

Flanary Vet Clinic Newsletter

2026 – Issue 3



MARCH IS PARASITE MONTH

Big News... The One & Done shots for heartworms, fleas & ticks are here. Proheart 12 Injection + Bravecto Quantum injection. Come and get them today and no more monthly pills for a year!!!



March is here and hopefully spring is on its way! Spring is my favorite time of the year. I love the rebirth of the world with flowering trees, green grass, warmer temperatures, and of course baby farm animals. However, with all of these comes the rebirth of those pesky parasites – fleas, ticks, intestinal worms and of course there is always the threat of heartworms! In the past several years, we have noticed a significant increase in positive heartworm patients, and this is because of the decline in the number of pets that are on heartworm preventative. When asked we commonly hear clients tell us that they bought the heartworm preventative at Wal-Mart or on the internet. **The truth is heartworm preventative of all kinds are a “prescribed” drug which means they are only available through your veterinarian or a legal pharmacy such as Petmeds or Chewy with a prescription for your pet from your veterinarian. So, in short, heartworm preventative cannot be bought over the counter or from another pharmacy without approval.** They can be bought on Petmeds and other pharmacies; however, you must have a prescription from your veterinarian. On the other hand, flea and tick preventatives can be bought over the counter at Walmart and on the internet without a prescription. Even though from these places, there is no guarantee they will work

or not harm your pet, but there is always a guarantee on the products sold at the vet clinic.



After having this happen multiple times, I realize everyone is confused about what products are used for preventing what parasites and I completely understand! There are hundreds of products out there on the market today and even I must look up some of the generic flea and tick products to know about them! The worst part is that people think they are protecting their fur babies from “deadly” heartworms when actually they are just preventing fleas and ticks, but they don’t know it since heartworms are inside the body and can’t be seen!

So, to help everyone out and make sure our fur babies are properly protected; here is a simple cheat sheet from Dr. Flanary.

- **Fleas** are external parasites that jump from one host to another. One bite from a single flea, your pet will become itchy. An overload of fleas on an animal can lead to anemia. Fleas also transmit tapeworms.
- **Ticks** are another external parasite. Disease-carrying ticks pose health risks to dogs and people, no matter where you live. Ticks can transmit Lyme disease, Rocky Mountain spotted fever and Ehrlichiosis. This infection is **VERYCOMMON** in our area.
- **Heartworms** are internal parasites. Heartworms are carried by mosquitoes and spread to dogs when bitten by the mosquitos. Dogs will not show signs until late in the course of the disease. Heartworms are fatal if left untreated.
- **Roundworms, Whipworms and Hookworms** are internal parasites that live in the GI tract. They are transmitted by contact with the feces of infected animals or from a mother to offspring. An overload of worms can cause diarrhea, anemia, and loss of body condition.
- **Tapeworms** are internal parasites that live in the GI tract. They are transmitted by ingestion of a flea or ingestion of dead small animal’s carcasses such as mice. While no signs may be present some pets can have diarrhea, weight loss or poor body condition.



There are so many products on the market currently and it can be confusing about which product is best for your pet.

Here is a simple chart of the products we carry.

* = covers

	Nexgard Combo (Cats)	Interceptor Plus (Dogs)	Bravecto (Dogs)	Credelio Quattro (Dogs)	Proheart Injection (Dogs)	Bravecto Quantum Injection (Dogs)
Roundworm	*	*		*		
Hookworm	*	*		*		
Tapeworm	*	*		*		
Whipworm	*	*				
Fleas	*		*	*		*
Ticks	*		*	*		*
Heartworm	*	*		*	*	
Lasts # of Months	1	1	1 or 3	1	6 or 12	12
Form	Topical	Chewable	Chewable	Tablet	Injection	Injection

***Heartworm Tests during March are only \$12 – If your dog has been off**

Heartworm Prevention for over 2 months, please get them tested before starting back.

Take home message: Heartworm preventatives **MUST** get from a Veterinarian or have a script from a Veterinarian.

Flea & Tick Preventatives – safe brands that work with money back guarantee come from Veterinarians. Unsafe brands that do not work are sold over the counter.

MARCH SPECIALS

LOWEST PRICES OF THE YEAR!!!

