



CANINE DISTEMPER EXPOSURE

MEDICAL DISCLOSURE FOR CANINE DISTEMPER EXPOSURE

This pet was exposed to Canine Distemper Virus, which is a virus that can cause mild to severe respiratory, gastrointestinal, and/or neurological signs. It is highly contagious to other dogs, especially those who are still puppies, unvaccinated, and/or immunocompromised. The pet has been vaccinated for the virus and has since tested negative. While the testing indicates that the pet does not have an active infection, it is possible that (s)he may develop signs at a much later date. It is recommended to monitor the pet closely for lethargy, lack of appetite, abnormal eye or nose discharge, coughing, vomiting, diarrhea, twitching, seizures or any other concerning signs in the next 2-6 weeks. If any of these are noted, the pet should be examined by the owner's veterinarian immediately. All follow-up care will need to be done with the owner's veterinarian and at the owner's expense.