are diagnosed. A cat spayed before she is 2 years of age is 7 TIMES LESS likely to develop mammary tumors.

For your MALE dog or cat:

Intact males are at risk to develop serious problems such as:

- Testicular Cancer
- Prostate Disease
- Hernias
- Perianal Tumors