Bravecto Chewables– Fleas & Ticks

6 months - \$30 off = \$131.98

12 months - \$65 off = \$258.96

Bravecto Quantum Injection – Fleas & Ticks

12 months - \$10 off





0-22lbs \$210

22-44lbs \$215

44-66lbs \$230

66-88lbs \$245

88+lbs \$260

Interceptor – Heartworms & all Intestinal Worms

6 months - \$6 off

12 months - \$12 off

2-8 lbs = \$53.18

2-8 lbs = \$99.33

8-25 lbs = \$53.89

8-25 lbs = \$100.66

26-50 lbs = \$69.79

26-50 lbs = \$130.56

51-100 lbs = \$85.10

51-100 lbs = \$159.35



Nexgard – for cats – Heartworms, all intestinal worms, Fleas & Ticks

6 months - \$25 off

12 months - \$50 off

2-5 lbs = \$140.19

2-5 lbs = \$280.38

5-16 lbs = \$163.99

5-16 lbs = \$327.98



Credelio Quattro – heartworms and all intestinal worms



6 months - \$25 off & 1 free dose

12 months - \$65 off & 2 free doses

6-12 lbs = \$183.98

6-12 lbs = \$362.96

12-25 lbs = \$186.48

12-25 lbs = \$367.96

26-50 lbs = \$202.28

26-50 lbs = \$399.56

51-100 lbs = \$217.88

51-100 lbs = \$430.76

Proheart- Heartworms

6 months - \$10 off

12 months - \$25 off

0-25 lbs = \$55

0-25 lbs = \$95

26-50 lbs = \$75

26-50 lbs = \$135

51-100 lbs = \$95

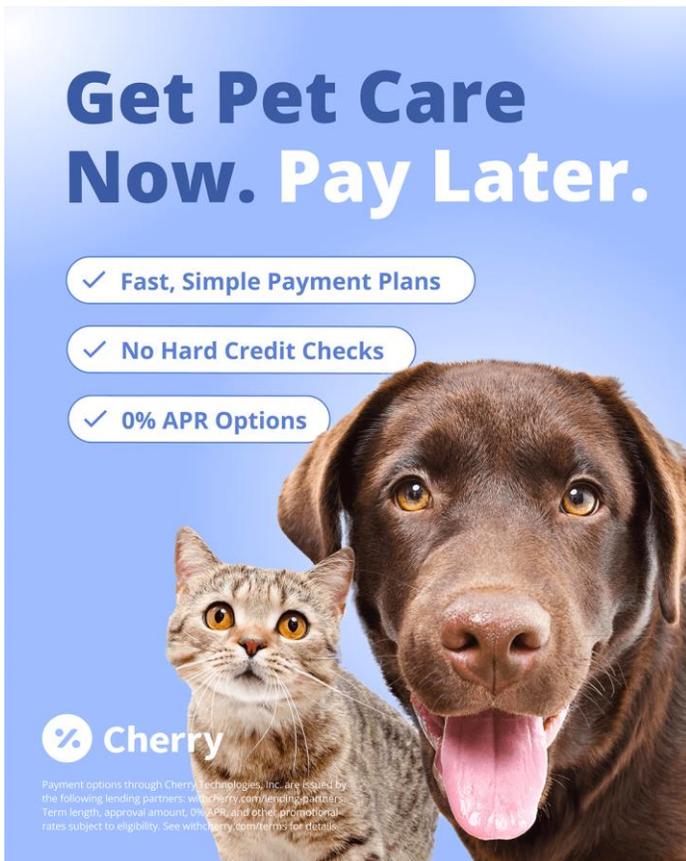
51-100 lbs = \$155

101-130 lbs = \$115

101-130 lbs = \$195

****How Can We Help Make Vet Care Affordable???**

CHERRY:



Get Pet Care Now. Pay Later.

- ✓ Fast, Simple Payment Plans
- ✓ No Hard Credit Checks
- ✓ 0% APR Options

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Payment options through Cherry Technologies, Inc. are issued by the following lending partners: www.cherry.com/lending/partners. Term length, approval amount, the APR, and other promotional rates subject to eligibility. See www.cherry.com/terms for details.

Your pets give you unconditional love; now you can return the favor with the care they deserve. Don't let finances stand in the way of your pet's health. With our monthly payment plans, quality veterinary care is within reach.

Comprehensive Care for Your Canine Companion!

With our new monthly finance plan, your furry friend can receive complete yearly care, including:

- Annual Exam
- Vaccinations
- Lab Work
- Heartworm Injection (lasting a full year)
- Flea and Tick Control Injection (lasting a full year)

Cherry PAYMENT PLANS
PAY OVER TIME
 TRUE 0% APR OPTIONS
 APPLY IN SECONDS
 NO HIDDEN FEES

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NEAR PERFECT CUSTOMER SATISFACTION

APPLYING DOES NOT AFFECT YOUR CREDIT SCORE

Questions? Visit withcherry.com/clients

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All of this can be yours for just \$50-60 a month! Don't wait! Secure your pet's health and happiness today. 92% of all applicants are approved. Applying literally takes less than 5 minutes.

Financed Wellness Plans

Complete Yearly, 12 Months Proheart Injection, & 12 month Bravecto Quantum Injection

0-22lbs	\$536.36	6m plan \$76.62/month	9m plan \$53.64/month
22-44lbs	\$594.66	6m plan \$84.95/month	9m plan \$59.47/month
44-66lbs	\$652.96	6m plan \$93.28/month	9m plan \$65.30/month
66-88lbs	\$668.86	6m plan \$95.55/month	9m plan \$66.89/month
88+ lbs	\$684.76	6m plan \$97.82/month	9m plan \$68.48/month

Premium Yearly, 12 Months Proheart Injection, & 12 month Bravecto Quantum Injection

0-22lbs	\$567.10	6m plan \$81.01/month	9m plan \$56.71/month
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22-44lbs \$625.40
44-66lbs \$683.70
66-88lbs \$699.60
88+lbs \$715.30

6m plan \$89.34/month
6m plan \$97.67/month
6m plan \$99.94/month
6m plan \$102.19/month

9m plan \$62.54/month
9m plan \$68.37/month
9m plan \$69.96/month
9m plan \$71.53/month

CARE CREDIT:



CareCredit is a credit card that offers interest free options for purchases at many businesses such as veterinarian clinics. It can also be used at businesses such as dental, vision care, cosmetic surgery, and chiropractic offices. Just to name a few.

Care Credit Specials

Any purchase of \$200-\$300 is interest free for 6 months. Any purchase over \$300 is interest free for 12-18 months.

To apply for CareCredit:

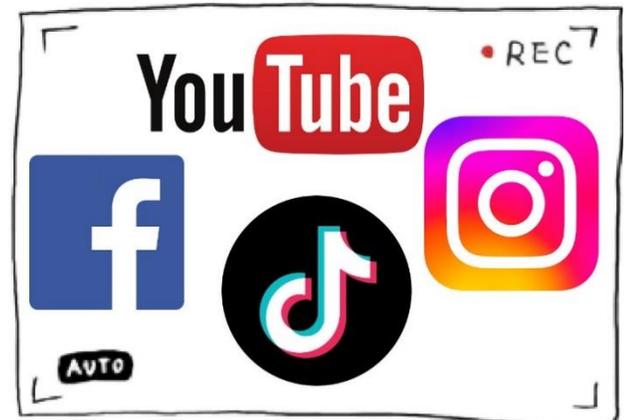
- Go to www.carecredit.com and fill out the application.

Call (800) 365-8295 and follow prompts.

You will get an immediate response to your application.

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What's Going On at Sunshine Purrs & Wags?

Time for Spring Cleaning. Get your Pet's Spa Day Scheduled.



Spring into Clean with Sunshine Purrs & Wags Spa!

The Fur Fresh and Fluff \$15

The Classic Shampoo

0-30lbs: \$25 31-60lbs: \$35

61-90lbs: \$45 91+lbs: \$55

The Spaw-Tacular Special

0-30lbs: \$35 31-60lbs: \$45

61-90lbs: \$55 91+lbs: \$65

Bow Wow Blow Out \$35

270-228-9247

SUNSHINE PURRS & WAGS

The image is a green-themed menu for pet spa services. It features a wooden spoon with soap, bubbles, and a dog wearing a black turban and a pink flower lei. The text is written in a cursive font. The phone number 270-228-9247 is prominently displayed in the bottom right. The logo at the bottom left shows a sun with a dog and cat face inside.

Spa Services Menu –

THOR'S SPAW TACULAR SPECIAL



The Fur Fresh and Fluff – After a day of playing who couldn't use a quick brushing and an aromatic spritzing of their fur coat to go home smelling and feeling fur fabulous?

The Classic Shampooch – This option provides a quick brushing, soothing bath in our moisturizing shampooch a towel drying and aromatic spritz.



The Spaw-Tacular Special – This includes a quick brushing, soothing bath in moisturizing shampooch, peticure, light blow dry, bandana, and aromatic spritz.

March Pawty- Who doesn't want to go to a party?

\$25

Wear GREEN

March 17th

- Pictures
- Playtime shenanigans w/ friends

Drop off all day

St. Paw-trick's Day Parade PAWty

SUNSHINE PURRS & WAGS

March 17, 2026, all are invited to the "St. Paw-trick's Day Parade & Pawty". Drop your lucky charms off dressed in GREEN for a day of fantastic shenanigans with pals & an Irish Parade. Your furry "wee ones" will receive a St. Patty's Day picture, bandana, & present just for being Paw-some. Pot of Gold Lucky Treats to snack on will be provided.

Don't forget about this month's craft! It is just \$10.00

The February "My Furry Valentine" Pawty was the best party I believe thus far, and a great time was had by all that attended. The Valentine decorated bags for each pet were filled with lots of goodies from our treat



exchange. Thank you to all the Pawrents that went out of their way to provide fun for all. The pets loved all their love themed playtime & pictures as well.



Lucky pets stay with us!



At Sunshine Purrs & Wags it's Spring Break Time!



Big City Kitty Condos..... \$25/day

Itty Bitty Estates..... \$35/day

Adventure Suites..... \$45/day

B&B's..... \$25/day

Add on a Pampered, Lavish,
LUXURY package or even a spa day

your special pet!

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SUNSHINE PURRS & WAGS
A PAWSITIVELY BRIGHT STAY WHILE YOU'RE AWAY

LET YOUR PET VACATION IN
COMFORT WITH US!

MAKE RESERVATIONS NOW FOR SPRING BREAK!!!

-Adventure Suites- make a reservation in one of our 4 adventure suites and you'll have a happy hound! Our premium Adventure Suites are beautifully tiled for homey comfort and easy cleaning and feature unbreakable glass doors that offer your dog a view of the activities outside their room. These suites can accommodate a fur family! Each suite boasts unique and whimsical décor that brings the energy of a dream vacation retreat to your pup. Cushy beds and a downy soft snuggle blanket create the ultimate comfort for lounging and sleeping. Nightly relaxation music, ambient lighting, and aromatherapy help your pooch unwind, promising calm and tranquil evenings.



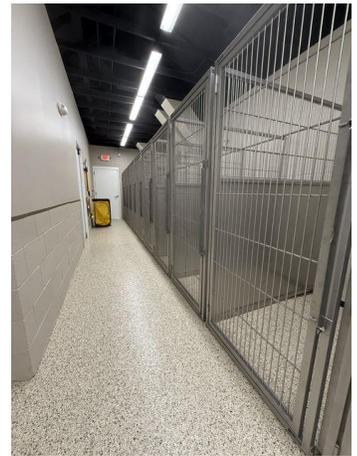
-Itty Bitty Estates- reserve a royal retreat for your pint-sized pooch where they'll be waited on paw and foot. At Sunshine Purrs and Wags, the safety and comfort of your pets is our first priority. That's why we created Itty Bitty Estates to house our tiny tail waggers in a lavish complex designed especially for them. Tucked securely away from the roughhousing of much bigger dogs, this peaceful, private room offers a haven of protection and tranquility without cages. The spacious chambers are furnished with comfy bedding, and your pup will enjoy the ultimate restful night's sleep. Bowls are provided for dining, and daily housekeeping is included for all our guests.



-Big City Kitty Condos reserve the purr-fect getaway for your finicky feline. Designed with their exact standards in mind, these 4-level condos offer all the luxury, style, and functionality that your cat's aristocratic sensibility craves. Each of our condo's features: basement floor Paw-ty area, second story luxury dining, a cozy third floor bedroom for catnaps, and a rooftop lounge for leisurely loafing.



◦ **B & B's** provide boarding on a budget. Check your furry friend into one of our "B&B's" for a comfortable and affordable stay with the same great care that Sunshine Purrs and Wags provides every valued guest. Our economy lodging consists of 34 smooth-edged, chew proof, stainless steel kennels of varying dimensions to perfectly accommodate your pet as well as 6'x3' stainless steel runs, fitted with privacy panels to ensure safety and security.



While boarding your pet can experience one of our

packages...

1) "The Pampered," This package consists of room service with 3 Gourmet Treats ... \$5/day. You can also buy their favorite treats that they pick out from our **Biscuit Bar** or all the other specialties we have like Pupcream, Pup-Pop, Muttmellows, Dogstoppers, Pup Happy Meals, Kitty Churu or Surf & Turf Treats.





2) "The Lavish" This package consists of the "pampered package" + Outdoor Courtyard/Indoor Pup Plaza/Feline Fitness Center or Cuddle time... \$10/day. We have 13 play areas outside and you can customize your pet with private potty time or group play for their size! If your pet is a cuddler they may even choose to be rocked in our rocking chair in the Itty-Bitty Estates room. Cats have their private fitness center with a climbing gym.



3) "The Luxury" This package consists of the "Pampered" and the "Lavish" package + a "Tail Wagging Good Time activity... \$15/day Every weekday at Sunshine Purrs & Wags, we have a different activity to stimulate your pet's minds, senses and provide physical exercise to enliven all their senses, prevent boredom and bring them pure joy!!! These may include Pupcorn & Flicks (a relaxing movie night with pupcorn), Wiggle Waggle Walk (pups walk a path & sniff out treats inside or through the courtyard), Bubble – Pop Party (We bring out the bubble guns & encourage pups to jump & chase the bubbles), Ball Pit Blitz (We fill our ball pit with hidden treats or toys & let the pups loose to find them).

Doggie Daycare:

Spread the word to all your friends- **1st Day you try Doggie DayCare is free!**

We are sure your pet like everyone else's, will love it & want to come back!

Sunshine Purrs & Wags

Daycare \$18/day

LUCKY TO PLAY ALL DAY!



THIS MARCH, GIVE YOUR PET THE POT OF GOLD...
DAYCARE DAYS FILLED WITH FUN AND FRIENDSHIP!



SUNSHINE PURRS & WAGS
A PLACE FOR ALL YOUR BEST FRIENDS

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Does leaving your dog home alone for the majority of the day make them anxious, depressed, or lonely? Does this lead to destructive behavior or poor health due to inactivity? Sunshine Purrs and Wags has the answer! Our Doggy Daycare is the perfect



way to fill your dog's days with the ideal balance of socialization, physical exercise, and enrichment activities in a safe and loving environment. With knowledgeable, caring staff who work closely with Flanary Vet Clinic, your pup will be carefully supervised as they make new friends, romp and play in our spacious Pup Plaza Indoor Playroom and explore our expansive Outdoor Canine Courtyard. And if that's not enough..... here is what makes Sunshine Purrs and Wags Daycare definitely a bright stay different from other doggy daycares!!!



Each day our furry guests will participate in Sunshine Purrs and Wags unique "Tail Wagging Good Time Activity" to stimulate their minds, enliven their senses, and stave off boredom. This activity changes daily throughout the year to always create excitement.

We want to provide your dog with the best environment for a happy, healthy daycare which encourages curiosity and friendly interaction with pets and/or people while incorporating a blend of rest, play, mental stimulation and lots of love.



At Sunshine Purrs and Wags, we believe EVERY dog deserves to live his best life EVERY day!!!

Typical Daily Daycare Schedule

- Check-in- Upon arrival, pets are greeted and pawrents are asked about any concerns. Check out Snack Time menu for the day as a yummy add on.
- Brunch Snack- If chose Snack Time. This is only \$5/day
- Potty and Play- Potty break combined with some fun.
- Lunch Snack- If chose Snack Time.
- Nap and Cuddle Time- Time to rest up or enjoy some love.
- Potty and Play- Another potty break with some fun.
- "Tail Wagging Good Time Activity"- A mental stimulating and fun activity for your pet that changes daily to prevent boredom.
- Afternoon Snack- If chose Snack Time.
- Potty and Play- Last potty break combined with some fun.
- Check out- Pawrents arrive to take their baby's home.



Life on the Farm

Before long Flanary's Keepsake Farm will have some Nigerian Dwarf kids, Miniature Jersey calves, and Miniature Zebu calves arriving. We can't wait to see the new little ones playing on the farm this spring!! Watch all the fun on her farm Facebook page.



Dr. Flanary's Picks:

Interceptor Plus – one chew, once a month, protects your dog against **ALL** five common parasites.

The five parasites are Heartworms, Hookworms, Roundworms, Whipworms & Tapeworms. It is a small chicken flavored chew!

Dogs can easily pick up intestinal worms and we don't know it. This protects your dogs and your family.

I think this product is amazing because it protects against **ALL** intestinal worms as well as Heartworms!!! No more deworming your pets for tapeworms! Pair with Bravecto to prevent fleas & ticks and your pet is fully protected! It costs \$47 to deworm a 50 lb dog for JUST tapeworms, but Interceptor which takes care of ALL worms is \$85 for 6 months!!

If your pet is not on heartworm prevention, please stop by with your pet for a heartworm test. **It is only \$12 this month** and only takes about 5 minutes. Heartworms will kill your pets but are 100% preventable!!! People forget about them because they don't see them on or from their pets, but they are most important! So come see us today! Please take advantage of our parasite prevention specials this month. **WE WON'T HAVE DEALS LIKE THIS FOR THE REST OF THE YEAR!** Now is the time to stock up! Ask us what the best and most economical choice for your pet is and we will lead you in the right direction.

Let us break it down for you...

Interceptor (with \$6 rebate applied)

- \$53.18 for 6 months 1-8 lbs (\$8.86 a month)
- \$53.89 for 6 months 8-25 lbs (\$8.98 a month)
- \$69.79 for 6 months 26-50 lbs (\$11.63 a month)
- \$85.10 for 6 months 50-100 lbs (\$14.18 a month)

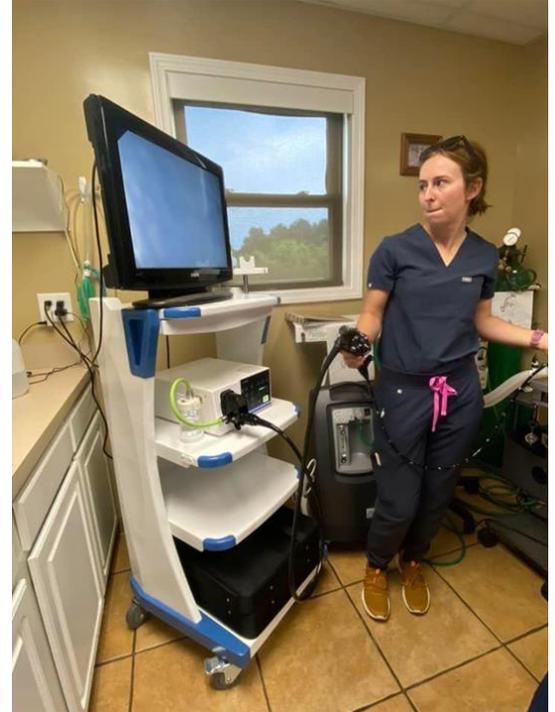
That's less than "ONE" trip to McDonalds

PET SERVICES ALERT

DID YOU KNOW... that we are one of the few- if not the only- clinic in the Western Kentucky Area that offers **BOTH** Endoscopy & Ultrasonography? Dr. Kayla



Ferrell DVM has brought the skills & knowledge to utilize both instruments for the betterment of her patients to FVC. With the advantage of having both instruments in-house we can provide better diagnostics for our patients and provide our clients with answers to problems &



questions in regard to their pets' health. Dr. Ferrell is a key example of what can be accomplished when you take education & training from one of the best

veterinary schools in the country and apply it. We are so glad that she has returned home to us here at Flanary Veterinary Clinic & has made the commitment to help the residents of her hometown & their pets!



Drop off, In- Clinic & Curbside Update!

We are still offering curbside appointments for your convenience.

- If you have a **Curbside Appt** please **CALL** the clinic to check in- Someone will come to your vehicle after you are checked in. Great for senior citizens, clients with mobility issues, and

mothers with babies & young kids. Not to mention saves time while you run errands.

- If you have an **In-Clinic Appointment**, please **COME INSIDE** to check in & then take a seat in the lobby.
- If you are a new client or are bringing a new pet, you can save time by filling out the new client/patient form located on your PetDesk app or our website! Please submit it online or bring it with you to your appointment.

Thank you!

The construction is on to get the addition to our clinic up & going! This will provide more exam rooms, a new state-of-the-art surgical suite & post-operative recovery room, home inspired euthanasia room, and drive thru window for medicine pickups! We are so excited to be able to better serve you and your pets. Keep watching our progress.

With Care & Respect,

LaNita S. Flanary DVM

